

El Paso Water Utilities

Recycle 2 Go



# Fashion Contest



## Entry Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Your Recycled Outfit: \_\_\_\_\_

DESCRIPTION: This is what will be read while you walk the stage. Feel free to make this description fun and entertaining.

Print a sentence that tells who you are.

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Print a detailed description of what recycled items you used to create your competition entry.

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Print a short statement about recycled art and the environment. (Optional)

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### Categories:

- Garments (With or without accessories)
- Accessories (Not accompanied by a garment)
- Illustration

### Fashion Contest Requirements:

- Contest open to 6th grade level and above.
- Recycled fashions must be made of recycled or reused materials that otherwise would be thrown away or recycled. **Vintage clothes will not be accepted.**
- If a team is submitting one piece, only one prize will be awarded.

**\*Awards will be given for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place\***

### Fashion Show Timeline: - April 25, 2009

**All entries must be brought to the TechH<sub>2</sub>O Center no later than 10:30 a.m.**

- 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Non-dressed rehearsal/stage-walk
- 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Get dressed, freshen up, lined up & ready backstage
- 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Fashion Show & Awards

**For more information call: 915-621-2001**

Special Thanks to the El Paso Community College  
Fashion Technology Program



# Submission Guidelines

**Deadline:** All entry forms must be received no later than 5:00 P.M., April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2009. Submission information is below. Please follow instructions completely. Incomplete submissions will not be considered.

## Recycle Fashion show criteria for construction is as follows:

Materials used in the construction of garments **MUST** be post-consumer, post-industrial, or post agricultural waste. Designers may use materials for construction such as glue, tape, dyes, marker, staples, thread, zippers, elastic, wire, Velcro, boning, buckram, grommets, laces, starch, paint, etc. Recycled fabric may only be used as a lining that doesn't show. The usage of new material should not overpower your total garment. Footwear made from trash is preferred. Street shoes are acceptable. Shoes must be safe to walk in. Garments must be constructed well enough to fit the model and hold together for (at least) the rehearsal and stage show. Be prepared for your designs to be repairable at the show in an emergency situation.

Models will not be provided. You can wear your garment or have someone else you choose wear it. Originality and creativity are encouraged.

## **Garment materials which are not acceptable include:**

Reconstructed or reused clothing or fabrics, any materials **which have not been previously used at least once. Vintage clothing will not be accepted.** For model and audience safety, toxic materials which give off fumes, chemicals, or particulate matter such as Fiberglass insulation are unacceptable. Sharp edges that might cut the model or fly off the garment when on the runway are unacceptable.

## Judging:

- Originality
- Innovative use of recycled materials
- Overall design

## Submitting Your Application

1. **On-line:** Submit your application to [ygalarza@epwu.org](mailto:ygalarza@epwu.org)  
**or**
2. **US Mail:** Send a hard copy of this application to:  
Carlos M. Ramirez TechH<sub>2</sub>O Center  
Attn: Recycle<sub>2</sub>GO Fashion Contest  
10751 Montana Ave.  
El Paso, TX 79935

## Submitting Your Entry:

**All entries must be brought to the TechH<sub>2</sub>O Center no later than 10:45 a.m. on April 25, 2009**

**TechH<sub>2</sub>O Center or Recycle<sub>2</sub>Go are not responsible for lost or damaged items.**