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Montco Commissioners Sponsor Free Community Paper Shredding Event in Limerick
Saturday, July 16, 2016 from 9:00am to 12:00pm

Limerick, PA (July 11, 2016) – The Montgomery County Commissioners, in conjunction with Shred One Security Corp., will be sponsoring a free community paper shredding event on Saturday, July 16, 2016 from 9:00am to noon, rain or shine, at Western Montgomery Career & Technology Center, 77 Graterford Road, Limerick, PA 19468. This is the first Community Paper Shredding event for 2016.

Montgomery County residents who have paper and documents that should be shredded are encouraged to take advantage of this free event. Please make sure that there are no plastic, plastic bags, batteries, cardboard, or metal, other than staples and paper clips in the waste. Bring documents in boxes or paper bags for ease of shredding on site; two boxes or paper bags per vehicle limit in consideration of other attendees. Volunteers will assist with removing documents from vehicles. This event is open to residents of Montgomery County as a community service. Please, no businesses. Please note, capacity is limited and the event must close when the trucks are full.

"Shredding of documents has become important in our lives today for several reasons, not the least of which is the threat of identity theft," said Josh Shapiro, chairman of the Montgomery County Commissioners. "We believe this service is useful, necessary, and will be appreciated by our residents, and we are very grateful to Shred One for their assistance."

Shred One regularly participates in community shredding event. Mobile shredding trucks perform all of the paper shredding on site. All shredded paper is recycled. Shred One is currently recycling paper at a rate which saves over 70,000 trees annually.

For additional information, please visit www.MontgomeryCountyRecycles.org or call the recycling line at 610-278-3618. Please do not contact the host sites.

<u>The remaining 2016 Community Paper Shredding Events are:</u>

Saturday, July 23
Abington Junior High School
2056 Susquehanna Road
Abington, PA 19001

SUNDAY, October 23
Lower Merion Transfer Station
1300 North Woodbine Avenue
Penn Valley, PA 19072

All events 9:00am – 12:00pm (rain or shine)

Please find the 2016 Community Paper Shredding Events flyer at:

http://www.montcopa.org/DocumentCenter/View/8560.