What Chemicals are Acceptable?

Virtually all damaged or unwanted chemicals including:

- **Pesticides**: herbicides, insecticides, fungicides, rodenticides including silvex, atrazine, 2,4-D, captan, malathion, DDT, parathion, chlordane, lindane, 2,4,5-T

- **Chemicals include**: lead arsenate, wood preservatives, creosote, penta, lead and oil paint, solvents, wood finishes, acids, oxidizers, pool chemicals and sanitizers, engine degreasers, parts cleaners, acid washes.

Unacceptable Materials

- Explosives, including detonators and blasting caps
- Radioactives, including smoke alarms
- Infectious and biological wastes
- Freon 11 and 12
- Propane tanks and cylinders
- Waste oil (take to recycling site)
- Latex paint

Your business or organization is fully liable if an employee or customer is harmed by waste chemicals or if waste chemicals leak into the environment.

Why expose your business or organization to unnecessary risk when there is an easy, low cost solution!
A Cheap and Convenient way to safely and properly dispose of business, institution and farm hazardous waste in Waukesha County

Who Can Participate?

Active and inactive farms, businesses, government, schools in Waukesha County. Also co-ops, golf courses, right-of-way applicators, aerial applicators, landscape companies, retail stores, real estate management companies, and others.

Farms and Farm Properties

Any operating farm or inactive farm is eligible for free disposal for up to 500 pounds of farm chemicals. Farmers may be required to pay for amounts over 500 pounds, depending on grant budget.

Businesses and Institutions

DATCP offers a 50% disposal subsidy for waste pesticides only. Businesses must pay the remaining balance. A price quote will be provided based on the pre-registration inventory.

How to participate - Easy as 1, 2, 3

1. Pre-Register at least 5 business days in advance
   For a registration form, contact Waukesha County Recycling and Solid Waste at 262-896-8300 or visit the website www.waukeshacounty.gov/hhw

2. Estimate the types and quantities of materials for disposal. Businesses fax form to the waste contractor. Farms return form to the County.


Handling Precautions

- Materials should be properly identified in their original containers with original labels, if possible.
- Do not mix substances together! Doing so can be extremely dangerous.
- Visually inspect containers before lifting or moving them.
- Secure all lids, caps and covers before lifting or moving.
- Never place hazardous chemicals in the passenger compartment of vehicles. Transport in the trunk of cars or the bed of trucks.

2 Collection Locations: Open to any Waukesha County participant

Waukesha
City of Waukesha Incinerator Building
900 Sentry Drive
8AM - noon
Feb-March & November: 2nd Saturday only
April-October: 2nd and 4th Saturdays

Oconomowoc– special one-day collection
City Public Works Garage
630 South Worthington Street
8AM - noon
2nd Saturday in September

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