



Alumni Connections

June 2021



Net Zero Carbon by 2050 - that's our goal

DTE is leading the way to a cleaner energy Michigan with a bold plan to reach net zero carbon emissions by 2050. Our plan includes making improvements in our own operations and that of our suppliers as well as helping our customers reduce their greenhouse gas emissions.

[See our plan](#)

River Rouge Retires with PRIDE

The "Small but Mighty" River Rouge Power Plant was retired with pride in an emotion-filled and fitting tribute on Friday, June 4. Plant employees participated in person and nearly 1,000 other employees and retirees witnessed the significant milestone in our company's history virtually. Thanks to all of our DTE Alumni who helped make this plant such a powerful part of our history! If you missed the event, you may watch the recording.



[Watch the recording](#)



Retiree Spotlight:

Vickie Griffin

Read how Vickie gives back to her community.

[Learn about Vickie's volunteering](#)

Investing for the future

DTE is investing almost \$120 million into Downtown Detroit and \$180 million into the Cass Corridor area in order to improve reliability and increase the ability to serve future growth.

[Track our progress](#)



Committed to clean energy

During Earth Week, DTE Energy partnered with several customers to announce clean energy commitments to our MIGreenPower voluntary renewable energy program.

[See who joined us](#)



Planting trees across Michigan to beautify our communities and create a greener future

At DTE we have a long history of preserving, protecting and sustaining our environment. We're committed to preserving our home state's natural beauty and creating positive change that benefits future generations.

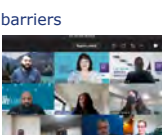
[See how we got dirty](#)



Fossil Generation breaks down barriers

Ben Felton, senior vice president, Fossil Generation, shared a personal moment that shifted his thinking on the value of diversity and inclusion.

[Hear his story](#)



Your Cause, Your Choice!

Stay tuned for more information on an upcoming Care Force contest where your favorite nonprofit could win dollars and DTE doers (volunteers)! Watch Facebook for the latest details.

[View Contest](#)



From June 21 - July 23, DTE Alumni are welcome to browse our online store to choose from a variety of apparel options.

For questions, email alumni@dteenergy.com.

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Ladies Microspare Full Zip



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Mens Microspare Full Zip

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Fruit Kabobs with Fluffy Fruit Dip

Makes 6 Servings

Dip

1 cup fruit-flavored, low-fat yogurt

1 cup whipped topping, thawed

1 tsp honey

Kabobs

6-8 pineapple chunks

6-8 whole strawberries

1 banana, cut into 1/2 inch chunks

6-8 red or green grapes

6 wooden skewers

1. In a small bowl, make dip by mixing together yogurt, whipped topping and honey.
2. Cover and refrigerate until needed.
3. Thread one piece of each fruit onto a skewer.
4. Repeat until the fruit is gone or skewers are full.
5. Serve with dip.

Nutrition Facts:

Calories: 100
Cholesterol: 9.9mg
Total Fat: 3g
Total Carbohydrates: 19g
Fiber: 1.2g
Protein: 2.8g
Sodium: 40mg
Potassium: 264mg

Source: Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics
National Nutrition Month 2014 Recipes

We want to hear from you!

If you have feedback about this newsletter or ideas for future virtual town halls, please contact us at alumni@dteenergy.com.