Date: December 15, 2022
To: Thomas B. Modica, City Manager
From: Eric Lopez, Director of Public Works
For: Mayor and Members of the City Council
Subject: Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Reuse Center Now Open

In partnership with the Los Angeles County Department of Public Works, the Environmental Services Bureau is excited to announce the opening of a Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Reuse Center for the greater Long Beach community. Funded by CalRecycle, the Los Angeles County Department of Public Works has opened a Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Reuse Center at the EDCO Recycling and Transfer Center (EDCO) in the City of Signal Hill. The HHW Reuse Center diverts reusable household hazardous material from the waste stream, saves money on the purchase of new items, and reduces the cost of disposal. The Reuse Center is open during the same operating hours as the HHW/E-Waste collection events, which operate on the second and fourth Saturdays of the month between the hours of 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. Holiday closures may apply.

EDCO Recycling & Transfer
2755 California Ave.
Signal Hill, CA 90755
Open 2nd and 4th Saturday of each month from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

Household hazardous waste products that are dropped off during the HHW/E-Waste events will be inspected, and if they meet the established criteria, will be made available for free for residents in the Reuse Center. Common products in the Reuse Center may include household cleaners, lawn and garden care, paint, and more. Residents may choose up to five items per week, per household, to take home with them at no cost. Products and availability may vary.

For more information about the HHW Reuse Center, please see the attached flyer. Additional information and resources regarding the safe disposal of household hazardous waste, e-waste, and tires are available at www.longbeach.gov/lbrecycles.

If you have any questions, please contact Diko Melkonian, Environmental Services Bureau Manager/Deputy Director of Public Works at (562) 570-2856.

ATTACHMENTS: HHW REUSE CENTER FLYER

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Household Hazardous Waste Reuse Centers are Now Open!

Help reduce waste by picking up FREE available products to use at home!

Los Angeles County residents can pick up FREE products such as household cleaners, lawn and garden products, paint and more. Products and availability will vary.

Visit our two permanent Household Hazardous Waste Collection Centers. LA County residents can take home partially used household, yard, and car care products for FREE. It can save you money on the purchase of items and it reduces the cost of disposing of perfectly good products.

EDCO
2755 California Ave.
Signal Hill, CA 90755
9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Open every 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month

AVECC
1200 City Ranch Rd.
Palmdale, CA 93551
9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Open every 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month

It’s easy!
You don’t need to drop anything off to pick up an item. Be sure to stop at any of our two centers next time you need any products for a project. You can choose up to five items per week, per household. That way we have enough free items for everyone who uses the Reuse Center. It’s easy and it’s FREE!

For more information visit CLEANLA.COM or call (888) 253-2652, M-TH 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
¡Los Centros de Reutilización de Residuos Domésticos Peligrosos ya están abiertos!

Los residentes del condado de Los Ángeles pueden recoger productos GRATIS, como productos de limpieza para el hogar, productos para el césped y el jardín, pintura y más. Los productos y la disponibilidad variarán.

¡Ayuda a reducir el desperdicio tomando productos disponibles GRATIS para usar en casa!

¡Nuestro Programa de Centros de Reutilización ya está abierto! Visite nuestros dos Centros permanentes de Recolección de Desechos Domésticos Peligrosos. Los residentes del condado de Los Ángeles pueden llevarse a casa gratuitamente productos parcialmente usados para el hogar, el jardín y el cuidado del automóviles. Pueden ahorrarle dinero en la compra de artículos y reducir el costo de descharajar productos que están en buenas condiciones. ¡Es fácil!

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No necesita dejar nada para recoger un artículo. Asegúrese de visitar cualquiera de nuestros dos centros la próxima vez que necesite algún producto para un proyecto. Puede elegir hasta cinco artículos por semana, por hogar. De esa manera, tenemos suficientes artículos gratuitos para todos los que usan el Centro de reutilización. ¡Es fácil y es GRATIS!

Para más información, visite CLEANLA.COM o llame al (888) 253-2652, lunes a jueves de 7 a.m. a 5:30 p.m.