

Craighead County Regional Solid Waste Management District



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Who are we?

- We are one of 19 Solid Waste Management Districts in the State.
- We are a one-county District (Craighead).
- We are responsible for the collection and disposal of all solid waste within our district.
- We are also responsible for administering recycling grants within the district.



Recycling

- Automobile, Truck, and Equipment Tires.
- Metal Products (steel, aluminum, copper)
- Electronic Wastes
- Lead-Acid Batteries
- Blue Bag Program (All Grades of Plastics, All Colors of Glass, Aluminum Cans and Tin Cans)



Recycling (continued)

- Abilities Unlimited, Inc. is our source for processing the “Blue Bag” recyclables and electronic waste.
- Abilities Unlimited is a non-profit workshop and training facility for the developmentally disabled providing employment and housing opportunities for clients.
- Mission Statement: **Improving the living and working conditions of individuals with disabilities.**



Recycling (continued)

Electronic Waste



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E-Waste Collection

- Primarily electronic waste is dropped off at the Legacy Landfill, Abilities Unlimited (806 Burke St., Jonesboro) or the Suddenlink Cable Office.
- There is no charge for drop-off at any facility.
- When a large quantity of material is to be picked up AU has a 2-ton “Bob” truck to collect and transport to their facility.



E-Waste Collection (continued)



E-Waste Collection (continued)

- For Business customers there may be a \$35.00 pickup charge for collection.
- The District collects E-waste in “gaylord” pallet boxes at Legacy Landfill and AU will send their truck to transport to their facility.
- Suddenlink has a box trailer at their facility for the public to drop off e-waste and Suddenlink will transport it to AU.



Processing

- AU employs up to two non-disabled supervisors to work with up to three disabled clients.
- AU will disassemble all the equipment that has a salvage value and sort into electronic circuit boards, power supplies, hard drives, metal cases and components, etc.



Processing (continued)

- Sorted electronic components (circuit boards, etc.) will be boxed on pallets for shipment to Nilo-Tech in St. Louis for further processing.
- Scrap metal is shipped to PSC Metals in Paragould, AR.
- All nonrecyclable parts and plastic cases are sent to Legacy Landfill.



Financial Information

- The CCRSWMD receives \$79,955.00 per year.
- The District pays AU \$5,000.00 per month for a total of \$60,000.00 per year.
- Abilities supplements the grant money with approximately 10% of AU money.
- Without the grant funds AU would be forced to cease the e-waste program.



Financial Information (continued)

CCRSWMD E-Waste Program Fund				
Date	Balance	Debits	Credits	Memo
12/31/2017	\$ -			
1/8/2018	\$ 79,955.00		\$ 79,955.00	2018 Grant Income
2018	\$ 19,955.00	\$60,000.00		Ability Unlimited Processing
2018	\$ 7,205.00	\$12,750.00		Electronics Recycling Billboard
2018	\$ 7,064.47	\$ 140.53		Purchase Check for E-waste Account
11/1/2018	\$ 87,019.47		\$ 79,955.00	2019 Grant Income
12/31/2018	\$ 87,019.47			Year End Balance
2019	\$ 27,019.47	\$60,000.00		Ability Unlimited Processing
10/24/2019	\$ 106,974.47		\$ 79,955.00	2020 Grant Income
12/31/2019	\$ 106,974.47			Year End Balance

Without future E-Waste Grants Abilities Unlimited can continue to operate for 21 months.



Financial Information (continued)

- In 2019 104,000 pounds of electronic waste was collected in Craighead County.
- The sale of the recycled material returned \$5,600.00 to Abilities Unlimited to support their mission.
- An estimated \$2,500.00 in inventory remains to be processed.



Questions?



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