

NEWS RELEASE

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MASON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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TO: KMAS, KRXY, SHELTON-MASON COUNTY JOURNAL, THE OLYMPIAN, SHELTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, NORTH MASON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, CITY OF SHELTON, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL, THE SUN

RE: County Waste and Recycling Facilities to change hours

Mason County Utilities and Waste Management will be adjusting the hours of operation of their facilities to better serve citizens. As part of an ongoing effort to improve available services, the drop box sites for garbage and recycling in Union and Hoodspport will be open from 9-4 on Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays, every week. The Union drop box is located on McReavy Road, and the Hoodspport drop box is on Foothills Drive, next to Foothills Park. This change will give residents of these areas three full days to dispose of wastes and to do their recycling.

Seven day a week opportunities will continue in Belfair and Shelton. The drop box on Sand Hill in Belfair will be open from 9-4 daily, and the main transfer station on Eells Hill Road in Shelton will be open from 8-4 daily.

These changes will go into effect on March 1, 2008.

For more information about locations and materials accepted, please see our web site at www.co.mason.wa.us/utilities_waste or call (360) 427-7771.

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