

muscogee (creek) nation GREEN TEAM

## FUTRUE GREEN TEAM MEETING TOPICS

MCN Energy Audits Energy Efficiency Practices Air Quality (Indoor & Outdoor) Recycling 101 Water Quality Gardening & Composting Sustainable Land Management Climate Change Solid Waste

\*\*Open to suggestions for future topics

### FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT

Kristy Lawson Environmental Specialist II Sustainability / Air Quality Coordinator

Office of Environmental Services Muscogee (Creek) Nation 2951 N. Wood Drive, Okmulgee, OK 74447

Office: (918) 732-7729 Cell: (918) 758-5387

EMAIL: <u>klawson@muscogeenation.com</u>

# THURSDAY, AUGUST 8, 2024

2:00 P.M. – 3:00 P.M. College of the Muscogee Nation STEM Building – Main Lecture Hall

## AGENDA FOR MEETING

#### 2:00 P.M. – Greetings & Introductions

The goal of the MCN Green Team is to get more MCN departments involved; to help make the Muscogee (Creek) Nation a more sustainable, environmentally-friendly, and healthier place for each other and future generations.

#### 2:15 P.M. – Upcoming MCNOES Recycling Events

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Event at the MCN Recycle Center Friday, September 20, 2024 10:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.

> America Recycles Day 2024 Friday, November 15, 2024 9:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.

Document Shredding will be available: 10:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M. (or until the truck is full)

#### 2:25 P.M. – MCN Recycle Center Challenges

Recycle Center staff will discuss some of the issues and challenges they experience while working to reduce the amount of waste the MCN sends to landfills and incinerators.

#### 2:30 P.M. – Climate Pollution Reduction Grant (CPRG)

The CPRG provided funding to state, local governments, tribes, and territories to develop and implement ambitious plans for reducing greenhouse gas emissions and other harmful air pollution. The MCNOES partnered with Olsson, Inc. (Engineering Consultant) to host multiple stakeholder meetings, assist with completing a greenhouse gas (GHG) inventory, and writing the MCN's Priority Climate Action Plan (PCAP) and the Comprehensive Climate Action Plan (CCAP).

# POLLUTION FACTS

Fossil fuels produce large quantities of carbon dioxide when burned. Carbon emissions trap heat in the atmosphere and lead to climate change. In the United States, the burning of fossil fuels, particularly for the power and transportation sectors, accounts for about threequarters of our carbon emissions.