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An act to set up a facility for recycling electronic waste every 625 square miles.

Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky

Section 1: The government of Kentucky will establish a facility for every 625 square mile-area and will place an electronic waste recycling program there. Civilians may transport themselves and physically give the recycling center their items. Drop-off boxes will be set up a popular locations in each electronic waste sector, such as a mall, government office, or county school. Private businesses may receive drop-off boxes and pick-up service for a minimal fee. After drop-off, the wast will then either be reused or disposed of properly.

- Section 2: Kentucky is not one of the twenty-six states that have strict electronic waste laws.
- Section 3: This bill will aide in preventing the poisoning and polluting of water. Batteries, circuit boards, televisions, appliances, and computers are examples of items that will be collected that prove to emit toxins that are dangerous to humans and wildlife.
- Section 4: The cost for this bill will include the prices of the facilities used and also the pay of the workers there. The various workers will be paid at least \$8 per hour.
- Section 5: Facilities will have the ability to recycle computers, computer monitors, printed circuit boards, older and flat screen televisions, batteries, switches, lighting devices, and electrical appliances. Proceeds from the distribution of these materials will be used to help with operating expenses.
- Section 6: This bill will go into effect on January 1, 2016.