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#### Free Recycling Workshops

The County will host two recycling workshops for residents this month. The first one takes place on Monday, November 9<sup>th</sup> at the Albright Community Hall in Beaverlodge. The second workshop is being held at the Wellington Resource Centre in Clairmont on Tuesday, November 10<sup>th</sup>. Both workshops begin at 6 p.m.

These events will provide residents with information and tips on how to recycle trash and other perishable materials to possibly help save money, as well as keep unnecessary items out of landfills.

The Recycling Workshop will feature several speakers and displays:

**County of Grande Prairie:** Environment Manager Steve Madden will describe the local recycling centres, their programs and what items can be recycled at these facilities. Steve will also teach you how to handle household hazardous waste (paint, chemicals, etc) and where they can be dropped off.

**Northern Care:** learn how to use a backyard composter.

**Recycle Plus:** will provide information on the organization and how to use community recycle bins.

There will be a Q&A following each presentation. Door prizes include backyard composters and recycle bins filled with eco-friendly cleaning products.

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