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Autos for Arc Means New Use for Old Vehicles

You Have the Power to Change Lives of People with Disabilities

SAINT PAUL – Autos for Arc can't give you cash for your clunker, but we can take old vehicles off your hands, give you a tax deduction and say "Thank you!" for helping change the lives of people with disabilities.

Autos for Arc accepts cars and trucks of any model and condition and other vehicles including boats (with trailers), RVs, ATVs, golf carts, personal watercraft, motorcycles and snowmobiles. Revenue from the sale of donated items helps fund Arc Greater Twin Cities' programs for children and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities and their families.

Donating is easy to do. To prepare your vehicle, just collect the title and remove your personal belongings. Then, decide if you would like to drop off your vehicle or have it picked up at your home.

Within the seven-county metro area, Autos for Arc can arrange to have a vehicle towed free of charge. Call the toll-free Autos for Arc hotline, 1-877-272-2270, to arrange a pickup.

You can also drive up and drop off vehicles seven days a week at Arc's Value Village three convenient store locations:

- Brooklyn Center, 6330 Brooklyn Boulevard; (763) 503-3534
- New Hope, 2751 Winnetka Ave. N.; (763) 544-0006
- Richfield, 6528 Penn Ave. S.; (612) 861-9550

A fourth store, Arc's Value Village Saint Paul, will open in November at 1650 White Bear Ave. in the Hillcrest Shopping Center.

No appointment is necessary. Simply bring the keys and title inside the store and give them to a store representative who will provide you with a receipt. Stores are open 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., Monday through Friday, and 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., Saturday and Sunday.

If you have questions or would like more details, call the toll-free Autos for Arc hotline, 1-877-272-2270, or visit www.autosforarc.org.

Arc Greater Twin Cities is a nonprofit agency serving the many needs of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities and their families. Established in 1946, Arc has been changing attitudes, changing policies and changing lives for more than 60 years. Arc helps individuals and families address issues that span the lifetime, including early intervention, education, transition to adulthood, health care, housing, employment, guardianship and more. For more information and volunteer opportunities, call Arc at (952) 920-0855 or visit www.arcgreatertwincities.org.

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