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SPRING APPLIANCE/ELECTRONICS/SCRAP METAL COLLECTION DAY SET FOR SATURDAY, MAY 7

Has your refrigerator stopped working? Do you have a broken TV sitting out in the garage? Remember that appliances and major electronics are considered hazardous waste and are banned from the landfill. Please protect your community and dispose of them properly by bringing your appliances and electronics to the drop off site at the Burnsville Maintenance Center, located near County Road 11 and I-35E. This is a new location for the spring collection day. The event was previously held in the parking lot near the Burnsville Ice Center. The City will also conduct a Household Hazardous Waste disposal day in the fall. Fees to drop off items range from \$3.00 to \$20.00.

Items that will be accepted

APPLIANCES

- Washer, dryer, stove, refrigerator, microwave, water heaters, trash compactors, garbage disposals, furnaces, humidifiers, dishwashers, heat pump (\$10 each item)
- Air conditioners (\$20 each item)

ELECTRONICS

- TV's and computer monitors (\$15 - \$25 each item, depending on size)
- Copiers and battery back-ups (\$15 each item)
- Smaller electronics – all brands of fax equipment, radios, stereos, VCR's, typewriters, phones and calculators (\$3 each item)
- The "Sony Only" program is a special program targeting all Sony electronic products that have the Sony brand name on it. These products must be from residential sources only and will be accepted at no charge.

SCRAP METAL

- Scrap metal will be accepted free of charge only if all other material is removed. **All wood, plastic, rubber (tires), oil, gasoline, etc. must be removed.**

Items that will NOT be accepted

- Hazardous waste
- Furniture
- Construction/demolition material
- Mattresses

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