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CITY OF VALLEJO FOURTH ANNUAL RECYCLED SCULPTURE & ART WORK CONTEST

Vallejo, CA – The City of Vallejo Public Works Department Recycling Division is hosting the 4th Annual Recycled Sculpture and Artwork contest on Saturday, April 19, from 9:00 a.m. -1:00 p.m. In honor of Earth Day 2014, the event will be held in conjunction with the Farmers Market on Georgia Street and Virginia Street. Vallejo residents will be challenged to turn recyclable materials into creative and original pieces of art. The grand prize will be up to $1,000. Entries must be received at the Public Works office on the 4th floor of City Hall no later than 4:00 p.m. on Friday, April 4. Artwork will be judged on creativity, originality and the most imaginative use of recyclable materials.

The contest aims to change the perception about these materials that are commonly viewed as trash, and to educate about the 3 R's: Reduce, Reuse and Recycle. All artwork must be fabricated from 100% found, reused, and/or, recyclable materials. Various pieces of art will be displayed in the lobby of City Hall during the week prior to Earth Day, April 14 through 18.

Several businesses in the community are working with the City to sponsor the art contest, which will allow the City to expand to three separate categories (Adult, Junior & Elementary), and to increase prize amounts. The recycled art work will be judged by sponsors and one member of the Chamber of Commerce.

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