Acceptable Materials

**Household:**
- Cleaners
- Mothballs
- Photo chemicals
- Full/partially-full aerosols
- Arts & crafts supplies
- Batteries: button or recyclable
- Mercury Thermometers
- Fluorescent light bulbs

**Garage:**
- Hand-held propane torch cylinders
- Old chemistry kits
- Transmission fluid
- Gasoline, kerosene
- Waxes and polishes
- Brake fluid
- Rust preventative

**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

Identification required

No fee to Participate

Unacceptable Materials

- Explosives, fireworks, ammunition – State Police, local marinas
- BBQ Propane tanks – Deep River RentAll
- Fire extinguishers – Shoreline Fire Extinguishers, Old Saybrook
- Empty aerosol cans – recycling
- Drugs – call Police for details.
- Bottled Gas – Airgas, Waterford

Directions to Household Hazardous Waste Facility

**5 Dump Road, Essex, CT**

**From Rte. 9 North:**
Exit 4 — Straight off exit ramp, cross over RR tracks. Drive to the top of the hill. HHW facility is on the left (past CRRA/MIRA & Transfer Station)

**From Rte. 9 South:**
Exit 4 – Go left off exit ramp, turn right at light, cross over RR tracks …..HHW on the left.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE Collections and PAPER SHREDDING Events

2019

Selected Saturdays
April through October

For information: www.rivercog.org
info@rivercog.org
860-581-8554
Consumer Electronics & Mattresses

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

2019
Events for the 10 towns of:
Chester, Clinton, Deep River, Essex, Haddam, Killingworth, Lyme, Old Lyme, Old Saybrook and Westbrook

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

Essex HHW Facility
Rte. 9, Exit 4, Dump Road, Essex

May 11th
June 1st and June 22nd
July 13th
Aug 10th
Sept 7th
Oct 5th and Oct 19th

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

Essex HHW Facility
Rte. 9, Exit 4, Dump Road, Essex

June 29th
Sept 14th

2019
Events for the 16 towns of:
Chester, Clinton, Cromwell, Deep River, Durham, East Hampton, Essex, Haddam, Killingworth, Lyme, Middlefield, Middletown, Old Lyme, Old Saybrook, Portland and Westbrook

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

Clinton Public Works Garage
117 Nod Road, Clinton

April 13th

Colchester-East Hampton
Water Pollution Control Facility
20 Gildersleeve Drive, East Hampton

May 4th

Woodside Intermediate School
30 Woodside Drive, Cromwell

July 20th

Middlesex Community College
100 Training Hill Road, Middletown

October 12th

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

Colchester-East Hampton
Water Pollution Control Facility
20 Gildersleeve Drive, East Hampton

June 8th

Middlefield Community Center
405 Main Street, Middlefield

Aug 17th

ADDITIONAL RECYCLING INFORMATION !!!

CONSUMER ELECTRONICS & 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.

Commercial HHW

Commercial hazardous waste accepted by appointment only.

(Contact River COG for information.)

Paper Shredding Note:
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 paper shredding events.