



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

RECYCLE YOUR TREE AFTER CHRISTMAS

Citizens invited to “Bring One for the Chipper”

Forsyth County, Georgia – Keep Forsyth County Beautiful (KFCB) invites residents to continue their annual post-holiday tradition of recycling their Christmas trees during the “Bring One for the Chipper” event from December 26 through January 30. Last year, Forsyth County recycled more than 4,000 trees.

Christmas trees can be dropped off at locations throughout the county where a wood chipper will process the trees into mulch.

“Forsyth County residents have recycled more than 98,000 Christmas trees since the county began participating in the ‘Bring One for the Chipper’ program in 1994,” said Environmental Program Manager Tammy Wright. “We are looking forward to another great turnout this year.”

On the designated dates and times, Christmas trees can be dropped off at the following locations:

Home Depot - 1000 Market Place Boulevard
Accepting trees only January 2, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Please, no trees at this site after 4 p.m. on January 2

Home Depot - 2635 Peachtree Parkway
Accepting trees only January 2, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Please, no trees at this site after 4 p.m. on January 2

Vickery Creek Elementary School - 6280 Post Road
Accepting trees December 26 through January 2, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Please, no trees at this site after 4 p.m. on January 2

Tolbert Street Recycling Convenience Center - 351 Tolbert Street
(770) 781-2176, open Monday - Saturday, 7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Accepting trees starting at 1 p.m. on December 26 through January 30

Old Atlanta Recycling Convenience Center - 3678 Old Atlanta Road
(770) 205-3010, open Monday - Saturday, 7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Accepting trees starting at 1 p.m. on December 26 through January 30

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**Coal Mountain Recycling Convenience Center - 3560 Settingdown Road
(770) 781-2071, open Monday - Saturday, 7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
*Accepting trees starting at 1 p.m. December 26 through January 30***

Please note that all three recycling convenience centers will be closed Friday, January 1, in observance of New Year's Day and Monday, January 18, in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

Wood chips made from the recycled trees will be available for county residents, just inside Coal Mountain Park at 3560 Settingdown Road. Residents are responsible for loading and hauling their own wood chips.

For more information visit www.keepforsythcountybeautiful.org or call KFCB at (770) 205-4573.

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