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PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

From: Richmond Sanitary District
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PSA: Good Trash and Recycle Habits for Stormwater

To help keep Richmond free of trash that can end up in our local waterways here are a few simple reminders to put in place for 2015.

Richmond now has the automated trash trucks that pick up the Green Rosie Rollers and empty them into the top of the truck. They are quite efficient, but may tend to have loose, lightweight items escape at times. To prevent this from occurring please bag and tie your trash going into your trash container to help keep it from escaping on its way to the landfill.

The recyclables that you put in your Blue Richie Rollers should NOT be put in bags, but left loose in the bin. The recyclables are collected and then taken to the MRF (Materials Recycling Facility) and sorted by the type of material. Due to the sorting process of the MRF items cannot be placed into bags.

When materials escape from the collection process they may end up as litter on our streets or in our curb drains. When they enter the drains or get blown into local streams or other waterbodies they become stormwater pollution. Help keep



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Richmond clean by properly disposing of your trash and recyclables.

Remember: ONLY RAIN IN THE STORM DRAIN – anything else is a pollutant.

If you are in Richmond and need a container for your trash or recyclable materials call the Richmond Sanitary District at 765-983-7450 and request a green Rosie Roller for trash or a blue Richie Roller for recyclables. This public service announcement is brought to you by the City of Richmond and the Richmond Sanitary District.

Past PSAs and brochures can be found on the Richmond recycling and stormwater webpages:

www.richmondindiana.gov/recycling

www.richmondindiana.gov/stormwater

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