

Climate Momentum Launches "Climate Conversations" in Stratford

Climate Momentum is excited to announce the launch of a new series of events called "Climate Conversations." These events aim to engage the Stratford community in meaningful discussions about climate change and its local impacts. Each session will feature a brief presentation followed by an open conversation, allowing community members to share their concerns and ideas.

Overall Event Details:

What: Climate Conversations – each month will feature a different topic

When: Fourth Thursday of every month through May (excluding December) 7PM

Where: City Hall Auditorium

Who: Open to all

Cost: Free

September Event Details:

Topic: Stratford's Planned Climate Initiatives: Where we are and where we're going

Guest Speaker: Sadaf Ghalib, Climate Change Program Manager

Location: City Hall Auditorium

Date: Thursday, September 26th

Time: 7:00 PM

Cost: Free!

Event Highlights:

Interactive Discussions: Each event will start with a short presentation on a specific climate-related topic, followed by a community conversation. This format ensures that technical jargon and distant issues are set aside, focusing instead on local concerns and practical solutions.

Community Engagement: Attendees will have the opportunity to discuss their concerns and ideas with fellow community members. Tables will be equipped with starter questions to facilitate dialogue, and complimentary coffee and doughnuts will be provided to create a welcoming atmosphere.

Diverse Topics: The series will cover various aspects of climate planning, including transportation, extreme weather preparedness, waste management, and natural assets. The inaugural session will feature Sadaf Ghalib, Climate Change Project Manager, who will discuss the current state of climate response in Stratford and future projections.

Supporting Partners: Climate Conversations are supported by community partners, including: Climate Momentum, the Small Change Fund, the Rotary Club, the Civic Beautification and Environment Committee, Energy and Environment, Wise Communities, the Stratford Public Library, the City of Stratford, and the Stratford Perth Community Foundation.

Join Us: The Stratford community is invited to attend all eight events or as many as they wish. Come for the doughnuts, stay for the coffee, and be part of the conversation that shapes our community's response to climate change.

For more information, see ClimateMomentum.ca