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June 27th E-waste Collection Event

NOT IN THE TRASH

Do you have old, broken or unwanted computers, televisions or other home electronic items that you want to dispose of? Well, don't place them in the trash! Instead, help keep the harmful substances in these items out of our landfills by bringing your e-waste to the Fountain Valley Civic Center behind the Day Care Center on Saturday, June 27, between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. and dispose of them free!

Unfortunately, these products can contain toxic substances like lead, cadmium, and mercury that can contaminate the land, water, and air. Acceptable household e-waste items include televisions, PC systems, laptops, monitors, home entertainment systems, cell phones, desktop copiers, printers, fax machines, keyboards, DVD and VCR players, audio devices, and loose wires in working condition or not. Items **not accepted** are fluorescent lamps, microwaves, vacuums, and cooling units such as refrigerators. When improperly disposed, hazardous waste can have a serious impact on health and the environment. Business waste not accepted.

For more information, visit our website at www.fountainvalley.org. If you have questions on qualifying e-waste products, please call Wendy Lee at (714) 593-4550 ext. 215 or e-mail wendy.lee@fountainvalley.org.



