

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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**Fort Atkinson Electronics Collection Site Opening April 3, 2020**

Jefferson County Solid Waste & Air Quality Committee would like to thank Yerges Van Lines and the City of Fort Atkinson Public Works Department for partnering with us in establishing a permanent electronic collection site. Yerges donated a semi-trailer for the storage of unwanted electronics and the City of Fort Atkinson placed this trailer at the city's compost site. The compost site is located east of Whitewater Avenue on Bark River Drive behind Memorial Park. The site will open April 3, 2010 and the hours of operation are Wednesday 3:00 P.M. until dusk and Saturday 9:00 A.M. until 3:00 P.M. The site will accept TVs, computers, DVD players, printers, electronic games, all the cords for the units and other electronics. For a complete list of electronics go to the Jefferson County website [www.jeffersoncountywi.gov](http://www.jeffersoncountywi.gov). We also partnered with the City of Watertown and Town of Ixonia for electronic collections. The site locations and hours of operations are on our website. We will not be collecting electronics at Clean Sweep this year because we will have the three new collection sites. The electronics will be properly disposed of by URT Processing in Janesville. URT Processing has a state contract and is DNR approved for disposal of electronics in the State of Wisconsin. When you see a city council member or someone from Yerges, thank them for giving you a convenient way of properly disposing of your electronics.

**City of Fort Atkinson Compost Site**

**Located east of Whitewater Avenue on Bark River Drive behind Memorial Park**

**Opening April 3, 2010**

**Hours of Operation**

**Wednesday 3:00 P.M. to Dusk    Saturday 9:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.**

**Free of charge to all residents living south of USH 18 including  
the City of Jefferson and the Town of Jefferson**

**Watertown Recycling Center**

**720 Cady Street, Watertown, WI 53094**

**Opening February 1, 2010**

**Hours of Operation**

**Daily M-F 7:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. – Free of charge to residents living north of USH 18 and  
open to all residents when the other sites are closed.**

**Ixonia Transfer Station**

**W1276 Elmwood Avenue, Ixonia, WI 53036**

**Opening February 1, 2010**

**Hours of Operation**

**Saturday 8:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. (All year)**

**Wednesday 3:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M. (Mar 1 to Nov 30)**

**Wednesday 3:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. (Dec 1 to Feb 28)**

**Electronic Waste - \$2.00 Handling Fee**

**All residents of Jefferson County can use this site.**

Remember, it will be the resident's responsibility to unload his/her own electronics. All residents and schools can use these sites. All businesses have to properly dispose of their electronic waste by contacting a responsible collector. Last fall, the Wisconsin Legislature passed ACT 50 which bans electronics from landfills. A copy of the law is posted on the Jefferson County website.