

# Redwood Credit Union shreds 134,280 pounds of documents at Shred-a-Thon

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Redwood Credit Union helped shred 134,280 pounds of documents at its recent Shred-a-Thon.

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**T**his summer, more than 3,000 residents across Lake, Marin, Mendocino, Napa, and Sonoma counties participated in Redwood Credit Union's free Shred-a-Thons.

Shred-It trucks were onsite at each event to shred 134,280 pounds of documents. Conservatively, the event also shredded 134,280 pounds of e-waste, including old TVs, print

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personal electronics for secure recycling.

“These free events help thousands of people safeguard their financial information, while also protecting the environment by reducing landfill waste and offering safe disposal of electronics,” said Matt Martin, senior vice president of community and government relations at RCU.

At each Shred-a-Thon location attendees had an opportunity to donate to a local nonprofit. In total, the events raised more than \$7,000 to support Puertas Abiertas in Napa, the Lake County Child Care Planning Council, Redwood Empire Food Bank, SchoolsRule Marin and Plowshares in Mendocino.

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