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Dear Harris County MUD 82 Resident:

Republic Services is proud to provide its Harris County MUD 82 customers with an exciting and innovative reason to recycle. All Republic customers in Harris County MUD 82 are invited to participate in the **RecycleBank** rewards program – a green initiative that will reward you for your household recycling.

When you participate in the **RecycleBank** program, you'll receive points each time you recycle. Points can be redeemed for rewards such as groceries, apparel, and gift cards at local businesses like Spec's, Kolache Factory, Beck's Prime, CiCi's Pizza, Subway and Randalls and national retailers like Bed Bath & Beyond, Coca-Cola, Dick's Sporting Goods, and CVS/pharmacy. Participating recycling members can experience a potential savings of \$130–\$200 a year when redeeming points for rewards.

Republic Services and **RecycleBank** offer a hassle-free, single-stream approach to recycling. That means you do not have to separate any of your recyclable items, they all go into one cart. Every recycling participant will receive a new, blue (with a gray lid), 96-gallon recycling cart – its' got wheels, so it's easy to use! We'll start delivering new recycling carts July 26th.

All you have to do is sign up for **RecycleBank** on your computer or by phone. Then, begin putting your clean recyclables into your new cart and starting Friday, August 13th, when we launch the program, you'll earn **RecycleBank** Points each time you recycle! **Also, beginning August 13th, recycling will be picked up the 2nd and 4th Friday of each month.** Nothing changes with your trash pickup service or schedule.

You will soon receive information in the mail from **RecycleBank** which will explain how to register your household for the rewards program by activating your **RecycleBank** account. **You must activate your account in order to get and redeem points.** As a special thank you for registering, you'll receive 25 **RecycleBank** Points!

This is a very exciting initiative for us and we are proud of our commitment to sustainability. It's also a win-win-win for our residents, local businesses and the environment, so we hope you will embrace the program. For more information, visit the Harris Country MUD 82 website at www.HCMUD82.com.

Sincerely,

Republic Services