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RE: Fall Clean Up for North Mason Residents

Mason County Utilities and Waste Management will conduct a Fall Clean Up event in Belfair, October 19th-31st. County residents must call 275-6462 after October 1st to sign up to bring their materials to the Belfair facility at 1611 Sand Hill Rd.

Materials that will be accepted at no charge include brush, leaves and grass clippings, along with branches that are up to four inches in diameter and six feet in length. Old lawn furniture and fencing will also be accepted at no charge. There will be a charge for household garbage, appliances, and furniture so please keep those items separated.

The facility also accepts used motor oil, oil filters hydraulic oil, and household batteries everyday at no charge. The free recycling drop boxes include receptacles for newspapers, magazines, corrugated cardboard, mixed paper, tin and aluminum cans, and plastic bottles and jugs.

If you have items that are set to go to the landfill but that still have life left in them, check out the new County sponsored reusable materials website---www.2good2toss.com. It's a free on-line local classifieds where you can post, browse or buy reusable building materials and household goods. All items must be either given away or priced under \$99. The site is new so check back often for new postings. The site is sponsored by Mason County Utilities and Waste Management and the WA State Department of Ecology.

If there are questions, please contact Shannon McClelland, Recycling Coordinator, 432-5126.

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