

Acceptable HHW Materials

Household:

- Cleaners
- Mothballs
- Photo chemicals
- Full/partially-full aerosols
- Arts & crafts supplies
- Mercury Thermometers
- Fluorescent light bulbs

Garage:

- Hand-held propane torch cylinders
- Old chemistry kits
- Transmission fluid
- Gasoline, kerosene
- Waxes and polishes
- Brake fluid
- Rust preventatives

Workshop:

- Wood preservatives
- Wood strippers
- Oil-based paint
- Latex paint
- Lead-based paint
- Paint thinner
- Degreasers
- Solvents
- Sealants

Yard/Garden:

- Weed killer
- Insect sprays
- Rodent poison
- Muriatic acid/pool chemicals
- Cesspool cleaners

Unacceptable HHW Materials

- **Explosives, fireworks, ammunition** – *State Police*
- **BBQ Propane tanks** – *Lehigh Gas, Middletown; Cross Automotive, Wethersfield*
- **Fire extinguishers** – *Shoreline Fire Equip, Old Saybrook; Roybal, Middletown*
- **Empty aerosol cans** – *recycling*
- **Drugs** – *call local Police for details*
- **Bottled Gas** – *Airgas, Waterford*
- **Electronics** – *transfer stations*

**Identification
required**

**No fee to
Participate**

Commercial HHW

Commercial hazardous waste accepted
by appointment only.

Contact RiverCOG for information.

*Come, dispose of waste
correctly.
Don't put it in the trash!!*



RiverCOG

Lower Connecticut River Valley Council of Governments

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

**Collections
and**

PAPER SHREDDING Events

2023

REVISED

Change Alert!! New collection sites

S e l e c t e d S a t u r d a y s

April through October

**For information: www.rivercog.org
info@rivercog.org
860-581-8554**

We've Made Changes!

We are now doing satellite collections.
All 16 of the participating RiverCOG
towns can come to any and all of the
events!

Participating Towns

Chester, Clinton, Cromwell, Deep River, Durham,
East Hampton, Essex, Haddam, Killingworth, Lyme,
Middlefield, Middletown, Old Lyme, Old Saybrook,
Portland and Westbrook

All towns may come to any and all events!

Paper Shredding Selected Saturdays 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

**Colchester-East Hampton
Water Pollution Control Facility**
20 Gildersleeve Drive, East Hampton
May 13th

Westbrook Town Hall
866 Boston Post Road
June 24th

Middlefield Community Center
405 Main Street, Middlefield
September 23rd

Chester Town Hall
203 Middlesex Avenue, Chester
October 14th

Household Hazardous Waste Selected Saturdays 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Clinton Public Works Garage
117 Nod Road, Clinton
April 22nd

**Colchester-East Hampton
Water Pollution Control Facility**
20 Gildersleeve Drive, East Hampton
May 6th

Lyme/Old Lyme Middle School
49 Lyme St, Old Lyme
June 17th

Woodside Intermediate School
30 Woodside Road, Cromwell
July 22nd

(OLD) HHW Facility
11 Dump Road, Essex
August 19th

Middlesex Community College
100 Training Hill Road, Middletown
September 16th

Haddam Elem. School
272 Saybrook Road, Higganum
October 21st

ADDITIONAL RECYCLING INFORMATION !!!

CONSUMER ELETRONICS, BATTERIES, MERCURY THERMOSTATS & MATTRESSES

These items can now be brought
to each town's transfer station or
landfill, at no cost; materials will be
recycled.

LATEX AND OIL BASE PAINTS

Unwanted leftover latex or oil base
paints can be brought to
participating retail stores,
participating transfer stations or
household hazardous waste
collections. Go to paintcare.org for
additional information.

Paper Shredding Note:

**This is NOT for businesses! Only for
personal residential papers! !**

LIMIT 5 bags or boxes
Approx. 9" h. x 18"w. x 12"d.

No junk mail, magazines, books, cards,
envelopes, metal ring-binders, etc. will
be accepted at events.