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Illegal Dumpers at E-recycling Center Will be Prosecuted

Cumberland County, Pa. – The Cumberland County Electronics Recycling Center reminds the public that leaving your items at the center during non-operating hours, even with your contact information, is not permitted. The recycling center is under 24-hour video surveillance and illegal dumpers have been and will be pursued, in concert with local police. The County encourages all those wishing to recycle their items to double check the center's hours by visiting www.ccpa.net/recycling or calling (717) 240-6489.

New operating hours took effect in November. The center is open on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from noon – 4 p.m., and on the second and fourth Saturday of each month from 8 a.m. – 12 p.m. The facility will be closed on County Holidays and during inclement weather.

To date, the center has collected more than 250,000 pounds of electronic material for recycling, most of which has been televisions. In addition to televisions, the center accepts computers and accessories, mobile devices, entertainment equipment, data center equipment and cable equipment.

A fee of \$0.50 per pound of electronics recycled is charged to help offset the County's costs for collecting, packaging, loading, shipping and recycling the materials. The recycler receives \$0.41 per pound of materials and the County covers all its costs with the remaining \$0.09 per pound. Cash, credit and debit card payments are accepted. Unfortunately, we are not able to accept personal checks.

For more information about the County's Electronics Recycling Center, visit www.ccpa.net/recycling.

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