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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: June 18, 2013**

## **Reminder: Next Set of Montco Recycling Dates Approach**

**Norristown, PA (June 18, 2013)** – The next set of recycling dates for the collection of electronic equipment and household hazardous waste (HHW) sponsored by Montgomery County will be held before the end of June.

The next collection date for household hazardous waste is Saturday, June 22 at the Temple University – Ambler Campus. The entrance to the recycling event is near 1431 East Butler Pike. The next recycling event for electronic equipment is Saturday, June 29 at Montgomery County Community College in Blue Bell. Residents dropping off recycling material should enter off of Cathcart Road. Both events will run from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

It is important to note that household hazardous waste will not be collected at electronic recycling events, and electronic equipment cannot be dropped off at HHW events.

The remainder of the electronics recycling events is:

### **Springfield Township High School – Electronics**

**Sunday, August 18, 2013**

1801 E. Paper Mill Rd.

Erdenheim, PA 19038

### **Lower Pottsgrove Elementary School – Electronics**

**Saturday, September 14, 2013**

1329 Buchert Rd.

Pottstown, PA 19464

**Upper Merion Middle School – Electronics**

**Saturday, October 12, 2013**

Enter near 435 Crossfield Rd.  
King of Prussia, PA 19406

The following is the remaining schedule for the household hazardous waste collection program:

**Upper Perkiomen High School -- HHW**

**Saturday, July 13, 2013**

2 Walt Road  
Pennsburg, PA 18073

**Abington Junior High School -- HHW**

**Sunday, August 11, 2013**

Enter via Tyler Rd.  
970 Highland Ave.  
Abington, PA 19001

**Pottsgrove Senior High School -- HHW**

**Saturday, September 7, 2013**

1345 Kauffman Rd,  
Pottstown, PA 19464

**Lower Merion Transfer Station -- HHW**

**Sunday, October 20, 2013**

1300 N. Woodbine Ave.  
Penn Valley, PA 19072

All events will take place between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.

The following items are not acceptable at either the electronics or the household hazardous waste collection sites:

- **Latex Paint** – NOT Hazardous (Throw in trash after it is dried out completely.)
- **Alkaline Batteries** – NOT Hazardous (Throw in trash if made after 1996.)
- **Large Appliances/White Goods** – Contact your township or trash/ recycling hauler to schedule a pick up or call Montgomery County Recycling Hotline – 610-278-3618
- **Explosives & Ammunition** – Contact your local police department or the Montgomery County Bomb Squad at 610-278-3331.
- **Infectious or Medical Waste**
- **Radioactive Waste**
- **Asbestos**
- **Air Conditioners, De/Humidifiers, Refrigerators** – Contact your township or trash/recycling hauler to schedule a pick up or call 610-278-3618 for more information. For working refrigerators contact PECO at 1-888-5-PECO-SAVE.

- **Smoke Detectors** – Send back to the manufacturer. Check the back of the item for more information OR throw in trash.

For more information on the collection events, please go to [www.montgomerycountyclecycling.org](http://www.montgomerycountyclecycling.org). The specific document on the household hazardous waste events is at:

<http://www.montcopa.org/DocumentCenter/View/4551>. The specific document on the electronics events is at: <http://www.montcopa.org/DocumentCenter/View/4550>.