

Richardson's Environmental Resources Newsletter



ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION FOR RICHARDSON RESIDENTS • APRIL 2018

Keep Richardson clean at annual Trash Bash

Trash Bash will be held Saturday, April 7 and provide several recycling opportunities. There will be educational booths and refreshments inside City Hall, and outside there will also be activities for everyone.

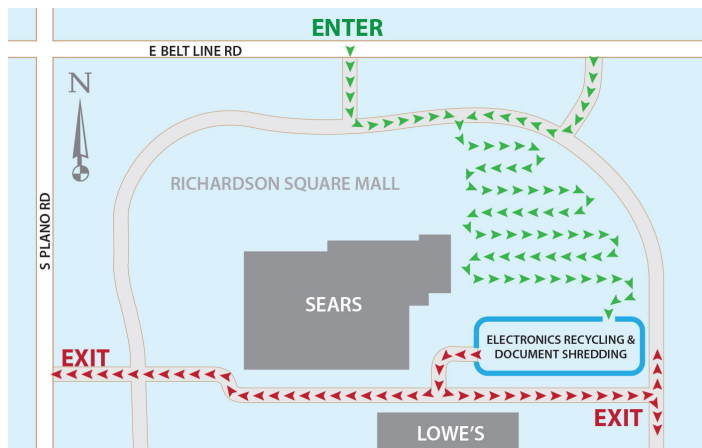
Richardson Square Mall Electronics Recycling, Document Shredding 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

The Richardson Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association (RCPAAA) is sponsoring the electronics recycling and document shredding event at the Richardson Square Mall parking lot.

Acceptable electronics: personal and home electronics, home office equipment and automobile electronics. CRT TVs or computer monitors **CAN NOT** be accepted. Flat screen monitors and televisions are OK.

NO hazardous waste items will be accepted, including, but is not limited to, batteries, paint, cleaners and fluorescent bulbs. Visit www.cor.net/hhw for more information.

Personal shredding will be limited to what can fit into a car. Your documents will be destroyed on site, safely and securely by a commercial shredding company. There is no charge to drop off electronic items and documents,



The Electronic Recycling and Document Shredding event will once again be held at Richardson Square Mall on the east side of Sears. Cars will enter off Belt Line Road. The event is hosted by the Richardson Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association.

but donations are encouraged for the RCPAAA, a 501(c)(3) tax deductible charitable organization.

For more information, call 972-656-9636 or visit www.rcpaaa.org.

City Hall parking lot 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

- Residential cooking oil/grease disposal
- Book drive (books, magazines, CDs, DVDs)
- Free bag of Texas Pure Compost
- Clothing and shoe drive (clothing should be gently used and washed, place in plastic bags/sacks, no trash bags please)

City Hall Appreciation Event 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

- Environmental education fair
- Free recycling bags for Richardson residents
- Refreshments
- City vehicles on display
- Mobile adoption trailer with adoptable animals from the Animal Shelter
- Eye glasses collection booth

CityLine After Party (in partnership with Whole Foods Market) 1-4 p.m.

- Live music



- Butterfly release in the Plaza—2 p.m.
- Nature walk—3 p.m. CityLine Park and Spring Creek Nature Area
- Plant giveaways to first 300 guests
- Game zone and kid's activities
- Kid's Earth Day coloring contest
- Lawn games
- Photo booth
- and more

For additional information or questions about Trash Bash, please call the Health Department at 972-744-4076, e-mail trashbash@cor.gov or visit www.cor.net/trashbash.

UPCOMING ENVIRONMENTAL EVENTS

April 3

AgriLife Water University—ULandscapeIT: Water Efficient Landscape Design. 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the Richardson Service Center, 1260 Columbia Dr. Free, but register at wateruniversity.tamu.edu/water-university-events.

April 7

Blue recycling bags are available at Fire Station 6 on the first Saturday of every month. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. 3591 Park Vista Rd.

May 8

AgriLife Water University—Made for the Shade: Shade Gardening. 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the Richardson Service Center, 1260 Columbia Dr. Free, but register at wateruniversity.tamu.edu/water-university-events.

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