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SARA HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION SCHEDULED FOR APRIL

Wilson County Residents Encouraged to Attend Collection Event

STOCKDALE, TX – The San Antonio River Authority (SARA) in partnership with Wilson County are hosting a free Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event on Saturday, April 22, from 8 AM – Noon, at Precinct 4 Yard, 104 Mesquite Street, Stockdale, TX. Residents of Wilson County are encouraged to stop by to dispose of unwanted hazardous waste, tires, electronics, and more.

“SARA’s Household Hazardous Waste Collection events provide Wilson County residents with an opportunity to dispose of hazardous material in a safe environment,” said Wilson County Judge Jackson. “Whether you have one container of hazardous waste or several, everyone is encouraged to take advantage of this free event.”

Residents may bring any of the following items:

- **Hazardous Waste:** Paint, Motor Oil & Filters, Cleaning Products, Pool Chemicals, & More
- **Tires:** Light Duty Truck Tires (Must be removed from rim)
- **Electronics:** Small Electronic Appliances, TV’s, Computers & Their Components, & More
- **Pharmaceuticals:** Unwanted, Expired Prescriptions, Vet Medication, & More (*Made possible through the Wilson County Sheriff’s Office*)

“Last year’s collection events brought in over 30,000 pounds of household hazardous waste from Wilson County residents alone,” said SARA General Manager Suzanne Scott. “We are pleased that strong participation continues for the collection events and that residents value the convenient alternative to properly dispose of unwanted items.”

For a full list of items that will or will not be accepted, contact Yliana Flores, SARA Intergovernmental Relations Coordinator, at 1-866-345-7272, ext. 3228, or visit the events page at www.sara-tx.org.

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The San Antonio River Authority (SARA) was created by the 45th Texas Legislature on May 5, 1937 and reorganized in 1961 to plan, manage and implement water-related programs and projects within the San Antonio River Watershed. The State of Texas empowered SARA to preserve, protect and manage the resources and the ecology of the San Antonio River and its tributaries. To learn more about the SARA, visit our website at www.sara-tx.org.