

The shredding Event in the warm weather served 351 cars drive thru,

The Community was blessed to have volunteers who braved the warm weather and did a Shredding event to serve 351 cars, more barrels of shredding than average from the previous event. It looks like shareholders cleaned their places before the holiday.

Between 10 to 10:30, cars lined up all the way to El Dorado Drive, Larry Norlander from the Security had to direct the traffic to avoid any accidents or the road to be opened for other transportation.

The nine volunteers worked so hard to keep up with shredding drive-thru vehicles and all went smoothly, especially having three bins helped the flow of the cars.

Again, the "Drop and Go" method worked extremely well. Residents didn't even need to get out of their cars. GAF volunteers retrieved the items from the resident's cars, which made it so much easier for everyone. This method will probably continue since it is working so well.

Our truck driver, Edward Solano was so helpful to move those bins as they were filled up quickly.

A reminder for the next shredding event on March 12th, the 2nd Tuesday, 2024.

For the next shredding, we ask the community that please put all your shredding in paper bags and plastic bags with shredding stuff that needs to be visible. No boxes, please. Beginning this shredding event, Mobile Shredding Company asked us to untie the plastic bags to check their shredding materials before dumping all the shredding stuff into the bin each time to prevent truck fire.

Even though we asked numerous times, volunteers had to pull file hangers with metal, binder paper clips from their tied plastic bags that would cause the shredder truck at risk.

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Everyone is welcome at Hospitality in CH 6. Monday to Friday from 9:00 to 11. Come and enjoy the company of others while sipping a cup of coffee and enjoying snacks.

Mobility aids are loaned out to the community as needed. They are open from Monday to Friday 9:00 to 11, in CH 6 downstairs. The GAF phone number is 562-431-9589.

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