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SUBJECT: Cypress Partners with Goodwill of Orange County to Host Waste Collection Event on Saturday, November 5th



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Clean out your old electronics and bring them to the City of Cypress' next e-waste collection event. Together with Goodwill of Orange County, the collection event will be held on Saturday, November 5th from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Cypress Civic Center Parking Lot, located at 5275 Orange Avenue.

Cypress residents can bring electronic waste items to be recycled such as televisions, computer terminals, monitors, keyboards, scanners, printers, radios, stereos and small handheld devices. Also collected will be batteries, fluorescent bulbs and tubes. Goodwill's Document Destruction services will be available on site, at no charge.

The City will be giving out FREE used motor oil recycling containers, and sharing information with the public on ways to recycle used motor oil.

It is illegal for Californians to dispose of e-waste in their weekly trash collection. Each year, over 1.5 million tons of e-waste is thrown into American landfills. E-waste can contain toxic substances, such as lead and mercury, which can pollute ground water and make it unsafe to drink.

The City of Cypress is proud to partner with Goodwill of Orange County to provide environmentally-friendly solutions to divert e-waste from landfills, while helping meet the mission of Goodwill of Orange County, by assisting individuals with disabilities obtain productive and valuable training and employment. As a state-certified collector, Goodwill of Orange County ensures that all items collected will be recycled using industry-best practices and that all sensitive material will be destroyed.

Your old electronics deserve better than collecting dust in your garage or eventually ending up in a landfill. For more information about this event or other recycling programs, please contact the Administration Office at (714) 229-6714, or www.ci.cypress.ca.us.

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