WHAT IS HAZARDOUS WASTE?

Hazardous waste is any product that is toxic in nature and should NOT be disposed of as everyday trash. It requires special handling, processing, and disposal. Some of these materials may be recycled but are not part of the routine recycling program. So please take advantage of this once-a-year opportunity.

WHY PARTICIPATE?

♦ Avoid health problems and environmental damage ♦ Save landfill space

♦ Conservation and Re-use of Dwindling Resources

This collection is a once-a-year opportunity to properly dispose of or recycle a variety of hazardous materials.
So mark your calendars for Friday and Saturday, September 9 & 10, 2011

PRE-REGISTRATION

Pre-registration a **must** by September 2nd**.** Households, farms and small businesses register separately.
Small businesses subject to fees. Have the following information ready:
1) Name; 2) Address; **3) A list of what you are bringing;** 4) We will issue you a time slot.

THIS IS ALL COMPLETELY CONFIDENTIAL.

Farmers, businesses and households call: from 9am - 4pm, M-F at (607) 865-6474 or email:
CleansweepDelaware@gmail.com during the pre-registration period.

How Should Wastes Be Transported?

1) Bring wastes in their original containers, with caps and lids fully tightened. Never mix hazardous materials together.
2) To prevent spills, pack wastes in sturdy boxes and place newspaper or cardboard between containers. Wrap leaking containers in newspaper and place in a plastic bag.
3) Transport wastes in car trunk or truck bed, in a well ventilated vehicle as far away from passengers. Secure load to prevent shifting during transport.
4) **DO NOT** eat, drink, or smoke while packing, transporting, or dropping off hazardous wastes.
5) At the drop-off location, please remain in your car. Trained personnel will unload your vehicle.

MATERIALS COLLECTED

Hazardous & Semi-Hazardous Waste
Pesticides, poisons, and fertilizers
Solvents, cleaners, brake fluid and degreasers
Polishes and floor care products
Acids and caustics
Flammable liquids, lighter fluid, butane
Oils, paints, stains, varnishes and preservatives*
Adhesives, glues, and driveway sealers
Photograph chemicals
Chlorine, pool, and spa chemicals
Fluorescent bulbs, mercury lights, and ballasts
Tars, creosote, asphalt sealers
Mercury thermometers, switches & thermostats

Electronics
Computers, monitors, printers, laptops, keyboards
Modems, mice, and peripherals
Televisions, VCRs, stereos, radios
Fax machines, copiers, pages, cell phones
Dry cell batteries, button batteries, lithium ion batteries

Pharmaceuticals & Sharps/Syringes
Unwanted medications
Pet medications
Syringes, lances, and sharps

PAINT SHOULD BE CONSOLIDATED INTO FULL CANS
Empty Containers Are Garbage

MATERIALS *NOT* COLLECTED
Ammunition/Explosives/Flares/Fireworks
Biological or medical wastes
Radioactive Wastes

Materials Accepted ALL year at the Solid Waste Management Center

Antifreeze/Freon
Appliances
Asbestos (prior approval needed)
Car batteries (wet cell batteries)
Computers, electronics, TV's (no limit)
Household batteries (please tape ends)
Motor oil (uncontaminated only, 5 gal limit)
Oil Filters

Register NOW!

NEW UNLIMITED ELECTRONICS!

15th Annual CLEAN SWEEP

Chemical Disposal Day

ATTENTION DELAWARE COUNTY

Residents, Farmers & Small Businesses

SAFE DISPOSAL OF

Pharmaceuticals
Syringes/Sharps
Household Hazardous Waste
Agricultural Pesticide

Drop-Off Day for Farms & Business ONLY, Friday, September 9th

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Free Drop-Off Day for Households ONLY, Saturday, September 10th

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Call (607) 865-6474 from August 22nd - September 2nd with your detailed list of items and quantity that you wish to bring. Email registration is also available and highly recommended. Email CleansweepDelaware@gmail.com. Appointments are available for:

Friday, September 9th

** small businesses from 10:00am - Noon ("at cost" fee will apply for businesses)
** farms from Noon - 2:00pm (no fee)

Saturday, September 10th

** households from 8:00am - Noon (no fee) (Please consolidate latex paints)

Don't miss your only chance this year to clean out potentially dangerous materials from your home, garage, basement & barn.

E-mail registration info to:

CleansweepDelaware@gmail.com

or call (607) 865-6474 from 9am - 4pm, M-F

Registration Open August 22 - September 2

Pre-Registration is Mandatory.