

# Growing Your MONEY LOCALLY

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## Support Local



30 DAYS OF DAILY CHALLENGES

### DAY 1

Choose a staple item (e.g., bread) and commit to buying it locally this month

### DAY 2

Visit your city's website and check out the events calendar

### DAY 3

Try out a new-to-you restaurant in your area



### DAY 4

Follow some of your favorite local businesses on Facebook and Instagram

### DAY 5

Spruce up your front yard, balcony or windowsill with some flowers or greenery

### DAY 6

Report a local issue (e.g., graffiti, potholes, sidewalk damage) to public works

### DAY 7

Write an online review for a local business you love



### DAY 8

Pick up a free local paper or newsletter and read about current issues in your community

### DAY 9

Waiting in line or at the bus stop? Initiate small talk with a stranger today.

### DAY 10

Take a small bag for a walk around the block and pick up litter you see along the way

### DAY 11

Go treasure hunting at a garage sale or thrift store this weekend



### DAY 12

Buy this week's groceries at a farmers' market or independent grocer

### DAY 13

Pick up a local recreation guide (or browse one online)

### DAY 14

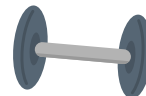
Build goodwill with your neighbors—bake them some treats or offer to help them

### DAY 15

Fill up a shopping bag with old stuff and drop it off at a charity thrift store

### DAY 16

Join a running club or group fitness class in your area



### DAY 17

Snapping selfies at a local business? Be sure to tag them, too!

### DAY 18

Play tourist in your own city this weekend—don't forget to bring your camera!

### DAY 19

Join a community garden (or rally the neighbors and start your own)

### DAY 20

Cheer on a local sports team—minor leagues are still major fun



### DAY 21

Visit a local coffee shop and buy a coffee for the person behind you in line

### DAY 22

Write a letter to your elected official about a local issue or just to say thanks

### DAY 23

Find an upcoming community event to attend this month and check it out

### DAY 24

Strike up a conversation with a local business owner—ask how they got their start

### DAY 25

Track down a local band or live music venue and go to a show



### DAY 26

Buy local art to display in your home or business



### DAY 27

Take some treats to the local police station or fire department

### DAY 28

Find a local organization that excites you and offer to volunteer with them

### DAY 29

Go for a browse at the nearest independent bookstore



### DAY 30

Create a workshop and offer to lead it at your school, library or community center

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