



RESIDENTIAL/HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION

DATE: SATURDAY, MAY 14, 2011
TIME: 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM
LOCATION: COMPUWARE SPORTS ARENA

ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

Adhesives
Aerosol Cans
(up to 12 inches tall-NO cylinders, NO fire extinguishers)
Automotive Fluids
(any type including used motor oil & antifreeze)
Batteries (all types)
Computer Equipment (see DPS Fact Sheet 12 for
harddrive cleaning tips at www.plymouthtwp.org)
Drain Openers
Driveway Sealers
Fluorescent Light Bulbs
Gasoline
Hobby Chemicals
Laboratory Chemicals
(silver nitrate, hydrochloric acid, etc.)
Lawn and Garden Products
(fertilizers, herbicides, all types, formulas & brands)
Medications
(prescription & over the counter)
Medical Sharps (syringes)
(in sharps or hard plastic container ONLY)
Mercury
Paint and Stain Products
(including latex)
Pesticides
(all types, formulas & brands-includes DDT)
Polishes
(furniture & metal)
Pool Chemicals
Propane Cylinders (20 lb or less)
Reactives
(stump removal, water treatment compounds,
peroxides, elemental metal-sodium potassium)
Resins
Solvents
Wood Preservatives
Items labeled ACID, FLAMMABLE, CAUSTIC, POISON,
CAUTION, TOXIC, DANGER OR WARNING.

Items NOT Accepted

Explosives including Ammunition and Fireworks
Fire Extinguishers
Medical Waste
Radioactive & PCB Containing Materials
Smoke Detectors (Contact the manufacturer)
Televisions & other Electronic Equipment
Tires
Waste Drums






**YOU MUST BE A PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP*
RESIDENT TO PARTICIPATE**



**DRIVER'S LICENSE REQUIRED FOR
RESIDENCY VERIFICATION**

DID YOU KNOW...

-  Americans generate 1.6 million tons of household hazardous waste per year?
-  Hazardous waste that is properly disposed of helps to keep the air we breathe and our waterways clean?
-  What's in your garage?

Contact the Solid Waste Department at 734-354-3270 ext. 4 for more information.

***THE CITY OF PLYMOUTH HAS ELECTED TO NO LONGER PARTICIPATE IN THIS EVENT.**

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

I live in the City of Plymouth can I participate?

No. This event is for Plymouth Township residents ONLY. The City of Plymouth has elected not to co-sponsor this year's event. City of Plymouth Residents should contact their Municipal Offices at 734-453-1234 for options.

What do I need to bring as proof of residency?

A valid Michigan Driver's license or State ID is required to gain access to the collection site.

Does it cost money to participate?

No. There is not a charge to participate.

Can I carpool with my neighbors?

YES! Carpooling is encouraged! Carpooling will save gas, keep the lines shorter and because we are charged per car carpooling will reduce overall costs.

I can't make it on Saturday, May 14th. Will there be more events offered in 2011?

YES! While it is not cost effective for the Charter Township of Plymouth to hold an additional event in 2011, Wayne County offers several events per year that are open to all Wayne County Residents. Currently scheduled events are listed below. Acceptable items vary. Contact Wayne County for more information at 734-326-3936 or www.waynecounty.com.

Saturday, March 26, 2011
Wayne County Community College, Belleville

Saturday, June 18, 2011
Henry Ford Community College, Dearborn

The May 14th event accepts computer equipment, but where can I take other electronics such as TV's VCR's, DVD's, microwaves, stereos, video game consoles, etc. to be recycled?

Retail Outlets

Most retail outlets that sell these items will now accept them for recycling, including computer equipment, for free, for a small fee or in some cases will give you a credit towards the purchase of new equipment.

Donation

Usable equipment may be well received by churches and other non-profits. A quick websearch can assist you in locating these entities.

Wayne County Events

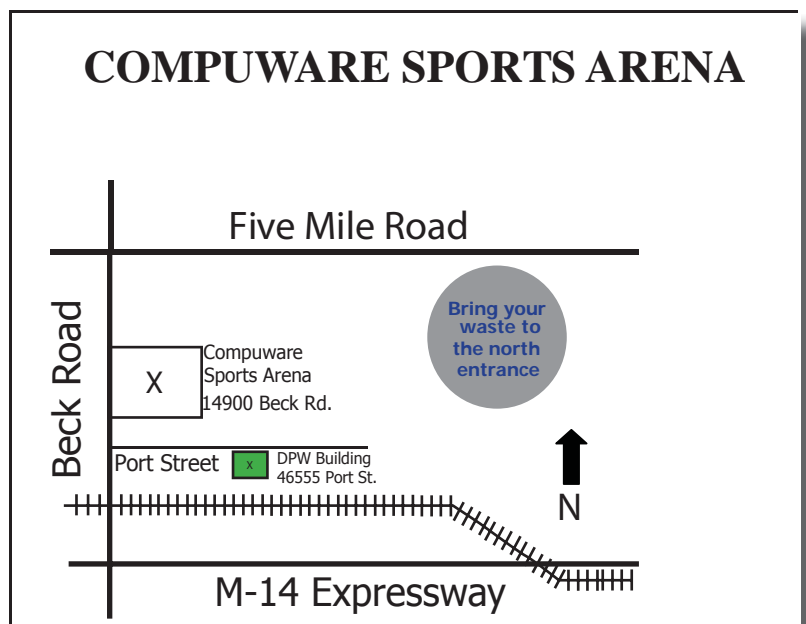
Wayne County will be offering several electronics collection events this year that are open to all Wayne County Residents. Currently scheduled events are listed below. Contact Wayne County for more information at 734-326-3936 or www.waynecounty.com.

Saturday, March 19, 2011
Town Shopping Center, Hamtramack

Saturday, April 2, 2011
Redford Township DPS, Redford

Saturday, April 16, 2011
Henry Ford Centennial Library, Dearborn

Saturday, May 7, 2011
Canton Township DPW, Canton



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