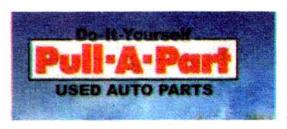


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Pull-A-Part. the Atlanta-based automotive used parts retailer,

has been given a 2006 Keep Georgia Beautiful Award from the state Department of Community Affairs for waste reduction and recycling. The company also recently received a proclamation from Gov. Sonny Purdue and the House of Representatives for its recycling efforts. Pull-A-Part, which has a location on Buford Highway and another in Conley, was acknowledged for its efforts to keep abandoned vehicles off neighborhood streets, create new systems to ensure safe drainage and for recycling all fluids and hazardous materials remaining in the vehicles it processes. The company also opens its facilities to police- and fire-training programs in the areas it serves throughout the nation. Based on recycling an average of 2,000 tons of automobiles each month at the two Georgia locations, Pull-A-Part annually prevents 2.9 million pounds of waste from entering Georgia landfills. www.pullapart.com.