



# Task 12

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# Sustainability in Today's World

Sustainable practices, like the ones listed on the [Shareable](#) website, are what we need to transition towards if we want to preserve some sense of normalcy on our planet. Additionally, the living standards of the world would plummet dramatically without ideas like the Great Simplification being carried out. That is why I have compiled a list of companies and businesses that have a positive impact on these things, and they are all examples that are close to my hometown of York, Maine.



# York Food Pantry



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- They feed roughly 6,000 people a month, according to their website. They also do cater to special holidays like Thanksgiving and Christmas.
- Everyone is welcome; they are open on all Tuesdays and Fridays 12 PM-3 PM.
- They even offer a pet food pantry, for any animals that are in need of food.





# York Public Library



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- They give anyone and everyone access to knowledge; more than 50,000 books, magazines, newspapers, DVDs, audiobooks, are available, all free of cost, for people to read, listen to, or watch, all in the building.
- As for digital content, they have over 9 million more resources available via their in-house computer systems, which are equipped with Minerva.
- Owned by a nonprofit organization.



# Fort McClary





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- An ex-military fort turned historical site, that was used in five wars but was decommissioned in 1918, and was placed on the National Register of Historic Places shortly after.
- It is 1 dollar to go during the times it is 'open', but you are free to walk it's paths and trails anytime, and I have done it many times.
- It is extremely scenic, and is located right on the coast, not too far from another fort called Fort Foster, which is host to many events through the year, including cross country races.





# Bangor Area Homeless Shelter

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- Offers housing to the homeless, or anyone at risk for homelessness. They have a inspiring mission, which is *"To have achieved our goal where all guests at the Shelter are transitioned into suitable, stable, housing in 30 days or less"*.
- From December thru March, they have a Warming Center, where they offer warmth to those who are left out in the cold during the wintertime.
- They offer free lunch everyday, and also have a food pantry.



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