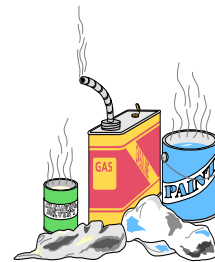




HAZARDOUS HOUSEHOLD WASTE INFORMATION



- **Learn** the safe way to use and dispose of hazardous products.
Follow label instructions.
- **Reduce** the amount of hazardous products in your home.
Demand safer products.
- **Consider** safer alternatives to hazardous products.
They are usually just as effective.
- **Take** part in hazardous household waste collection program.



2011 HAZWASTE COLLECTION CALENDAR

South Windsor residents may also participate in any of the other Town programs listed herein

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
August 20	8 a.m. - 1 p.m.	Bloomfield Public Works Building 21 Southwood Drive
August 27	8 a.m. - 1 p.m.	Ansonia Public Works Complex North Division Street
September 10	8 a.m. - 1 p.m.	Rocky Hill WPCF 80 Goff Brook Lane
September 17	8 a.m. - 1 p.m.	Ellington Town Garage 21 Main Street
September 24	8 a.m. - 1 p.m.	West Hartford Public Works Garage Oakwood Ave. Ext. off New Park Ave.
October 1	8 a.m. - 1 p.m.	South Windsor High School
October 8	8 a.m. - 1 p.m.	Middletown: Moody School 300 Country Club Road
October 15	8 a.m. - 1 p.m.	East Hartford WPCF 65 Pitkin Street
October 22	8 a.m. - 1 p.m.	Hartford WPCF 240 Brainard Road
October 29	8 a.m. - 1 p.m.	Windsor Locks/E. Granby PW Garage 6 Stanton Rd. Windsor Locks

Don't Forget: No smoking in your car; bring something to read (there may be a wait), and if possible, leave the children and pets at home.

Out of Sight is Not Out of Mind

What you don't know about can harm your family's health. You have only to look under your sink or in your garage and you will probably find lurking there, containers partially filled with hazardous household wastes just waiting to cause a problem. The average household has almost ten gallons of hazardous wastes, which if improperly used or stored, can harm you, or your children and our environment. Because these wastes can pollute our water supplies, air and land if disposed of in your trash, on the ground, down your sink and toilet or into the neighborhood storm drain, the Town wants you to bring these wastes to a Town Household Hazardous Waste Collection Site at the High School on Nevers Road on Saturday, October 1, 2011.

South Windsor residents may also participate in other Hartford area collection programs as indicated on the Hazwaste Collection Calendar enclosed herein.

DATE

**SATURDAY
OCTOBER 1, 2011**

TIME

**8AM
TO
1PM**

PLACE

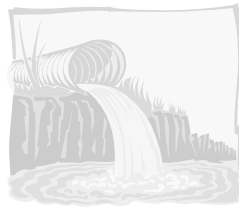
**SOUTH WINDSOR
HIGH SCHOOL
161 NEVERS ROAD**

What You Can Do

Look at the check list of household hazards to the right. If you have any of these products in your home and don't intend to use them or give them away, please bring them to the Town's Hazwaste Collection on October 1, 2011 at the South Windsor High School.

Safe Handling Tips

- Whenever possible, bring materials in their original containers.
- Don't mix different products together in one container. Some of them may react violently with each other.
- If possible, pack containers separately in absorbent material to prevent breakage or leakage.
- Bring rags/towels in your car to clean up any spills.
- If a leak or spill occurs en route to site, stop car, wipe up substance, and open windows to vent fumes. Bring rags/towels to collection site for disposal.



Solving Household Hazwaste Problem

- Buy alternative non-hazardous products; read label before you buy.
- Buy only the amount you need.
- Carefully read label and use products according to directions.
- Never store products outdoors or near heat or flame.
- Keep children and pets away from where hazardous products are used or stored.
- Bring what is not needed to a Town Hazardous Waste Collection Site.

For more information, or to volunteer to assist the Town on Collection Day, please call (860) 644-2511, ext. 343 or visit us on the Web @ www.southwindsor.org

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

NAME YOUR POISON

KITCHEN/BATHROOM

Aerosol Cans (if not empty)
Floor Care Products
Drain Cleaners
Disinfectants
Polishes
Oven Cleaners
Bathroom Cleaners
Tile Cleaners
Toilet Bowl Cleaners
Nail Polish Remover
Ammonia
Spot and Stain Removers
Wood Preservatives

GARAGE/WORKSHOP

Antifreeze
Batteries (not alkaline))
Brake Fluid
Auto Body Repair Products
Transmission Fluid
Oil Base Paint
Mercury
Paint Stripper/Thinner
Gasoline/Kerosene
Turpentine

YARD/HOBBY

Insecticides/Pesticides
Herbicides/Fungicides
Rat Poison
Flea Powders/Sprays
Artist's Paints
Epoxy Products/Glue/
Adhesives
Moth Balls
Pool Chemicals
Cleaning Solvents
Charcoal Lighter

WHAT **NOT** TO BRING TO HAZWASTE COLLECTION SITE

Empty Containers
Latex Paint
Wastes from any Business
Explosives
Propane Tanks (for grills)
Biological Waste
Medicines/Drugs
Medical Waste
Waste Oil
Tires
Car Batteries
Asbestos