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Dear Administrator or PTO Leader,

Here's a new option for school fundraising, one that doesn't require parents or students to sell various products. It's a textile recycling drive! Textile recycling companies are willing to work with our school. Families drop off surplus textile items of all types, from clothing to linens, and we earn money for each pound of recyclables collected. The textiles are then recycled into various products, from wiping cloths for industry to stuffing for automobile seats. Some clothing and shoes are reused as wearable clothing in developing countries.

Please read the information sheet to learn more about setting up a school textile recycling drive. You'll also find listings for the textile recyclers that service our area. These vendors are willing to partner with our school for this fundraiser. If you're interested, our next step is to contact one of these vendors to find out the current amount of money we can earn for our recyclables and to select dates for our textile recycling drive.

This earth-friendly fundraiser doesn't cost families anything, and it underscores important lessons we teach our students about reusing and recycling. A textile recycling drive could be a great fundraiser for our school.

Sincerely,

(teacher name)