



Green Lake County Hazardous Waste Clean Sweep August 12 & 13, 2011

What: A hazardous waste chemical collection program for residents of Green Lake County
REGISTRATION REQUIRED - deadline August 10, 2011

When & Where: **Friday, August 12**
3 pm – 6 pm
Kingston Fire Station
105 W. Ann St, Kingston



Saturday, August 13
8 am - noon
Green Lake County Highway Department (Fairgrounds)
570 South Street, Green Lake

Why: Provide a safe and environmentally responsible manner to dispose of unwanted lawn and garden pesticides, household cleaning products, poisons and chemicals.

What Can I Dispose of? Bring any products that say: caution, toxic, corrosive, poison, combustible, flammable, warning, danger, or reactive.

Examples of what to bring:

<u>Kitchen/Bathroom</u>	<u>Garage/Workshop</u>	<u>Garden/Miscellaneous</u>
Aerosol Cans (not empty)	Antifreeze	Agricultural Chemicals
Bathroom Cleaners	Autobody Repair Products	Artist Paints
Batteries (NICAD, Lithium, Mercury)	Brake Fluid	Fertilizers with Pesticides
Disinfectants	Cleaning Solvents	Fluorescent Bulbs
Drain Cleaners	Degreasers	Fungicides
Floor Care Products	Driveway Sealer	Gun Cleaning Solvents
Furniture Polish	Gasoline	Herbicides
Insect Sprays	Gasoline/Oil Mixtures	Insecticides
Metal Polish	Lacquer, Shellac, Varnish & Stains	Mercury Thermometers
Moth Balls	Paint Thinners, Strippers & Solvents	Pesticides
Nail Polish Remover	Paints (Oil, Lead & Metal Based)	Photographic Chemicals
Oven Cleaners	Transmission Fluid	Poisons
Spot Removers	Waste Oil	Pool Chemicals
Tile Cleaners	Wood Preservative	Weed Killer

DO NOT BRING

- Ammunition
- Appliances
- Biologicals
- Computers/Electronics
- Cylinders (propane)
- Explosives (dynamite, fireworks)
- Fire Extinguishers
- Latex Paint
- Medical Wastes
- Radioactives (smoke detectors)
- Tires
- Vehicle Batteries

What Should I Do with Unwanted Latex Paint?

- Latex Paint is not a hazardous material. It can be disposed of as a solid with your regular trash - leave the lids off. If the paint is liquid, open the top of the can and allow the paint to air dry. Speed up drying by adding sand, kitty litter, sawdust or a latex paint hardener (found at hardware/home improvement stores) to the paint.



How Do I Dispose of Unwanted Medicines?

Unwanted medicines will not be collected at the Clean Sweep as in the past. Instead, Green Lake County is participating in the "Get the Meds Out" mail-back program. Prepaid envelopes are available for disposing of unwanted medicines. Check the box on the registration form and an envelope will be mailed to you.

How Do I Register? Complete and mail attached registration form by **August 10, 2011** to:

**Green Lake County
Land Conservation Department
PO Box 3188
Green Lake, WI 54941 or Fax: 920-294-4056**

Be Careful!

These products have warning labels on them for a reason. Before putting them in your vehicle, take the following precautions:

- Keep products in their original containers when possible.
 - Make sure products are properly sealed to prevent leaks and spills. If a container is leaking, put it into a secondary leak-proof container.
 - Do not mix products together. Dangerous reactions can occur when some chemicals are mixed.
 - Pack containers in sturdy boxes in the trunk of your vehicle, away from the driver, passengers and pets. Cardboard boxes work well, but containers (other than gasoline cans) and boxes cannot be returned to you.
 - Please do not put items in plastic bags.
 - If a product does not have the original label, label it yourself if you are certain of the contents. This will help to dispose of it properly.
 - Always store products in a secure place, away from children, pets, sparks and flames.
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Questions or Additional Information

Contact: Green Lake County Land Conservation Department
571 County Road A (Government Center)
PO Box 3188
Green Lake, WI 54941

Phone: 920-294-4051
Fax: 920-294-4056
Email: gllwcd@co.green-lake.wi.us

Visit www.co.green-lake.wi.us

Registration Form

Green Lake County

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Waste is from: (Check One) Home Farm Business

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Town/City/Village where waste is from: _____

I plan to attend the August 12 site in Kingston I plan to attend the August 13 site in Green Lake

I have _____ bottles of unwanted medicines to dispose of. Send me disposal envelopes.

Waste Item	How much of the item are you disposing of?	
	(gallons, quarts, pounds, etc)	
Examples: Oil based paint	2	Gallons
Household Cleaners - drano, liquid plumber, carpet cleaner	8	Bottles
Fogging Insecticide	1	Quart
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Waste Item	How much of the item are you bringing in? (gallons, quarts, pounds, etc)	
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