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Tax Time!

As tax time approaches you will want a safe way to dispose of personal information. We can help you with that. For the next two months Rockwest is offering a shredding special for all our customers and new customers. We are offering a great deal, \$0.05 a pound with no limit on weight for shredding. This is for drop off only, no pick up provided for this special.

Please contact Amy Wadkins at (503) 390-7355 or stop by our facility to drop off your shredding. Others want your information, protect it with our confidential shredding department and save yourself some green.

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Coming Events

Client Employee Picnic.

January signals the kick off of our donation drive for the annual client employee picnic. Each year the client employees, their friends, staff, and family get together to celebrate their accomplishments and summer with a traditional cook out and dance party. This years picnic will be held on August 14 at Cascade Gateway Park and will be an all day event. This year's goal of \$1,000 will allow us to celebrate the clients accomplishments with awards, food, entertainment, games, and prizes. If you, your organization, or company would like to contribute to this very worthy cause by donating your time, entertainment, food, gifts, or prizes please visit our [donations page](#) or contact Will at 503-390-7355, or click [here](#) to send an email.

Join us in celebrating the accomplishments of these very unique, caring, and hard working individuals. Thank you for supporting people with disabilities.

Product News

Rockwest is constantly striving to improve its product line and respond to customer needs. Please take the time to review the new products and items listed below. All are now available in our online catalog.

- [New Products](#)

- [Cinch Pack](#). Simple yet effective, this cinch pack has a two-toned look that's unique. The tote bags can be found in Rockwest Textiles section of our web site.
- [Shopping Tote](#). Makes running errands a breeze.
- [Grocery Tote](#). An inexpensive way to help the environment!
- [Essential Tote](#). A handy, versatile tote at a tremendous value.
- [Patient Restraint Straps](#) Sometimes called Safety Strap Backboard Restraint Systems or Spider Straps, these straps are used by EMT's and Fire Departments to secure patients to backboards to immobilize injuries. These restraint systems are being made by our Industrial Sewing Department. Patient Restraint Straps can be found under EMT/Fire/Police in Rockwest Medical.
- [Burn Kits](#) Rockwest now offers burn kits in two different sizes (small and medium). You will find them listed under First Aid Kits. These kits will be assembled by our client employees. Burn Kits can be found under First Aid Kits in Rockwest Medical.
- [Document Holder](#) Can be used as a passport holder, for car insurance/registration documents or maintenance records.
- [Pet Crate Cuddler](#) Designed for the interior of pet crates or can be used separately as a floor pad for your pet.
- [Personalized Fleece Blanket](#) 54" x 60" Fleece with surged border edges. Company Logo or your name at no additional cost. Plastic storage bag available.
- [EPK - Emergency Preparedness Kit](#) Deluxe (1650 cubic inches) backpack. Weight 6.430 lbs. Light weight and functional. Designed and stocked to meet basic needs with a 2 person, 3 day emergency supplies. 3 large compartments provide extra room for items you wish to add to your kit.
- [Travel Kit](#) Personal first aid kit. weight 0.694 lbs. personal, light weight and functional. Soft Pigskin PVC Leather pouch with velcro on the back - can be mounted almost anywhere. Soft pouch can be personalized with embroidery to meet your needs.

- **New Items Online**

- [Microshield Keychain](#) A handy way to always be prepared.
- [Microshield Swivel Keychain with Gloves](#). Convenience and protection that's always available.
- [Fire/EMT/Police Section](#). Rockwest has added a new Fire/EMT/Police section to its web site in order to locate in one area items of interest to these professions.
- [Bacitracin Ointment, 144 ct.](#) Bacitracin Ointment is used to help to prevent infection in minor cuts, scrapes, burns, and infections.
- [Sani-Cloth Disposable Hard Surface Cleaner](#) Sold by package. Germicidal, pre-moistened disposable wipes for surface disinfection.
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- [Burn Sheet 60" x 90"](#) Provides emergency first aid for burn victims.
- [Cervical Collar Bag](#) Used to store cervical collars but can also be used as an EMT softbag or as a First Responder bag.
- [Splint, Inflatable, Full Leg](#) Inflatable air splint, hart, orally inflatable, transparent vinyl allows for x-rays, zipper closure aids easy application and removal, full leg.
- [Splint, Inflatable, Full Arm](#) Inflatable air splint, orally inflatable, allows for e-rays, zipper closure, full arm.
- [First Aid Booklet](#) American Medical Association First Aid Guide.
- [Waterproof Blanket 60" x 90"](#) Insulated and waterproof emergency blanket.
- [Aspirin 325mg](#) "25 packets of 2 tablets (50 total tablets) per unit.

Business News

- [New Services Added](#). Rockwest has added product labeling and design service for our customers. This added service has been purchased by Tag Bag, a California based company. The labeling and design

service combined with our packaging service presents a complete packaging solution for companies, allowing Rockwest to process the project from assembly through retail ready product. This allows companies to save money and time by expediting product readiness.

- [Tag Bags](#). Collaborating with a California based company. Rockwest is now making, assembling, packaging and labeling a pet product called a Tag Bag. The Tag Bag is for the upwardly mobile dog in your life. Each Tag Bag has a secure velcro closure that allows you to hide and silence unsightly tags and they are great for storing an extra waste bag - just in case.
- [New Sale Page Now Available](#). Discontinued, overstocked, and liquidation items reduced in price for quick sale! Items listed on this page are not part of the State of Oregon contract and will range from office supplies and used equipment, to medical supplies and textiles. Check this page often for the best deals on quality items.
- [Wondering What Rockwest Can Do For You?](#) Rockwest has two Marketing Specialists that are interested in coming to your place of business and presenting information about Rockwest products and services. To schedule a presentation, contact Cozette [Cooper](#) or Craig [Wagner](#) or call 503.390.7355.
- [Take a Tour of Rockwest](#). Have you been wondering what we do here at Rockwest? Tours can be scheduled with Cozette Cooper. This will give you the opportunity to see first hand all of the fine work Rockwest is offering and how this could meet your business needs. Call Cozette today to schedule your tour! 503.390.7355

In Recognition

In recognition of their support for adults with intellectual and physical disabilities and Rockwest Training Company, Inc.; we acknowledge the following individuals, companies and organizations for their contributions to our mission, the advancement of our community, and the enrichment of lives.

Summo Corporation, Santa Barbara, California. Summo Corp. offers fashionable Tag Bags for the upwardly mobile dog in your life. Each Tag Bag has a secure velcro closure that allows you to hide and silence unsightly tags and they are great for storing an extra waste bag - just in case. Summo Corp. is owned and operated by Mo Gettings in California and her partner Sue Thorman in New York. [Visit our web site!](#)

Valentines Special!

**Save
15%** For our customers that use this special newsletter coupon, we will offer a 15% discount off of all screen printing, embroidery or pet related products. This coupon must be printed and presented in person. This coupon is transferrable, so please share the offer with friends and family.

Offer Expires: March 31, 2009 This coupon has no cash value!

New Directions

Rockwest is always looking in new directions for products and services to serve you better!

Rockwest is constantly striving to improve itself in order to serve you better. Over the next few weeks and

months we anticipate making available for sale through our online catalog the new items listed below. Please check your newsletter each month for new and exciting products and services.

- [Shoe Covers](#) Tyvek Shoe Covers, 200 per case and sold by case.
- [Clear Plastic Transport Bag](#) Plastic Transport Bag.

Product Watch: In addition to the above listed items Rockwest is working on the following items:

- Rockwest is currently negotiating for the right to provide portable defibrillators to city, county, state and federal agencies within the State of Oregon and private sector.
- Dog Training Vest/Cape. Used for specialty training of working dogs or by pets.
- Specialty use leash for Working Dogs designed to meet the needs of trainers and people with disabilities.
- Hose/Hydrant Wrench Bag.

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