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CALLS BEING TAKEN FOR SENIOR APPLIANCE PICKUP SERVICE

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DELAWARE, Oh., Feb. 14, 2011 – Keep Delaware County Beautiful is again taking calls for the Senior Appliance Pickup service.

Delaware County residents aged 60 and older can get large appliances and home computer components picked up from their homes for recycling for free. To get the service, phone Keep Delaware County Beautiful, located at the Delaware General Health District, at 740-368-1700.

The first to call will be the first served, and requests will be logged while funding remains available. The service assisted 63 households last year.

Chaffin and Sons Moving of Marysville has been hired to perform the pickup chores. The movers will accept home computers and computer components, ranges, refrigerators, freezers, washers, dryers, microwave ovens, dishwashers, and dehumidifiers. Television sets and non-computer electronics will not be accepted.

Additional appliance and home computer recycling opportunities for residents ineligible for the Senior Pickup will be announced in the near future.

The Senior Appliance Pickup service is funded primarily by the Council for Older Adults of Delaware County with additional support from the Delaware General Health District, which operates Keep Delaware County Beautiful. The service was suggested by local seniors, and won a statewide award for recycling innovation in 2005.