



## Media Advisory

Department of Public Works

*Providing a clean, safe and healthy environment*

**Richmond, Virginia**

**The Honorable Mayor Levar M. Stoney**

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### **City Schedules Richmond E-Cycle Day September 14**

*~ Recycling beyond curbside to include biodegradable lawn and leaf bag give-away ~*

**WHO:** Department of Public Works

**WHAT:** Richmond E-Cycle Day

- **Document Shredding**
  - Up to five (5) boxes of documents. Be sure to remove all binders, staples and clips
- **Electronics** (various fees apply)
  - Computer systems (hard drive or CPU) and accessories (cables, wires, keyboards, mice, speakers, etc.) VCRs, camcorders, stereos and all phones
  - Televisions, computer monitors and printers
- **Biodegradable Lawn and Leaf Bag Give-Away** (proof of residency is required)
  - City residents will be given five (5) bags for leaf disposal, while supplies last
- **Recycle Bins**
  - Clean up and drop off your small curbside recycle bins for reuse in city schools
- **Pesticides, Herbicides and Oil-based Paints**
  - Bug spray, rodent poison and herbicides (Roundup, Weed B Gon etc.)
  - Note: Latex and water based paints will **not** be collected. *These items can be left in open paint cans until they have dried out and then put in with regular curbside trash pick-up.*
- **Note:** Our next event, Bring One for the Chipper, is scheduled for January 11, 2020.

**WHEN:** Saturday, September 14 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**WHERE:** 1710 Robin Hood Road (northeast corner of Robin Hood Road and North Arthur Ashe Boulevard)

**BACKGROUND:** The City of Richmond's *E-Cycle Day* offers City residents an efficient option to recycle electronics and paper, and to help keep hazardous waste materials out of city waterways, streams and rivers. This free event is available to city residents – proof of residency is required.

For more information on recycling, please visit us online at [Richmondgov.com/CommissionCleanCity/index.aspx](http://Richmondgov.com/CommissionCleanCity/index.aspx) or email us at [AskDPW@RichmondGov.com](mailto:AskDPW@RichmondGov.com)

We're Social! For updates on DPW-related projects, activities and events visit us on Twitter @DPW\_RichmondVA

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*The City of Richmond Department of Public Works (DPW) is one of only 146 accredited public works agencies in the United States. DPW's portfolio comprises a wide array of services to include leaf collection; street, sidewalk and alley maintenance; trash collection; recycling; urban forestry; signs; signals and pavement markings; grass cutting; graffiti removal; and parking. In addition, DPW issues permits for working in the city's right-of-way, manages Richmond's Bike Share program and maintains the fleet of city vehicles. DPW's operating budget comes from the general fund of the City of Richmond. For more information about DPW services, [click here](#) or call 3-1-1. We're Social! For updates on DPW-related projects, activities and events visit us on Twitter @DPW\_RichmondVA*