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Navy Federal Recycles Cell Phones for Seniors
Drop off used phones at Temecula, Calif. branch

VIENNA, Va. (Oct. 20, 2011) – [Navy Federal Credit Union](http://navyfederal.org) is partnering with Secure the Call to help the non-profit organization collect 300,000 used cell phones to provide 911 emergency-only phones to seniors.

A collection barrel has been placed inside Navy Federal’s Temecula, Calif. branch at 41273 Margarita Road, Suite 101. As part of Secure the Call’s Driver Safety Class for Seniors, the all-volunteer organization seeks to provide emergency-only phones to seniors who take the driver safety course.

“Secure the Call makes recycling your old cell phone quick and easy,” said Scott Smith, branch manager at the branch located at Bel Villaggio Center. “They test, clean and clear all old numbers. Suitable phones are purged of all personal information and processed for use as 911 phones. Unsuitable phones are scrapped or sold to support the program.”

Dropping off used cell phones, batteries, chargers and accessories is a great way for residents to make a difference in their community by assisting seniors. Your donation is tax deductible.

About Navy Federal Credit Union

Navy Federal Credit Union is the world’s largest credit union with 219 branch offices, \$46 billion in assets, 3.8 million members, and more than 8,000 employees worldwide. The credit union serves all Department of Defense military and civilian personnel and their families. For additional information about Navy Federal visit navyfederal.org.

About Secure the Call

Secure the Call (STC) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization which collects and convert cell phones into 911 emergency access phones. To seniors and abused women in need, the phones serve as a lifeline. Based in Takoma Park, Md., STC works collaboratively with law enforcement agencies, senior citizen centers and domestic violence shelters in 49 states. Visit us online at securethecall.org or send a tweet @SecuretheCall.

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