

2022 Go Electric Event

March 19, 2022



Calling all property owners, renters, and businesses – it's time to switch from gas powered equipment and GO ELECTRIC!

Join us for the inaugural **2022 GO ELECTRIC** event on March 19, 2022. The Department of Environmental Protection is working with partner agencies, organizations, and businesses to bring residents the opportunity to GO ELECTRIC.

The event will feature vendors who sell landscape equipment, electric cars, LEDs and ENERGY STAR® appliances, as well as solar installers all who help residents switch to more energy efficient options.

The event will be held outdoors at a location to be determined, adjacent to an available open-air covered garage in case of foul weather. Capacity will be limited throughout the event based on County health guidelines at the time.

In addition to demonstrations of the energy efficient electric equipment and hearing from dynamic speakers, the event will include incentives for guests including:

- **An electric landscape equipment exchange:** people and companies who recycle or exchange their gas-powered landscape tools to receive rebates and/or steep discounts from vendors to purchase electric equipment; folks who don't have tools to exchange will also receive some discounted rates on electric equipment. (Residents with income limits or small/minority owned businesses who register in advance will be provided additional rebates contingent on funding)
- **An appliance recycling event:** Pepco (to be determined) will mail residents rebates who recycle working refrigerators, air conditioners, and dehumidifiers
- **A light bulb exchange** – residents can swap out their CFLs and/or incandescent bulbs for free LED light bulbs
- **A resource fair:** residents receive information about home energy audits, tours of County electric buses and cars, home car chargers, electric bikes, solar options, and more information about electrification
- Discounts, incentives, and raffles!