

# 2022



SOUTHERN WINDSOR / WINDHAM COUNTIES  
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

# Windsor Recycles

## Household Hazardous Waste Collection



www.swwcswmd.org

802-674-9235

### No more 4-hour collections

The District is in the process of permitting a permanent, seasonal household hazardous waste facility. It will be open mid- to late- May through September, by appointment only. When we get all of the permits and containers in place, we will advertise the days and hours that the facility is open. There will be a nominal charge—\$10 for up to 10 gallons/car.

#### 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

*For possible solutions to these problem wastes, call 802-674-9235.*

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 Tony's Used Autos, 574 Route 5 in North Hartland, 295-2215.



Call first to confirm. The oil must be "**clean**" - no water, no antifreeze, no other fluids mixed with it.

Wal-Mart also takes used motor oil.

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.



If they still contain paint, bring rusty, leaky cans to the permanent HHW facility.

# Recyclables and Trash

Windsor residents contract with private haulers to pick up their trash and recyclables, or stop by the “Fast Trash” on Wednesdays, 4:00 pm—7:00 pm when Jeff’s Rubbish Removal parks a truck just off of Route 5, north of Price Chopper. Jeff Hook charges by volume for trash. Residential recyclables are free with trash disposal. He also takes food scraps.

**Dump Day!** For Windsor Residents only. Items that are too big for curbside pickup can be disposed of at the former Goodyear Building at 28 River Street on:

- ◆ Saturday, June 25 9:00 am—12:00 pm
- ◆ Fall date TBD *donations encouraged*

**Also bring:** batteries, electronics, fluorescent bulbs and tubes, scrap metal, and tires

All household batteries (AA, AAA, C, D, 9v, hearing aid, watch, and rechargeables) are accepted and recycled **for free** outside (24/7) at the entrance of the Windsor Town Office.



Look for the buckets.

Fluorescent tubes and bulbs have mercury in them so they need to be disposed of properly.

Aubuchon Hardware in Windsor accepts them **for free** year-round.



Televisions, computer monitors, printers, hard-drives, and peripherals are recycled **for free year-round**. Any resident of Vermont can recycle these items at any participating transfer station.

Useable, saleable **clothing** is accepted at the Salvation Army Store in West Lebanon, the SEVCA Good Buy stores in Springfield and Hartford, and LISTEN in White River Junction. Ask at each location if they will take clean and dry linens, shoes, purses, belts, gloves, towels, sheets, and stuffed animals.

## Backyard Composters for Sale

The District offers Soil Saver composters for sale every spring for **\$65**. 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 purchase**, call 802-674-9235 for an order form or download one from the District’s website.

## Backyard Composting Workshops

The District has a video about composting by our own Master Composter, Ham Gillett. Just go to the District website, [www.swwscswmd.org](http://www.swwscswmd.org) and scroll down on the home page until you see the link.

There is also additional composting information on our website.

We hope to offer in-person workshops when the COVID-19 pandemic subsides.

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