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Get into the Game...Recycle! **2nd Annual Carolina/Clemson Office Paper Recycling Challenge**

University of South Carolina and Clemson University fans will face off once again in the “battle of the bin”. This year’s Carolina/Clemson Office Paper Recycling Challenge will take place the week of November 15-21.

Lexington County Solid Waste Management is coordinating the challenge and encourages fans to bring their office paper to any of the County’s 11 Collection and Recycling Centers during the week of November 15-21 and recycle it in the cart representing their team. Lexington County Solid Waste Management will weigh all of the bins and the team with the heaviest weight, the most paper recycled, will win this year’s challenge. The Collection Centers are open Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday from 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. and Sundays from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. The centers are closed on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

The following paper can be recycled in the County’s “office paper” bins and will count toward Challenge totals:

- Plain uncoated paper, any color
- NCR/carbonless forms, any color
- Notebook paper, any color
- Computer paper, all types
- Receipts/tickets, any color
- Stationery/letterhead, any color
- Copy paper/copies, any color
- All fax paper
- Self-adhesive notes, any color
- Card stock, any color
- Envelopes without plastic windows, any color except manila/gold
- Laser/ink jet copies, any color
- Cash register/adding machine tape
- Message notes, any color
- Typing paper

Participating fans will have the opportunity to win prizes, including one year of free curbside service from Southland Sanitation or Earthwaste. This year’s sponsors are Waste Management, Southland Sanitation, Earthwaste, and Sonoco Recycling.

Remember to get into the game and recycle your office paper the week of November 15-21. Carolina won last year’s “battle of the bin”. Who will win this year?

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