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TOMORROW: Prince George's County to Hold eCycling Event!

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Department of the Environment collects old electronics for recycling in celebration of America Recycles Day 2015

LARGO, MD – In continued efforts to reach the ultimate goal of zero waste, the Prince George's County Department of the Environment (DoE) is hosting an eCycling event on **Saturday, November 14, 2015** at **9200 Basil Court** in **Largo** from **10 AM to 2 PM**. This County electronics recycling event is **FREE** and open to all Prince George's County residents and employees.

Partnering with Keep America Beautiful, CyclePoint® from SourceAmerica®, R3 Services and Keep Prince George's County Beautiful, DoE is collecting old electronics and computer equipment including cell phones and monitors (maximum of five monitors per person) for recycling. A full list of items accepted for recycling follows below.

"Recycling is a small thing everyone can do that makes a big difference. This eCycling event presents the perfect opportunity for everyone to think about the outdated electronics they no longer use, gather those gadgets and have them safely and securely recycled," said DoE Director Adam Ortiz.

The event leads up to November 15th—America Recycles Day—a community-driven awareness campaign dedicated to promoting and celebrating recycling in the United States. On November 15th, DoE encourages residents to take the "[I Will Recycle](#)" Pledge and join a growing movement of caring citizens committed to learn how to recycle right and increase the recycling rate in America.

Residents unable to attend the eCycling event may bring their old electronics along with personal documents for shredding to New Horizons' Tuxedo Road R3 Services/Training Center located at 5711 Tuxedo Road in Hyattsville from November 16-20, 9 AM to 3 PM. For more information, contact (301) 851-5210.

Throughout the year, the County accepts old and unwanted electronic items at its Electronics Recycling Acceptance Site located at 11611 White House Road in Upper Marlboro from 8 AM to 3:30 PM, on Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays.

Items accepted during the eCycling event and Electronics Recycling Acceptance Site include:

CPUs	Main Frames
Circuit Boards	Pagers
Mice	Cell Phones
Keyboards	Individual PC CPU component parts
Computer Speakers	Ink Jet and Toner Cartridges
Laptop Computers	CD Players
Printers	Radios/Stereos
Fax Machines	VCRs
Telephone System	Wire
Copiers	Cable
Scanners	Surge Protectors

Televisions ARE NOT accepted at the eCycling event but can be recycled at the Electronics Recycling Acceptance Site.
For more information about recycling in Prince George's County, visit environment.mypgc.us or call County Click at 3-1-1.

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