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Used Oil Recycling Event to be Held in the South Bay

CITY ANNOUNCES FALL/WINTER SCHEDULE OF FREE USED AUTO PRODUCT RECYCLING EVENTS

San Diego – City of San Diego residents are encouraged to bring their used or leftover oil and oil filters, as well as fluorescent light bulbs and household batteries, for recycling at the Environmental Services Department’s [Used Auto Product Recycling Event](#) on **Saturday, Oct. 29 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.** The event will be held at **Southwest High School at 1685 Hollister St. (south parking lot) in Otay Mesa.**

Additional recycling events are scheduled on:

Saturday, Dec. 3, 2016	School of Creative & Performing Arts	2425 Dusk Drive (Between Alta View and Parkside drives)	San Diego, CA 92139
Saturday, Jan. 28, 2017	Qualcomm Stadium	9449 Friars Road (Near Section J)	San Diego, CA 92108

A few important details:

- Used motor oil, oil filters, contaminated oil and antifreeze are accepted;
- The City also accepts fluorescent light bulbs, car batteries and household batteries;
- The service is FREE to City of San Diego residents only;
- No commercial or business waste will be accepted;
- Maximum transportation limit: 10 gallons or 125 pounds.

“Earlier this month, more than 400 residents dropped off over 560 gallons of used oil and antifreeze, as well as over a ton of used batteries at our Balboa Park recycling event,” said Environmental Services Department’s Hazardous Materials Program Manager Joy Newman.

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For additional information on private businesses that accept used oil, oil filters or vehicle batteries year-round, [click here](#).

These events are funded by the City of San Diego Environmental Services Department and a grant from the state Department of Resources, Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle). For more information about the events, call the Environmental Services Department at 858-694-7000.

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