## Battery Recycling in Leisure World

The Golden Age Foundation volunteer team collected over 720 pounds of batteries for recycle on Tuesday the 21st of November. Our residents brought their used household batteries to the Clubhouse 2 parking lot where volunteers collected, sorted, and packed the batteries for shipment to the recycle facility.

Unfortunately, we reached the 16 boxes batteries before the noon, and we couldn't accept the anymore from shareholders. We seal the boxes for the Fedex shipment when it gets filled up so we are unable to take more batteries even before at noon and we are unable to take any batteries other than household type.

We're more than pleased to know that our shareholders save the used batteries, and we will try to increase the numbers of boxes but it is not guaranteed due to the regulations of amount we can collect from the community. We had over 200 vehicles came by and we appreciate shareholders' generous donations.

While we plan on having another household battery collection event in 4 months, Leisure World residents can take their batteries (of all sizes), paints, cleaners, oils, and pesticides that contain potentially hazardous ingredients, as well as E-waste such as televisions, tablets, cell phones and computers to Orange County Waste and Recycling for free all year long.

The nearest facility is located in Huntington Beach, 8.5 miles from Leisure World, at 17121 Nichols Lane, Huntington Beach, CA 92647 Gate 6. They are open from 9-3 Tuesday - Saturday. Their number is 714-834-4000.