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Christmas Tree Chipping at Sedgwick County Extension Center

(Sedgwick County, Kansas) – After you have carved the turkey, trimmed the tree, and opened gifts, what is left to do? Turn your Christmas Tree into mulch! Sedgwick County will hold a “tree chipping” media event on Friday, December 26 at the Sedgwick County Extension Service, 21st and Ridge Road, at 10 a.m.

Residents of Sedgwick County can bring their Christmas Trees—minus the decorations—to any of a number of locations throughout Sedgwick County between December 22 and January 23. There is no cost for residents for the service.

The trees will be periodically chipped into mulch. Residents of Sedgwick County are welcome to take the mulch home at no charge as well.

“We provide this service to the residents of Sedgwick County as a way to reduce the amount of trees that are thrown away,” said Sedgwick County Commission Chairman Tim Norton. “This service also allows residents to make use of a needed and natural product.”

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Residents who wish to recycle their Christmas Trees should look for the “Spread Your Christmas Cheer” signs at the following participating recycle locations:

In Wichita:

- Boston Park
6655 E. Zimmerly
- Botanica
701 Amidon
- Buffalo Park
10209 Hardtner
- Edgemoor Park
5815 E. 9th
- Extension Office
7001 W. 21st St. N.
- Great Plains Nature Center
6232 E. 29th St.
- Osage Park
2121 W. 31st St. South
- South Linwood Park
Hydraulic & Mt. Vernon

Other Cities in Sedgwick County:

- Cheney
East South Avenue & Garfield
- Clearwater
Brush dump
- Colwich
115 S. 3rd Street
- Garden Plain
Main St. & 23rd St
- Kechi
220 W. Kechi Rd.
- Maize
12000 W. 29th St. N.
- Mount Hope
400 S. St. Thomas
- Mulvane
117 E. Main St.
- Park City
6801 N. Hydraulic
- Valley Center
City Park (near rail road tracks)

(Other small cities, such as Haysville, may operate their own drop-off sites.)

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