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State of Colorado Employees Recycle eWaste

Denver, Colorado --- The Governor's Greening Government Council, led by the Departments of Regulatory Agencies, Higher Education, Health Care Policy and Financing, Natural Resources and Transportation and the Governor's Energy Office, held its first personal electronics recycling event for state employees on September 4 and 5, 2008. Thanks to a generous grant from Best Buy and support from Guaranteed Recycling Xperts (GRX), all items were recycled for free.

Recycling services were provided by GRX, which is recognized by the Basel Action Network (BAN) as an E-Steward — one of North America's most responsible recyclers. This means that GRX promises to uphold BAN's pledge of true stewardship.

As an E-steward, GRX pledges that the e-waste they handle will not be exported to developing countries or disposed in a landfill or incinerator, and that their operation meets best practices, as well as ensuring that others involved in the recycling chain are meeting all applicable environmental standards.

State of Colorado employees recycled 53,469 pounds of electronics at this two day event.



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