



# Recycle Your Sneakers!

**Believe it or not . . .**

**Goodwill wants your smelly old sneakers!**

They will be collecting athletic shoes for recycling during the Oklahoma Sustainability Network (OSN) Conference

**Where:** **Downtown Norman**  
(a Goodwill biodiesel truck with a Reuse-A-Shoe sign on it will be parked at the Santa Fe Depot, 200 S. Jones)

**When?** **Friday & Saturday, March 28-29, 2008 – 8:00-4:00 pm**

**How?** **Please read this list of shoe “no-nos”↓**

- **Athletic shoes only -- no metal eyelets, steel toes, cleats, spikes**
- **No mud on shoes; shoes must be dry**
- **Any brand acceptable and no shoe is too worn out for recycling**
- **Please do not tie pairs of shoes together**

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**Why?** The vendors for our Reuse-A-Shoe Program recycles and reuses 100% of the materials reclaimed from used and defective athletic shoes. The byproducts from your recycled sneakers will be made into new materials used for football, baseball and soccer fields, basketball and tennis courts, playgrounds, running tracks, gold products, weight room flooring and padding under hardwood basketball floors.