

Hazardous Waste Clean Sweep 2008

**MAY 16
& 17**

SAVINGS!
For Businesses

FREE!
For Households
and Farms

Bring your hazardous wastes to the 2008 Clean Sweep. Many common items like automotive products, household cleaners, pesticides and home improvement products are hazardous when used, stored or disposed of improperly. Look for items that contain the following warnings on their labels:

Danger, Warning, Caution, Poison, Combustible, Flammable, Corrosive, and Toxic. Households and farms may participate for free, businesses receive discounted rates.



MANITOWOC COUNTY

Residents

- Friday, May 16, 3 pm - 6 pm Kiel City Garage 705 Washington Street, Kiel
- Saturday, May 17, 9 am - 1 pm Manitowoc County Highway Shop 3500 HWY 310, Manitowoc

Farms and Businesses

- Friday, May 16, 10 am - Noon Manitowoc County Highway Shop 3500 HWY 310, Manitowoc
- Friday, May 16, 3 pm - 6 pm Kiel City Garage 705 Washington Street, Kiel

CALUMET COUNTY

Residents, Farms and Businesses

- Friday, May 16, 3 pm - 6 pm Brillion Public Works Garage 634 West Ryan Street, Brillion
- Saturday, May 17, 8 am - 11 am Calumet County Highway Shop 241 East Chestnut Street, Chilton

SHEBOYGAN COUNTY

Residents, Farms and Businesses

- Friday, May 16, 3 pm - 6 pm Veolia ES 2905 Paine Avenue, Sheboygan
- Saturday, May 17, 8 am - 11 am Sheboygan County Highway Shop W6451 State HWY 28, Cascade

ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

Pesticides

- Insecticides
- Herbicides
- Fungicides
- Rodenticides
- Other poisonous repellents and banned chemicals (DDT)

Paints/Solvents

- Varnishes and Shellacs
- Turpentine and Thinners
- Lead Based Paints
- Latex Paints (Manitowoc County Only)*
- Aerosols
- Wood Preservatives

Cleaners/Cleasers

- Oven Cleaners
- Spot Removers
- Polishes

Other Materials

- Waste Oil and Filters
- Contaminated Oil
- Hydraulic Oil
- Antifreeze
- Gasoline
- Bulk Mercury, Mercury Devices and Compounds
- Acids/Bases
- Mothballs
- Pool Chemicals
- Photographic Chemicals
- Wood Coating, Stripping and Preservative Chemicals

**All residents are encouraged to dispose of latex paint in their regular trash. Just take the lid off and let it dry or add paint hardener or cat litter. Once hardened, latex paint can be disposed of in the trash.

UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS

- Explosives such as ammunition
- Radioactive materials such as smoke detectors
- Compressed gas tanks and high pressure cylinders such as fire extinguishers and propane tanks
- Unknown chemicals
- Tires
- Infectious and biological waste including sharps and needles
- Light bulbs
- Computer components and monitors and TVs
- Appliances
- Freon gases
- Pharmaceuticals

Other disposal or recycling options exist for many unacceptable items. Contact the Manitowoc County Recycling Center at 920-683-4333 or visit www.manitowocrecycles.org

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HOUSEHOLD GUIDELINES

- Household participants may dispose of acceptable hazardous waste items at no cost.
- Participants must be residents of Manitowoc, Calumet or Sheboygan Counties.
- Wastes must be brought in the original containers. Keep materials separate. Do NOT mix chemicals.
- Unknown substances and commercial waste will not be accepted.
- To prepare materials for transport, line a cardboard box with a plastic bag. Place them in the box and separate with cardboard.
- When arriving at the Clean Sweep disposal site, slow down and follow traffic directions.
- If unable to attend on the 16th or 17th then ask a neighbor to take your materials for you.

FARM GUIDELINES

- Farmers and rural property owners may bring chemicals from active and abandoned farms for disposal at no cost.
- Farms and agricultural businesses must pre-register within the County they plan on participating in by May 9, 2008.
- Many types of agricultural operations are eligible for disposal service including: livestock, grain, holiday trees, poultry, fruit, vegetable and aquaculture.
- Non-agriculture operations that bring in farm chemicals should register as a business and may be eligible for a 50% disposal subsidy.

BUSINESS GUIDELINES

- Businesses must qualify as a Very Small Quantity Generator (VSQG) through self-certification to dispose of their waste.
 - VSQG produce less than 220 pounds of hazardous waste per month.
 - Businesses can be retail, wholesale, manufacturing, commercial real estate, non-profit, schools, churches, golf courses and restaurants.
 - Businesses must pre-register within the County they plan to participate in by May 9, 2008. Late registrants may not be eligible for reduced disposal rates.
- Acceptable items include all those previously listed and chemicals associated with:
- Business site and grounds maintenance such as pesticides, cleaners, disinfectants and vehicle chemicals.
 - Manufacturing and process chemicals such as oxidizers, acids, caustics, technical grade chemicals, laboratory reagents, polymers, reactive metals, mercury-based products, etc.
 - All sludges (weight scale pits, sump pits) is eligible for Clean Sweep disposal. Agrichemical sludge (pesticide containing sludge from mixing and loading operations) is eligible for a 50 percent disposal subsidy.

FARM AND BUSINESS REGISTRATION

Farms and businesses must register in the county they plan on participating in.

- Manitowoc County Clean Sweep, call 683-4333.
- Calumet County Clean Sweep, call 849-1450 ext 3.
- Sheboygan County Clean Sweep call 467-5740.

Program Sponsors: Manitowoc County Solid Waste Dept., Calumet County UW Extension, Sheboygan County Planning and Resources Dept., The Veolia Hickory Meadows Landfill, The Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection (DATCP), Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR), and Waste Management Inc.