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AERC.com, Inc. Participates in Local Green Community Day by Hosting an Electronics Recycling Event on October 24

Flanders, NJ – October 13, 2009 – AERC.com, Inc (AERC Recycling Solutions) is excited to announce its third Electronic Recycling Event in Peapack-Gladstone. The event is in conjunction with the 3rd Annual Green Festival and will be open to residents and small business owners in the surrounding community. AERC Recycling Solutions is eager to offer local community members of Somerset, Morris, Warren, Sussex and Hunterdon Counties an opportunity to responsibly recycle their electronics. AERC is appreciative of Peapack-Gladstone Bank’s continued support of recycling by allowing AERC to use its corporate office parking lot for this collection event.

On Saturday, October 24, 2009 from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM, local area residents and businesses are invited to drop-off unwanted electronics for recycling. The Electronics Recycling Event will be held at Peapack-Gladstone Bank’s Administrative Building located at 158 Route 206 North in Gladstone, New Jersey. This event is open to the general public. Only small quantities of electronics will be accepted at this event.

AERC will be collecting a nominal fee for any acceptable electronics that are dropped off for recycling. These fees are to offset transportation, staffing and processing costs. The general public is invited to drop off printers, scanners, CPUs, computer monitors, laptops, internal computer components, telephones, telecommunication equipment, cameras, radios, modems, pagers, VCRs, DVD players, hand held games, televisions, fluorescent bulbs and batteries. AERC will collect \$20 per television, \$10 per computer monitor, \$2 for all other electronic devices, \$0.30 per fluorescent bulb and \$0.75 per pound on batteries. For a complete list of acceptable materials, please look for flyers distributed within your local community, refer to www.com-cycle.com or call us toll free at 866-447-5177.

AERC will be making a donation to The Children’s Organ Transplant Association (COTA) to aid the organization in providing financial support for children and young adults who need a life-saving transplant. The Company’s contribution will be based on the number of cell phones dropped off at this collection event.

In addition to hosting the eCycling event, AERC Recycling Solutions will also be participating in The 3rd Annual Green Community Festival at Main Street’s Liberty Park in Peapack-Gladstone, New Jersey. The festival is taking place from 11AM – 4PM and is supported by a number of environmentally conscious organizations and businesses from Peapack-Gladstone, Bedminster, Far Hills and nearby towns. The event organizers Lilibet Clarke and Suki Dewey with Earthwise Associates, emphasized that the mission of the festival is to share information, tools and resources with local residents, to promote environmental awareness and to encourage stewardship of our neighborhood resources. For more information about this event, and the work of Earthwise Associates please visit www.earthwise.us or call 908-719-9545.

“Although AERC’s core business is based on servicing clients in various industries and of varying sizes, we like to extend some options to local area residents as a way of giving back to the local communities in which the Company has branch locations. Our eCycling events in the Peapack-Gladstone area have been a great success in the past. We look forward to a continuation of that success on October 24,” says Lindsay Landmesser, Vice President of Sales and Marketing at AERC Recycling Solutions

AERC maintains a Zero-Waste-to-Landfill Policy for all of its electronics/ electrical recycling services. AERC maintains a strict policy on all data storage devices. All data on data storage devices will either be

wiped to the Department of Defense Standards or physically destroyed. No information containing devices will leave any AERC facility. All collected materials will be recycled at AERC's NAID Certified Electronics Processing Com-Cycle facility in Allentown, Pennsylvania.

In addition to offering similar electronics recycling events throughout the country, all AERC facility locations host Drop-Off Fridays every Friday between the hours of 9AM and 3PM. Local residents utilizing our facilities in New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Virginia, Florida, Texas and California are welcome to drop off small quantities of recyclable electronics and certain Universal Waste items during Drop-Off Fridays. Nominal fees apply to this program.

About Peapack-Gladstone Environmental Commission

The 3rd Annual Green Community Festival is hosted by the Environmental Commissions of Peapack-Gladstone in association with Far Hills and Bedminster, Bernardsville and Far Hills Environmental Commissions.. The Borough of Peapack-Gladstone, the Township of Bedminster, Borough of Bernardsville, Far Hills Borough and Peapack-Gladstone Bank have all come together to support the Green Festival.

About Peapack-Gladstone Bank

Established in 1921, Peapack-Gladstone Bank is a \$1.4 billion asset, wholly owned community bank that offers a full range of quality banking products and services to businesses and residents of Essex, Hunterdon, Middlesex, Morris, Somerset and Union counties through 24 full-service branches, an online branch and a Trust division, PGB Trust & Investments. Peapack-Gladstone Bank offers personal and business banking products like free checking, free online banking, free online bill pay and mobile phone banking; in addition to consumer and commercial lending products and services like auto and home equity loans and lines of credit, residential mortgages, commercial mortgages, term loans, lines of credit and construction loans. For additional information about Peapack-Gladstone Bank or to open an account online, visit www.pgbank.com or call 908-234-0700. Member FDIC. Equal Housing Lender.

About AERC Recycling Solutions

AERC Recycling Solutions is committed to a green world by helping clients in proper end-of-life management of assets containing sensitive data and components hazardous to our environment. AERC has become an industry leader through its partnerships with clients by providing unmatched convenience, regulatory compliance and expert consulting to handle Universal Waste issues. In 2004, AERC began servicing customers with electronics recycling needs. AERC offers complete computer and electronics recycling services with a Zero-Waste-to-Landfill Policy.

AERC offers compliance with Federal, State, and Local regulations as well as Secure Data Destruction for its clients' electronic data drives. The Company provides an array of services which include Secure Data Destruction and Management, Total Asset Management, and End-of-Life Electronics Management. With its own fleet of GPS tracked trucks the Company provides delivery confirmations and in-house management of logistics for clients and can provide an audit trail for compliance with data security and environmental laws. The Company provides "chain of custody" of assets for clients with coverage throughout all major markets in the United States, with continued plans for expansion across the United States. For additional information please visit www.aercrecycling.com or www.com-cycle.com.

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