

NEWS RELEASE



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NATURE OF STORY: Business and Citizen Community Donation

**LOCATION: Lane County Adult Corrections
101 W. 5th Avenue - Eugene**

INVOLVED: Rexius Fuel Products and Employees

DETAILS:

Several days ago, Rexius Fuel Products employees observed local offenders working on the landscape in front of the Lane County Adult Corrections site.

They noticed that the area was basically raw dirt that was being raked and groomed. Rexius employees were so impressed with the quality of the offender's work and the energy displayed, that they wanted to contribute. The employees decided to purchase 3 units of bark. Rexius is providing, at no charge, the equipment needed to deliver the material.

Rexius employees, wishing to remain anonymous, stated, "We are just a few people chipping together to help with the aesthetics of the Lane County Jail landscaping, which happens to be an important part of our community!"

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