

## Hard to Recycle Day in Armstrong County is a success!

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The 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Spring “Hard to Recycle” Day collected over 1742 pounds of cardboard, newspapers, bottles, cans for Armstrong County. The event was held April 30th, at the Hilltop Plaza Wal-Mart. In addition to the regular recyclables, items collected included: tires, lead-acid batteries, freon containing appliances, scrap metal and motor oil. The total amount of hard-to-recycle items received was:

Tires	19.25 tons
Pharmaceuticals	71.5 lbs.
Electronics	2600 lbs.
Lead-acid batteries	9 units
Appliances with freon	23 units
Scrap metal	2.35 tons
Motor Oil	212 gals.

“Hard to Recycle” Day is sponsored by the Armstrong County Board of Commissioners, the Progressive Workshop of Armstrong County, the Armstrong Recycling Center, the Armstrong County District Attorney’s Office and the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection. Special thanks go to the volunteers for helping, the Armstrong-Indiana Drug and Alcohol

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Commission for covering the advertisement costs, County Controller Myra Miller for donating lunch for the volunteers, and to Wal-Mart for the use of their parking lot. The County will hold a "Household Hazardous Waste" collection event on June 18, 2011.

For additional information or a list of items to be collected please visit [www.co.armstrong.pa.us](http://www.co.armstrong.pa.us) and go to Household Hazardous Waste Collection.

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