

BEWARE OF ENERGY VAMPIRES!



OCTOBER IS ENERGY AWARENESS MONTH!

WHAT IS AN ENERGY VAMPIRE?

Any device that is plugged in draws energy - even when it is not in use, is turned off, or is in stand-by mode.











\$19 BILLION

The amount of money wasted each year in the US on vampire energy.

SAVE \$100

Smart power strips cost about \$40 and can save roughly \$100 per year.

TOP TEN VAMPIRE HOME & OFFICE APPLIANCES

 <p>TVs</p>	 <p>HOME COMPUTERS</p>	 <p>HOME THEATER</p>	 <p>CELL PHONE CHARGER</p>	 <p>MICROWAVE</p>
 <p>PRINTERS</p>	 <p>COFFEE MAKERS</p>	 <p>COMPUTER MODEMS</p>	 <p>SATELLITE/CABLE BOXES</p>	 <p>FANS</p>



From the Sustainability Committee

DRIVE A STAKE IN ENERGY VAMPIRES!

- Unplug devices you don't frequently use
- Use power strips

Power strips allow you to toggle power flow on & off to clusters of devices, saving you a lot of time!

- **Power Down Computers**

Don't leave your computers on with a screen saver running. Turn them off when not in use.

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THEY DRAIN ENERGY FROM YOUR OUTLETS AND DOLLARS FROM YOUR BUDGET!