

Feigenholtz Collecting Cell Phones for Soldiers During Military Appreciation Month

In recognition of Military Appreciation Month, state Rep. Sara Feigenholtz (D-Chicago) reminds residents that her office is a drop off location for Cell Phones for Soldiers.

Cell Phones for Soldiers is a non-profit organization that uses the revenue generated from recycling used cell phones to purchase pre-paid calling cards

or military personnel serving overseas. For every \$5 donation or every mobile device valued at \$5, the organization is able to provide a service member with 2.5 hours of free talk time.

"Giving military personnel an opportunity to speak with a loved one is an easy way to show our appreciation and gratitude for their sacrifices and service," said Feigenholtz. "This month, especially, I encourage residents to donate their old cell phones or consider making a donation to an organization supporting our service members."

Residents wishing to donate a used cell phone can bring the phone to Feigenholtz's constituent services office located at 1051 West Belmont during normal business hours. Batteries, charges and phone accessories are accepted but not required.

For more information, contact Feigenholtz's constituent services office at 773-296-4141.