Hazardous Waste in *Your* Home??

Hazardous Waste is not just an industrial problem. Many household products contain hazardous chemicals. We are all hazardous waste generators!

2017 HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION

EXETER, STRATHAM, NEWFIELDS, EAST KINGSTON, EPPING, SEABROOK & SOUTH HAMPTON

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2017

8:00 am—1:00 pm

Exeter Public Works Garage, Newfields Road (Route 85), Exeter

FROM THE ***YARD***	*FROM THE* ***GARAGE***	*FROM THE* ***HOUSE***	*FROM THE* ***WORKBENCH***
Pesticides	Motor Oil	Rechargeable Batteries	Rust Remover
Insect Sprays	Auto Batteries	Drain & Oven Cleaners	Wood Preservatives
Rodent Killers	Antifreeze	Furniture Polish	Paint Thinners
Pool Chemicals	Brake Fluid	Metal Polish	Oil Based Paints
Muriatic Acid	Wax & Polish	Fluorescent Light bulbs	Solvents
No-Pest Strips	Engine Degreasers	Photo Chemicals	Degreasers
Lead sinkers, flashing	Carburetor Cleaner	Mercury Thermometers	Mercury
Creosote	Asbestos (wetted and double bagged)	Fire Extinguishers	

LIMIT PER HOUSEHOLD: 10 GALLONS or Equivalent

LATEX Paint and Alkaline Batteries not Accepted (not hazardous)

NOTE: Electronic Recycling will not be held at HHW day.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

The following wastes **cannot be accepted**: Gas Cylinders, Explosive Materials, Ammunition, Radioactive Materials, Infectious and Biological Wastes, Prescription Medicines/Syringes, Esters, and Unknown Materials.

Please don't bring them!

COLLECTION IS FOR EXETER, STRATHAM, NEWFIELDS, EAST KINGSTON, EPPING, SEABROOK & SOUTH HAMPTON RESIDENTS ONLY

Sponsored by the Towns of Exeter, Stratham, Newfields, East Kingston, Epping, Seabrook & South Hampton.
Organized by **Rockingham Planning Commission—778-0885**.
For more information: Exeter: 778-0591; Stratham: 772-4741; Newfields: 772-5070; East Kingston: 642-8406; Epping: 679-5441; Seabrook: 474-9771; and South Hampton: 394-7696

***** A DONATION OF $5 PER HOUSEHOLD IS REQUESTED TO HELP OFFSET COSTS. *****

PLEASE

WE WILL NOT BE COLLECTING ELECTRONICS AT THE 2017 HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

TIPS ON TOXICS

PURCHASE

- **Read the label.** Look for the words "non-toxic" and compare products:
- **Use non-toxic alternatives.** Many times a general household cleaner is just as effectives as a specialized product;
- **Buy only what you need**;
- **Buy products with child-proof packaging**;
- **Buy non-aerosol products.** Aerosols product a fine mist which, when breathed, can settle deep in the lungs. Chemicals are then quickly absorbed into the bloodstream. Aerosol cans can explode if stored near heat or flame.

USE

- **Use products in a well ventilated room and avoid breathing fumes.** Take breaks and work outside whenever possible;
- **Wear protective clothing**;
- **NEVER mix products.** Combining ammonia and chlorine bleach produces deadly chlorine fumes. Mixing chemicals can even cause explosions;
- **Use only the recommended amount.** Twice as much is not twice as good and may be twice as toxic.

IF PREGNANT, avoid exposure to toxics;

- **In case of poisoning call Poison Control at (1-800-562-8236).**

STORAGE

- **Store in a safe place.** Keep all toxics away from children;
- **Close containers securely.** Some products like gasoline, oil-based paint & thinner can evaporate & pollute the air where they are stored.
- **Keep all products in their original containers.**

DISPOSAL

- **Use up a product to there is nothing left to dispose; —** the simplest of all disposal solutions!
- **Donate leftover paints and other products to a service organization.** Make sure the product is securely packaged and well labeled;
- **Take motor oil to a recycling center in your area.** Some service stations accept used motor oil; many Towns do at their public works garages, including Exeter and Stratham;
- **Never pour harmful chemicals down the drain or on the ground.** These chemicals include pesticides, paints, preservatives, automotive products, home hobby chemicals and cleaning fluids;
- **Take your household toxics to the household hazardous waste collection.** Individuals can take left-over chemicals to a central collection point and the chemicals are disposed of at licensed treatment and disposal facilities;
- **Take advantage of *New* Statewide programs for LEAD SINKER AND NiCd BATTERY disposal — available year round.** For the location of disposal sites in the area contact the NHDES or the Rockingham Planning Commission at the numbers shown below.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL...

NH Poison Control —	1-800-562-8236
NH Dept of Environmental Services —	271-2047
Rockingham County/UNH Coop. Ext.—	679-5616
Rockingham Planning Commission —	778-0885

WHEN MAKING PURCHASES, AVOID PRODUCTS CONTAINING:

Benzine, Toluene, Naphthalene, Trichloroethylene, Tetrachloroethylene, Methylene, Chloride, Carbon Tetrachloride