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Montgomery County 2015 Recycling Events Schedule

Norristown, PA (March 25, 2015) – It's that time of year again. The 2015 recycling dates for Montgomery County are approaching. Paper shredding, household hazardous waste, and tire collection events will begin in April. Here is the full schedule of events:

Community Paper Shredding Events:

The Montgomery County Commissioners in conjunction with Shred One Security Corp. will be sponsoring FREE community paper shredding events:

Saturday, April 11 (9am – noon)

Indian Valley Middle School

130 Maple Avenue

Harleysville, PA 19438

Saturday, August 15 (9am – noon)

Abington Junior High School

2056 Susquehanna Road

Abington, PA 19001

Sunday, October 4 (9am – noon)

Lower Merion Transfer Station

1300 North Woodbine Avenue

Penn Valley, PA 19072

Household Hazardous Waste Events:

Saturday, April 18

Indian Valley Middle School

130 Maple Avenue

Harleysville, PA 19438

Saturday, May 30

Montgomery County Community College

340 DeKalb Pike (enter campus at 595 Cathcart Road)

Blue Bell, PA 19422

Saturday, July 11
Spring-Ford 9th Grade Center
400 South Lewis Road
Royersford, PA 19468

Saturday, August 8
Abington Junior High School
2056 Susquehanna Road
Abington, PA 19001

SUNDAY, October 18
Lower Merion Transfer Station
1300 North Woodbine Avenue
Penn Valley, PA 19072

All Events 9am – 3pm

Tire Collections:

Saturday, June 6, 2015 from 9:00AM – Noon
Montgomery County Community College
340 DeKalb Pike Blue
Bell, PA 19422

Saturday, June 27, 2015 from 9:00AM – Noon
Pottstown Senior High School
750 North Washington Street
Pottstown, PA 19464

Due to forces beyond the County's control, Montgomery County will not be able to hold electronics collection events in 2015. Although state law requires electronics manufacturers to offer recycling opportunities for TVs and computers, those manufacturers are no longer sponsoring county recycling collections in the Southeastern Pennsylvania region. Concern about the lack of county collection events should be directed to the appropriate State Representative and Senator. An amendment to the state electronics recycling law, called the Covered Device Recycling Act, is needed to ensure the availability of recycling outlets. For an overview of the Covered Device Recycling Act please see:

<http://www.elibrary.dep.state.pa.us/dsweb/Get/Document-96988/2520-FS-DEP4324.pdf>

For more information on the collection events, please go to www.montgomerycountypa.org. The specific document on the paper shredding events is at:

<http://www.montcopa.org/DocumentCenter/View/8560>. The specific document on the household hazardous waste events is at: <http://www.montcopa.org/DocumentCenter/View/8552>. The specific document on the tire collections events is at: <http://www.montcopa.org/DocumentCenter/View/8561>.