



MEDIA ADVISORY

Department of Public Works

Providing a clean, safe and healthy environment

Levar M. Stoney

Mayor

For Immediate Release

April 20, 2017

Contact: Paige Hairston – (804) 646-3659

City of Richmond E-Cycle Day on May 6

~ Recycling Beyond Curbside: Shredding, Electronics and Collection of Pesticides ~

WHO: Department of Public Works, the Clean City Commission and Department of Public Utilities (Stormwater Utility) and New Generations Federal Credit Union

WHAT: E-Cycle Day to include paper shredding and the collection of various electronics and pesticides

WHEN: Saturday, May 6 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

WHERE: 6807 Midlothian Turnpike (old K-mart Parking Lot)

BACKGROUND: The City of Richmond's *E-Cycle Day* offers City residents an efficient and green option to recycle electronics, paper and pesticides. There is a \$10 recycling fee for televisions and computer monitors less than 27 inches and a \$20 fee for televisions and CRTs larger than 28 inches. All other items will be recycled free of charge.

- Document Shredding
 - Up to five (5) boxes of documents. Be sure to remove all binders, staples and/or clips.
- Electronics
 - Computer systems (hard drive or CPU) and accessories (cables, wires, keyboards, mice, speakers, etc.).
 - Printers, scanners, copiers and fax machines
 - VCRs, camcorders, stereos and all phones
 - Televisions and computer monitors (note: there's a \$10 fee or \$20 fee for each)
- Recycle Bins
 - Clean up and drop off your small curbside recycle bins for reuse in the schools
 - Send inquiries to Darlene.Mallory@Richmondgov.com or call 646-8325
- Pesticides, Herbicides and Oil-based Paints
 - Bug spray, rodent poison & herbicides (roundup, Weed B Gon etc.)
 - Note: Latex and water-based paints can be left in open cans until they have dried out and then put in with regular curbside trash pick-up
 - Send inquiries to Gay.Stokes@Richmondgov.com or call 646-0177

For more information on *E-Cycle Day*, visit www.RichmondGov.com.

###