

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

WHAT IS HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE?

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) includes products used in and around the home that are **flammable, corrosive, reactive or toxic**.

WHY DISPOSE OF HHW SEPARATELY?

By disposing of HHW separately it will be properly handled and packaged to minimize exposure to potentially harmful chemicals and will also decrease the likelihood that these chemicals will enter the environment.

AUTOMOTIVE FLUIDS AND KEROSENE

Kerosene, automatic transmission fluid and power steering fluid can be recycled with motor oil at designated collection points at the I-95 Landfill Complex and the I-66 Transfer Station Complex any day of the week. Brake fluid and gasoline should be brought to the attended HHW drop-off locations at the I-95 Landfill Complex or the I-66 Transfer Station during operating hours.

DISPOSAL OF AUTOMOBILE BATTERIES

Used batteries can be traded in when purchasing a new battery. Lead acid batteries may be brought to recycling centers at the I-95 Landfill Complex or the I-66 Transfer Station any day of the week.

WHAT SHOULD I DO WITH LATEX PAINT?

Latex Paint may be recycled in quantities that are greater than 1/4 of a can at the I-95 Landfill Complex or the I-66 Transfer Station any day of the week. Cans that are less than 1/4 full should be left open to dry out. Once dry, they can be placed in a bag with household trash and set at the curb on your normal collection day. As a last resort, bring it to the County's HHW sites. Usable paint (cans 90% full) may be donated to Habitat for Humanity through HHW's program.

BUSINESS HAZARDOUS WASTE

Fairfax County businesses are responsible for managing their own hazardous waste. The County holds six collection events a year for qualified **Very Small Quantity Generators (formerly CESQGs)** to dispose of small amounts of hazardous waste at a fee. Call 703-324-5230 for more information. Business hazardous waste may also be disposed of by a hazardous waste collection vendor.



FAIRFAX COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

Solid Waste Management Program
12000 Government Center Parkway, Suite 458
Fairfax, Virginia 22035

TRASH AND RECYCLING QUESTIONS

Administrative Office & After Hours Recording	703-324-5230
ADA Representative	TTY 711
Recycling InfoLine	703-324-5052
I-95 Landfill	703-690-1703
I-66 Transfer Station	703-631-1179
Mulch InfoLine	703-324-5995

www.fairfaxcounty.gov/publicworks/recycling-trash/household-hazardous-waste



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To request reasonable ADA accommodations, call the Solid Waste Management Program at 703-324-5230, TTY 711.

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HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE DISPOSAL PROGRAM

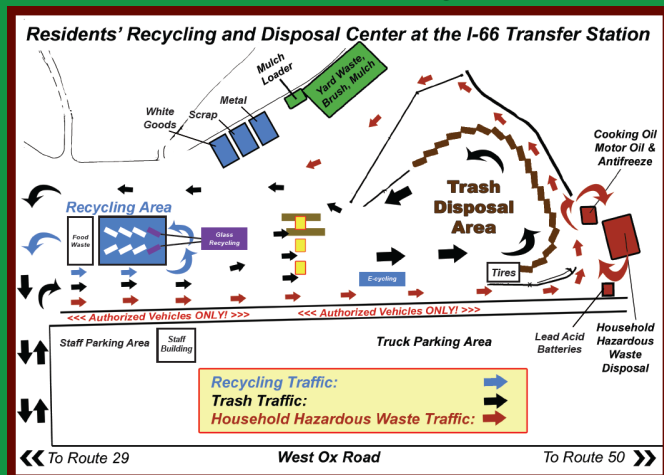
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I-66 TRANSFER STATION

4618 West Ox Road, Fairfax, Virginia 22030



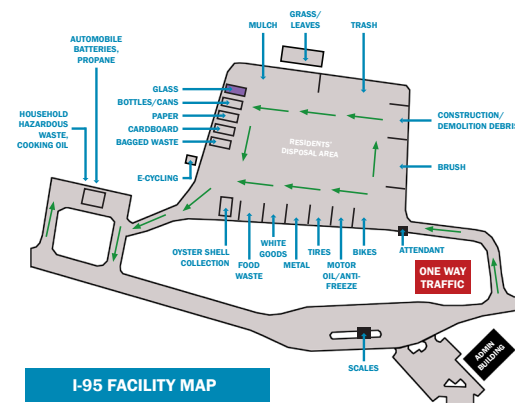
HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE HOURS

Visit the Fairfax County Household Hazardous Waste site for HHW facility hours:

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I-95 LANDFILL COMPLEX

9850 Furnace Road, Lorton, Virginia 22079



ITEMS ACCEPTED AT BOTH HHW DISPOSAL LOCATIONS:

- Acids
- Aerosol Sprays
- Algaecide
- Auto Brake Fluid
- Coal Tar Products
- Fire Extinguishers
- Fluorescent/LED Bulbs and Lamps
- Creosote Products
- Driveway Sealers
- Floor Care Products
- Fungicides
- Gasoline
- CO2 Cylinders (small)
- Glue (Solvent Base)
- Herbicides
- Inks & Dyes
- Insecticides
- MAPP Gas Cylinder (torch size only)
- Mercury Products
- Moth Balls
- Oxygen Cylinders (torch size only)
- Paint (Oil Base/Latex)
- Paint Thinner
- Pesticides
- Nitrogen Cylinders
- Poisons
- Pool Chemicals
- Propane (torch and camping size only)
- Rechargeable Batteries (NICAD, nickel metal hydride [NIMH] and Lithium batteries only)
- Rust Removers
- Stains
- Varnish
- Wood Preservers
- Refrigerant Cylinders
- Helium Tanks

Please deliver HHW materials to collection sites in cardboard boxes and only during operating hours. Do not put materials in plastic bags.

NOTE: Asbestos is no longer accepted at either of these locations. Materials containing asbestos should be disposed of at properly-permitted facilities. For information related to asbestos disposal, please call the I-66 Transfer Station at 703-690-1179, TTY 711, or the I-95 Landfill Complex at 703-690-1703, TTY 711.

RESIDENTS RESPONSIBILITY (AT HOME)

OK TO POUR DOWN THE DRAIN:

- Cleaners (ammonia base)
- Diluted Mixed Photo Chemicals
- Drain Cleaners

OK TO THROW AWAY IN THE TRASH:

- Fertilizers/Lime
- Empty Containers of any kind
- Alkaline and Carbon Zinc Household Batteries
- Permissible Fireworks/Flares (thoroughly soak in water first)
- Shoe Polish
- Smoke Alarms
- Latex Paints (dried)
- Non-Commercial Syringes (Place in plastic container with screw-on top.)
- Medicine (mix with water, coffee grounds or kitty litter to make unusable)

OTHER WASTE - NOT ACCEPTED AT HHW DISPOSAL SITES:

- Ammunition (Contact the Fairfax County Police Department at 703-246-2253, TTY 703-204-2264)
- Explosives and Radioactive Materials (Contact the Department of Public Safety Communications at 703-691-2131, TTY 711)
- Non-Permissible or Unused Fireworks (Contact the Fire Marshal's Office at 703-246-4849, TTY 711)
- Propane Tanks (Common 20 lb. bbq-style propane tanks are accepted at HHW for a fee. Tanks must be paid for prior to arrival and a receipt provided. Return large tanks to supplier.)
- Compressed Gas Cylinders (except those listed above) Contact local supplier

RECYCLE WASTE COOKING OIL!

Waste cooking oil is accepted every day at the I-66 Transfer Station or the I-95 Landfill Complex. Take cooking oil directly to the Household Hazardous Waste facility for recycling! DO NOT pour cooking oil into the motor oil recycling tanks. Acceptable types of cooking oils include vegetable, peanut, canola, olive, and deep fryer oils. This is NOT intended for fats and grease. Please continue to "can the grease" and dispose of it in the trash.

