

2023



SOUTHERN WINDSOR / WINDHAM COUNTIES
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

Windsor Recycles

Household Hazardous Waste Collection



www.vtsolidwastedistrict.org

802-674-9235

No more 4-hour collections.

The District opened a permanent, seasonal household hazardous waste (HHW) Depot in 2022. It is open from May through September, ***by appointment only***. There is a nominal charge—\$10 for up to 10 gallons/car. Small businesses can also participate by appointment and by paying for their disposal costs. Call 802-674-9235 to make an appointment.

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, 8082-295-2215.

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, leaking cans to the seasonal HHW Depot.

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.

Windsor Great Give Away Take part in the townwide treasure hunt. Place unwanted items curbside on Saturday, May 13 and Saturday, September 30. Remove anything that isn’t taken by 4:00 pm and bring it to the Dump Day a week later. “Give away before throw away”

Dump Days For Windsor residents only. Items that are too big for curbside pickup can be disposed of at the Goodyear Building at 28 River Street on:

- ◆ Saturday, May 20 8:00 am—12:00 pm
- ◆ Saturday, October 7 8:00 am—12:00 pm

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 store in Springfield, and LISTEN in Lebanon. Look for white Apparel Impact boxes around the area, too.

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 \$6 each.

To purchase, call 802-674-9235 for an order form or download one from the District’s website.

Backyard Composting

The District has a video about composting by our own Master Composter, Ham Gillett. Just go to the District website, www.vtsolidwastedistrict.org and scroll down on the home page until you see the link.

There is also additional composting information on our website.

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