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COMMUNITY ACTION ENERGY CONSERVATION & RESOURCE FAIR

Community Action's 10th Annual Energy Conservation and Resource Fair will be held on Saturday, October 27th, 2012, from 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at Tuality Health Education Center, 344 SE 8th Ave., Hillsboro, OR 97123. The fair is free and open to everyone in the community. There are activities for adults and children. Information at the fair is available in English and Spanish.

The fair will present information on energy conservation, health and safety, and community resources. Tuality Healthcare will provide blood pressure and cholesterol screenings. EG Metals will present on recycling beyond the curb. Citizens Utility Board will present on choosing a phone service. Lowe's will do a craft clinic for children. There will be face-painting, a magic show, and children's Zumba. Community Action will provide morning refreshments. NW Natural will provide lunch.

Community Action leads the way to eliminate conditions of poverty and creates opportunities for people and communities to thrive. Community Action offers programs that help families meet basic needs, access vital resources, and achieve long-term success. Programs include energy conservation, energy and emergency rent assistance, Head Start, and parenting support, housing and homeless services, child care resources and referral, and information and referral.

Many community partners have come together with Community Action to make this fair possible, including: American Lung Association, Better Business Bureau, Care to Share, Centro Cultural, Citizens Utility Board, City of Hillsboro Building Department, City of Hillsboro Sustainability Program, EG Metals, Elders in Action, Green Mountain Energy, Hillsboro Family Resource Center, Hillsboro Fire Department, Hillsboro Police Department, Joint Water Commission, Lowe's, METRO, NW Natural, Oregon Health Authority, Oregon Law Center, Partners for Hunger-Free Oregon, Portland General Electric, Rex Heating & Air Conditioning, Sunlight Solar, Tualatin Valley Gleaners, Tuality Healthcare, Virginia Garcia Memorial Health Center, Washington County Cooperative Library Services, Washington County Sheriff and Washington County WIC.