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**RECYCLE ANN ARBOR ANNOUNCES
Expanded Summer 2014 Service Day at the Drop-Off Station**

*Effective 06/09/14 Recycle Ann Arbor's Drop-Off Station will be open on
Mondays, 8:30am-1:30pm (until 08/25/14)*

Introducing Customer Requested Service Changes

Recycle Ann Arbor, a national leader in recycling and waste programs, announces that for summer 2014, **the Drop-Off Station (DOS) will expand its operation days to also be open on Mondays, 8:30am-1:30pm.** This additional operation day **will begin on Monday, June 9th and go through Monday, August 25th** to better accommodate our customers this summer.

Recycle Ann Arbor strives to continually increase customer satisfaction and we take customer feedback seriously. **During recent on-site surveys, customers specified that Monday was the preferred additional day they would like to see the DOS open.** To provide customers with a requested service and an additional opportunity to recycle, we have chosen to open for half-a-day (8:30am-1:30pm) on Mondays this summer.

The Drop-Off Station, located at 2950 E. Ellsworth Road, targets recyclable materials originating from homes and small businesses. It is the largest public drop-off

site in Michigan. Customers bring a range of waste types to the site, and Recycle Ann Arbor works to limit the amount of this material sent to landfill. Currently around 50% of the material brought to the DOS is sent for recycling.

With payment of the general entry fee (\$3.00), customers can bring in a wide range of materials including:

- Plastic #1- #7 (*excluding #3*)
- Rigid plastics such and plastic totes and lawn furniture
- Glass containers
- Paper, books, and magazines
- Cardboard
- Metal items such as microwaves, dishwashers, and bicycles (*excludes Freon appliances which have a fee*)
- Up to 3 bags of textiles
- Styrofoam
- Plastic Bags
- Small Household Appliances such as vacuums and coffee makers
- Automotive and Rechargeable Batteries
- Motor Oil, Brake Fluid and Transmission Fluid
- Packing Peanuts
- CPUs and Laptops

Other items such as televisions, car tires, and mattresses are accepted for additional fees. For a full list of materials and details on fees please visit www.recycleannarbor.org

In addition to being open on Mondays (8:30am -1:30pm) this summer, the Drop-Off Station is regularly open Tuesday and Thursday, 8:30am – 6:30pm, and Saturdays 9:00am to 6:00pm. 734-971-7400

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