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**St Mary's County Seeks Nominations for 2023 Sustainability Awards**

**LEONARDTOWN, MD** – The St. Mary's County Commission on the Environment (CoE) is seeking nominations for the [2023 Sustainability Awards](#), which recognize St. Mary's County organizations and residents for outstanding efforts to improve our local environment.

**Community members are encouraged to submit nominations** for students or schools, restaurants, businesses, non-profits, farms or agricultural organizations, and even individuals or a household that has demonstrated environmental stewardship, resource conservation, innovative or best practices and/or pollution prevention. Nominees for the 2023 calendar year should demonstrate an impressive commitment to improving local environmental impacts.

The [2022 Sustainability Award Winners](#) were Southern Maryland Sierra Club and the Environmental Division of the Department of Public Works at Naval Air Station Patuxent River.

**Nomination forms are due by 5:00 p.m. on February 28, 2024.** Nominations and requests for more information on the awards should be emailed to [CoEStMarys@gmail.com](mailto:CoEStMarys@gmail.com).

For more information on the Commission on the Environment, please visit [stmaryscountymd.gov/coe](http://stmaryscountymd.gov/coe).

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