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Mary Beth Fiore

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Hello,

Please add this for board approval....A Donation of old equipment, marked for disposal, to the Science and Discovery Center for Education Purposes.

Elmira Heights would like to donate 40 old desktop computers (no monitor) and a few other old miscellaneous items, that are currently marked for disposal to the Science and Discovery Center. The equipment being donated will be used during the week of Inventors and Inventions Class. Students in grades 4 to 8 will take apart old equipment and appliances, and design and build a new invention from the parts.

Thanks, Julie

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July 5, 2012

Science & Discovery Center
425 Pennsylvania Ave
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Dear Miss. Lederman,

The Science & Discovery Center will be doing two programs this summer that involves students in grades 4-8 that will take apart old machines and appliances, and design and build a new invention from the parts.

We are seeking the assistance of your organization in getting old computers, appliances and any other equipment that you would like to dispose of.

Items we have taken apart in the past have included desktop and laptop computers, computer keyboards and typewriters, as well as coffee makes, and telephones.

When we talked last week you said you could also forward this letter onto other schools and they might also be able to supply us with items.

The only items we are not able to take are lawn mowers, microwaves, and "CRT" computer monitors or TVs (the types with glass picture tubes).

Starting on Monday, July 9, 2012 we will be out doing our summer programs and the best way to reach me is to leave me an e-mail at mark.s@sdsciencecenter.org or call my cell phone at 607-742-3484.

Sincerely,
Mark Schoonover
Educator
Science & Discovery Center