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County Solid Waste Sites Offer Recycling for Computer Equipment and Televisions

FAYETTEVILLE, NC – Cumberland County residents are advised that county solid waste sites offer recycling for televisions and computer equipment, which as of July 1 are banned from North Carolina landfills.

These electronics may be recycled at any of the 17 county container sites.

“The Cumberland County Department of Solid Waste has been recycling electronics for years and each of our container sites collects these items to keep them out of our landfills,” said Jan Daniel, the Safety/Recycling Coordinator for the Department of Solid Waste.

Session Law 2010-67 bans from landfill disposal televisions and computer equipment, which includes laptops, desktops, monitors, printers, scanners and peripherals such as mice and keyboards. Other components of the law are designed to create recycling opportunities for discarded electronics across the state and to place significant responsibilities on electronics manufacturers to help fund and create those opportunities.

For a list of container sites and recycling centers in Cumberland County, visit http://www.co.cumberland.nc.us/solid_waste.aspx.