

Stephen Monticelli
Chief of Police

• **Harrisonburg Police Department**

Contact: Officer Rachel Hammer
Community Resource Officer
Phone: 540-437-2672
Email: rhammer@harrisonburgva.gov

NEWS RELEASE

April 24, 2013

Harrisonburg Police and Rockingham County Sheriff's Office Taking Back Unwanted Prescription Drugs

On April 27 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. the Harrisonburg Police Department, Rockingham County Sheriff's Department and the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) join together to give the public a chance to dispose of potentially dangerous expired, unused, and unwanted prescription drugs. Your medications can be dropped free of charge and with no questions asked at any of the following sites:

- Harrisonburg Public Safety Building
101 N. Main St (rear parking lot)
- Rockingham County Sheriff's Office
25 S. Liberty Street
- Rockingham Memorial Hospital
2010 Health Campus Drive (Parking Lot B near Outpatient building)
- Rockingham County Fairgrounds
4808 S. Valley Pike

Last September's initiative resulted in the collection and incineration of over seven tons of unwanted medications in the State of Virginia.

For more information on the National Drug Take Back Initiative call 1-800-882-9539 or check the DEA website at www.dea.gov.

###

• **For Immediate Release**