

2018



SOUTHERN WINDSOR/WINDHAM COUNTIES
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

Andover Recycles

Household Hazardous Waste Collections



www.vtsolidwastedistrict.org

The Southern Windsor/Windham Counties Solid Waste Management District will hold household hazardous waste collections on:

Saturday, May 12	Springfield Transfer Station	9:00—1:00
Saturday, May 19	Weathersfield Transfer Station	9:00—1:00
Saturday, September 8	Springfield Transfer Station	9:00—1:00
Saturday, September 15	Goodyear Building in Windsor	9:00—1:00

Bring:

aerosols
antifreeze
automotive products
gasoline
hobby chemicals
household cleaners
kerosene
mercury thermometers
mercury thermostats
paint cleaners
pesticides
paint
pool chemicals

Bring in a mercury thermometer—get a free digital thermometer.

Do NOT Bring:

asbestos
ammunition
fireworks
medical waste
medicines
radioactive material

Transfer stations take:

tires
auto batteries
alkaline batteries
computers
fluorescent bulbs

All wastes in 55-gallon drums—**MUST** call ahead



Unwanted medication

drop boxes are located at police departments in: Bellows Falls, Ludlow, Springfield, and Windsor. Easy and safe



Used motor oil is accepted at Advance Auto Parts, Springfield (546-2558); Matulonis Body Shop, Springfield (885-5000); & Spurr's Repair, Perkinsville (263-5459).

Call first to confirm. All of these businesses want the oil to be "**clean**" - no water, no antifreeze, no other fluids mixed with it.

Both oil-based and latex paint are accepted **year-round, for free**, by Bibens Home Center and Sherwin-Williams in Springfield. The paint cans must not be rusty or leaky.



Bring the rusty cans to a household hazardous waste collection.

Recyclables and Trash

You can contract with a hauler, or take recycling, trash, and food scraps to the following facility—

RECYCLING FACILITY	HOURS OF OPERATION	CONTACT	PHONE
Chester-Springfield Transfer Station and Recycling Center 100 Recycle Road, Springfield	Monday 12:30pm-4:30pm Wednesday 8:30am-4:30pm Saturday 8:00am-4:00pm	Dan Farrar	885.5827

A ticket system is used for trash payment. Purchase tickets at Springfield Town Hall, Jake's South Street Market, Joe's Discount Beverages, Springfield Mobil, Chester Town Hall, and Chester Hardware. Recycling is free. A list of accepted recyclables is available at the Transfer Station or at vtsolidwastedistrict.org.

All kinds of batteries are accepted and recycled **for free** at the Transfer Station: rechargeable, alkaline, hearing aid, watch, and car batteries.



Fluorescent tubes and bulbs have mercury in them so they need to be disposed of properly. The Transfer Station accepts them **for free**.



Televisions, computer monitors, printers, hard-drives, and peripherals are recycled **for free** at the Transfer Station.

Useable, saleable **clothing** is accepted at the Second Chance Shop at the Transfer Station and at the SEVCA Good Buy Store on Main Street in Springfield. Everything else (clean and dry linens, shoes, purses, belts, gloves, towels, sheets, and stuffed animals) can go in the yellow Planet Aid boxes.

Backyard Composters for Sale

The District offers Soil Saver composters for sale every spring for \$50. The 100% recycled plastic composter is 28" wide x 28" deep x 32" high and has a 10-year manufacturer's guarantee.



We also sell Sure-Close food-scrap pails for \$5 each.

To order, call 674-9235 for an order form or download one from the District's website, www.vtsolidwastedistrict.org.

Order is due by Friday, April 13.
Pick up on Saturday, April 28.

Backyard Composting Workshops

The District is offering workshops again this year. If you attend one, you can purchase one composter at the greatly discounted price of \$35.00 (additional composters are \$50). The workshops will be held at 6:00 p.m. on the following Thursdays:

- ◆ Whiting Library in Chester— May 3
- ◆ First Congregational Church, Springfield— May 31
- ◆ Reading Town Hall— June 14
- ◆ Rockingham Free Public Library— June 21

The workshop presentation is about 45 minutes with time afterwards for questions. To sign up, call 674-9235 or email mobrien@swrcpc.org.