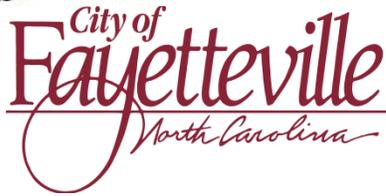




# News Release



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## Electronic Waste Drive Nov. 15 in Courthouse Parking Lot

FAYETTEVILLE – An Electronic Waste (e-waste) Drive will take place Saturday, Nov. 15, from 8 a.m. to noon in the Cumberland County Courthouse parking lot off Ottis Jones Parkway and Gillespie Street. The drive is part of an effort to reduce waste and support a 2011 state law that prohibits disposing of computer equipment, televisions and other electronics in North Carolina landfills.

Electronics that can be recycled include, but are not limited to: lamps, vacuums, televisions, DVD players, radios, old electronic cords, computers, blenders, and video game players. If an item has a cord, bring it. In addition to electronics, this year's drive will also accept used books and used cooking oil for recycling. Used cooking oil should be brought in a sealed container.

White goods, such as dishwashers and washing machines, as well as hazardous materials, will not be accepted at the drive.

The event is sponsored by the City of Fayetteville's Environmental Services Department, Cumberland County Solid Waste Management, Fayetteville Beautiful and Sustainable Sandhills. For additional information about the drive, contact Melinda Hakeman at 910-286-7027 or [Melinda\\_ann\\_moore@yahoo.com](mailto:Melinda_ann_moore@yahoo.com).

Cumberland County Solid Waste accepts electronics at all of its convenience centers year round during normal business hours. Go to [co.cumberland.nc.us/solid\\_waste](http://co.cumberland.nc.us/solid_waste) or call 910-321-6830 for more information.

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