

ORDINANCE NO. 183116

An ordinance amending Subsection (b) of Section 7.82.2 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code regarding the disposition of City-owned hazardous electronic equipment.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES
DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. Subsection (b) of Section 7.82.2 Article 1 of Chapter 2 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code is amended by revising Subsection (b) and adding Subdivision (1) to read as follows:

- (b) **General Recycling Procedures.** The Department of General Services will arrange for recycling of salvaged City-owned hazardous electronic equipment by a certified recycling contractor. The Digital Inclusion Pilot Project is exempt from this requirement.
- (1) **Exemption of Digital Inclusion Pilot Project.** All City-owned desktop personal computers to be removed from City service shall be exempt from the recycling procedure in (b) above, and instead diverted to the Digital Inclusion Pilot Project as follows:
 - (A) The Department of General Services shall contract with a nonprofit organization located in the City of Los Angeles to administer the City's Digital Inclusion Pilot Project.
 - (B) The City's desktop personal computers to be removed from City service shall be donated to the Digital Inclusion Pilot Project under the criteria listed in Administrative Code Section 22.547, Subsection (a).
 - (C) All hard drives from City-owned desktop computers donated to the Digital Inclusion Pilot Program shall be wiped of all data using methods and software employing United States Department of Defense standards.
 - (D) After hard drives are wiped of all data, the computers shall be refurbished (or salvaged, if non-usable) and sent to qualifying low-income residents or nonprofit organizations in the City of Los Angeles. (The nonprofit organization shall qualify which residents or nonprofit organizations shall receive the computers).

Sec. 2. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance and have it published in accordance with Council policy, either in a daily newspaper circulated in the City of Los Angeles or by posting for ten days in three public places in the City of Los Angeles: one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall; one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall East; and one copy on the bulletin board located at the Temple Street entrance to the Los Angeles County Hall of Records.

I hereby certify that this ordinance was passed by the Council of the City of Los Angeles, at its meeting of JUN 18 2014.

HOLLY L. WOLCOTT, Interim City Clerk

By  _____ Deputy

Approved 6/24/14 _____

 _____ Mayor

Approved as to Form and Legality

MICHAEL N. FEUER, City Attorney

By  _____
JULIANN ANDERSON
Deputy City Attorney

Date June 16, 2014 _____

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