

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE



CONTACT:

Melissa Greenfield
804.662.5508
mgreenfield@retailmerchants.com
www.retailmerchants.com

COMMUNITY INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN ANNUAL RECYCLE DAY AT RMA
First 200 participants to receive free Chick-fil-A sandwich coupon

RICHMOND, VA, Nov. 9, 2018 – It's time to clean house! Retail Merchants (RMA), in partnership with Keep Virginia Beautiful (KVB), is pleased to announce the return of Recycle Day: a drive-thru recycling event to be held at RMA on Friday, Nov. 16, from 10am until 2pm.

The free event brings together organizations from across the city including: **Goodwill, ProShred, Central Virginia Waste Management Authority, TFC Recycling,** and **Sims Metal Management** who will accept items including but not limited to: glass, cardboard, aluminum cans, newspapers, household paper, magazines, phone books, plastic bottles, clothing, shoes, furniture, domestics (sheets, towels), collectibles, jewelry, antiques, books, household (dishes, housewares), working flat-panel televisions, DVDs, CDs, records, tapes, small electronics (radios, clocks, lamps), accessories (handbags, belts, scarves), computers, laptops, printers, monitors, hard drives, motherboards, RAM chips, cases, cables, copiers, plotters, telephone systems, and all plastic bags.

Additionally, each individual may bring up to three (3) boxes or bags of paper to be shredded.

Puritan Cleaners will also be accepting gently used coats of all sizes for their annual Coats for Kids Campaign. The coats will be cleaned and repaired before being delivered to the Salvation Army for distribution to those in need.

While the event is free, participants are encouraged to bring non-perishable foods to donate to **FeedMore**.

The first 200 participants will receive a free sandwich voucher for **Chick-fil-A** at Willow Lawn.

RMA is located at 5101 Monument Avenue at the intersection of Willow Lawn Drive. For a full list of accepted items and specific donation guidelines, participants can visit retailmerchants.com.

###

RETAIL MERCHANTS

Retail Merchants (RMA) is a membership organization that does everything with retailers in mind and has held its members' best interests at heart since 1906.

RMA champions the success of retailers and related businesses by promoting being loyal to local, using their voice to protect the rights of retailers, and educating and inspiring the retail community through events and programs.

Mission Statement: To serve as the ultimate resource for local retailers to thrive.

For more details about Retail Merchants visit retailmerchants.com.

KEEP VIRGINIA BEAUTIFUL

Keep Virginia Beautiful (KVB), founded in 1953, is an organization whose mission is “to engage and unite Virginians to improve our natural scenic environment.”

For more details about Keep Virginia Beautiful visit [keepvirginiabeautiful.org](https://www.keepvirginiabeautiful.org).