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**Attention-** The Community and Economic Development Department is sponsoring the second Sustainability in our Backyard Event on Saturday, October 18<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Town Center at 19 N. Ninth Street. This event is focused on celebrating community and individual wellness and will feature a variety of vendors offering assistance in maintaining a sustainable town and a sustainable lifestyle.

WestTech Recyclers will be collecting e-waste, and Sedona Recycling and Patriot Disposal will have information about the waste stream and reducing and recycling. APS will be demonstrating the effectiveness of solar power. Salt River Materials Group, a leading promoter of sustainable products and practices, will also be in attendance.

Check out the Town of Clarkdale's website for a list of items accepted as e-waste: <a href="https://www.clarkdale.az.gov">www.clarkdale.az.gov</a>.

Yavapai College, Spectrum Healthcare (formerly Verde Valley Guidance Clinic), the Verde Valley Senior Center, United Way Services, Friends of the Verde River and Community Legal Services will have information available on their programs supporting our local neighborhood.

In addition to these community focused participants, the Arizona School for Integrative Studies will be offering free massages and a Qigong master will be available for demonstrations to help you relax and find inner balance.

Free vendor spaces are still available. Contact the Community Development Department at (928) 639-2500 to sign up or with questions.

Join us on October 18th to reduce, recycle and refresh!

Questions should be directed to the Community Development Department at 928-639-2500.

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