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Yolo County Partners to Offer Appliance Rebates BUY-RECYCLE-SAVE

(Woodland, CA) – Yolo County’s Planning & Public Works Division of Integrated Waste Management has partnered with the California Energy Commission to promote energy conservation by recycling old appliances and encouraging consumers to replace those appliances with qualified energy-efficient models through the California Cash for Appliances rebate program. The rebate program is being launched on Earth Day, April 22, 2010 and will continue through May 23, 2010.

Under the California Cash for Appliances program, Yolo County residents may receive a \$200 rebate on qualified refrigerators, a \$100 rebate on qualified washing machines, and a \$50 rebate on qualified air conditioners. The program is first come, first served, and will continue until funds are depleted.

“It is estimated that residents can cut their energy load by up to 70% with the use of a new energy-efficient clothes washer alone,” said Yolo County Board of Supervisors Chairwoman Helen M. Thomson. “Yolo County is excited to promote this program in celebration of Earth Day to assist our residents in saving money on their utility bills while also conserving energy and protecting our environment.”

Consumers interested in the California Cash for Appliance rebate must recycle their old appliances through a certified appliance recycler in order to receive a rebate. The Yolo County Central Landfill, located at 44090 County Road 28H in Woodland, is a certified Cash for Appliance Partner that will recycle these appliances for a nominal fee and provide Yolo County residents with the required documentation needed to claim their rebate.

For more information about this program, contact Marissa Juhler, Yolo County Waste Reduction and Sustainability Manager at (530) 666-8813 or visit: www.cash4appliances.org.

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