Event to feature Pharmaceutical Take Back, E-Waste Drive and Paper Shredding

Farmingville, NY - Councilwoman Jane Bonner has announced that she will sponsor the First Annual Go Green event on Saturday, September 7 at the Rose Caracappa Senior Center located at 739 Route 25A in Mount Sinai. The event features a Pharmaceutical Take Back from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm, Paper Shredding from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm and an E-Waste Drive from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Representatives from Recyclebank will also be in attendance to speak with residents about how they can earn rewards for green actions.

Representatives of the Town's Office of Energy and Sustainability will be in attendance to speak about home energy efficiency programs that are available to Brookhaven residents.

"Each of these events on their own has been very successful in the past, and I expect my first Go Green event to have the same results," said Councilwoman Bonner. "I urge residents to clean out their medicine cabinets, file cabinets, draws and closets so we can all do our part in making the environment a greener and cleaner place to live."

The following items can be recycled at the E-Waste event.

- TVs
- VCR & DVD players
- Computer mice
- Printers
- Calculators
- Hard Drives
- Electronic Typewriters
- Circuit boards
- Projectors
- Camcorders
- Laptops
- Power Supplies
- Radios/Stereos
- Servers
- Backup batteries
- PDAs
- Mainframes
- Pagers
- Monitors
- Routers
- Telephones
- Scanners
- Cell phones
- Answering machine
- Hubs
- Modems
- Fax machines
- Keyboards
- Copiers
- Cables
- Gameboys & other hand held electronic toys
The Pharmaceutical Take Back will accept any and all prescriptions and over-the-counter medications. By safely disposing these items, residents will help keep unwanted medications out of the hands of children, and out of our groundwater.

At the Paper Shredding event, residents can bring their papers in boxes or bags to be safely and securely shredded and recycled. Documents can remain stapled together, but rubber bands, paper clips and other metal must be removed.

For more information about Councilwoman Bonner's First Annual Go Green Event, please call (631) 451-6964 or e-mail CouncilwomanBonner@Brookhaven.org.

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