2020

West Windsor Recycles

SOUTHERN WINDSOR/WINDHAM COUNTIES SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

Household Hazardous Waste Collections

www.vtsolidwastedistrict.org 674-9235

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

Tuesday, May 12	Springfield Transfer Station	2:00 pm—6:00 pm
Tuesday, Sept. 15	Springfield Transfer Station	2:00 pm—6:00 pm

Businesses that are Conditionally Exempt Generators may participate but must pre-register and pay for disposal costs. Call 674-9234 for a registration form.

Bring:

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

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

Do NOT Bring:

asbestos
ammunition
fireworks
medical waste
medicines
radioactive material

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Transfer stations take:

- tires
- auto batteries
- household 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 Spurr's Repair in Perkinsville (263-5459), and Advance Auto Parts (546-2558), and Matulonis Body Shop (885-5000) in Springfield.

Call first to confirm. 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 Aubuchon Hardware in Windsor and 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
Weathersfield Transfer Station and Recycling Center 5024 Route 106	Wednesday 12:00 pm—5:00 pm Saturday 7:00 am—4:00 pm Sunday 12:00 pm—4:00 pm	Tyler Waters	263-5651

West Windsor residents who use the Transfer Station must obtain and display a current vehicle sticker, which may be obtained at the West Windsor Town Office. Trash disposal is paid by a punch card system. Punch cards may be purchased at the Sunoco Station in Ascutney, West Windsor Town Office, and Downers Corners Store in Perkinsville. For recycling information, visit www.vtsolidwastedistrict.org.

All kinds of batteries are accepted and recycled **for free** at the Transfer Station: AA, AAA, C, D, 9v, hearing aid, watch, and rechargeable 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 SEVCA Good Buy Store , 23-25 Main Street in Springfield. Everything else (clean and dry linens, shoes, purses, belts, gloves, towels, sheets, and stuffed animals) can go in a yellow Planet Aid box. Visit www.planetaid.org/find-a-bin and put in your ZIP code.

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 3. Pick up on or after Saturday, April 25. (Order form has details.)

Backyard Composting Workshops

The District is offering workshops this spring. Attendees can purchase one composter at the greatly discounted price of $35.00 (additional composters are $50). The workshops will be held as follows:

- Windsor Welcome Center—Sat., April 25, 2:00
- Springfield Public Library—Thurs. May 7, 6:30
- Rockingham Public Library—Thurs. May 28, 6:30

The presentation is about 30 minutes with time afterwards for questions. To sign up, call 674-9235 or email mobrien@swcrpc.org.

As of July 1, 2020, food scraps are banned from the trash. Compost them in your backyard, bring them to the transfer station or pay for pickup.