Free Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Recycling Event in McHenry County

Saturday June 26, 2021 8am-3pm

Huntley School District Reed Road Campus-10910 Reed Rd, Lake in the Hills

** Location was changed from original posting**

-- This event is free and open to all Illinois residents. This event is for residential waste only. Agricultural, Business and Institutional waste will not be accepted.

-- Please

- Make sure all waste materials are clearly labeled and safely packaged for transport to the event.
- Consider carpooling or condensing multiple families waste into one vehicle.
- Stay in your vehicle while at the event; staff will unload items from your vehicle.

-- For additional information on Recycling in McHenry County please visit www.mchenry.edu/green

Items that will be accepted

- ✓ Acids
- ✓ Adhesives
- ✓ Aerosol Products
- ✓ Antifreeze
- ✓ Auto Fluids
- ✓ Ballasts (PCB)
- ✓ Batteries– power tools and household sizes (No automotive/lead acid batteries)
- ✓ Black top Sealer– oil based
- ✓ Cleaning Products
- ✓ Cooking oil
- ✓ Corrosives
- ✓ Drain Cleaners
- ✓ Fluorescent bulbs (tubes and CFL's)
- ✓ Gasoline and oil/gas mixtures
- ✓ HID lightbulbs (headlight bulbs)
- ✓ Hobby and Photo Chemicals
- ✓ Lawn Chemicals
- ✓ Medications (no controlled substances or needles)
- ✓ Mercury-containing devices (switches, thermostats, thermometers)
- ✓ Mercury
- ✓ Oil-based Paints, Stains and Varnishes (NO LATEX PAINT)
- ✓ Paint Thinners
- ✓ Pesticides, poisons, herbicides, insecticides
- ✓ Pool Chemicals
- ✓ Resins, Glues
- ✓ Solvents
- ✓ Used Motor Oil

These Items CAN NOT and WILL NOT be accepted, please do not bring them, it will only slow down the line.

- × LATEX PAINT– Latex Paint is not hazardous and can be safely dried and discarded as trash. See the McHenry County Green Guide for additional options for recycling latex paint.
- × Acetylene Cylinders
- × Agricultural Waste
- × Ammunition, explosives, or fireworks
- × Biological and medical waste
- × Business, Institutional or commercial sector wastes
- × Controlled Substances-Pharmaceuticals
- × Farm machinery oil
- × Fire Extinguishers– Foam Cylinders (Part A/ Bart B)
- × Lead-acid (auto) Batteries
- × MAPP Gases
- × Needles/Syringes
- × Oxygen Tanks
- × Propane Tanks
- × Radioactive Material
- × Smoke Detectors

This event is made possible by the Lake in the Hills Sanitary District and the McHenry County Department of Health with support from the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency.

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