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Recycle Your Bicycle April 6

There will be a bicycle bonanza in Highlands Ranch this spring. Bring your old bike and donate it to Project ReCycle then get sized for your next bicycle purchase and take home a free helmet and trail map. Children are encouraged to bring their current bikes and ride the bike safety course put on by the Douglas County Sheriff's Office.

This event for bicycle enthusiasts takes place Saturday, April 6 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Douglas County Sheriff's Office Highlands Ranch substation. There will be vendors and food booths and fun for the entire family. Drive-through lanes for bike donation will be available.

All proceeds and donated bikes will go to Project ReCycle, a Douglas County nonprofit that refurbishes used bicycles and distributes them to agencies that help those in need. The goal is to get 100 bikes donated at the Highlands Ranch event. (For more information about Project ReCycle, visit http://www.projectrecycle.org/#&panel1-2.)

"We are so excited about our partnership with Highlands Ranch Metro District and the sheriff's office. This bike recycle event will help us bridge the gap between suburbia and inner city," said Alberto Stapleton, executive director of Project ReCycle.

The Douglas County Sheriff's Office and Highlands Ranch Metro District are proud sponsors of the Recycle Your Bicycle event.

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