#### What should I know?

- Advance registration is required.
- NO LATEX PAINT or water-based stain
- Recycle motor oil and antifreeze/engine coolant
- No fuel oil/heating oil call a dealer.
- No empty pesticide jugs. See back page.
- No plain fertilizer. Use on plants or place in trash.

### **Accepted Materials**

- DDT; silvex; heptachlor; dieldrin; lindane; toxaphene; and 2,4,5-T
- Mercury thermostats, switches, dimmers.
   Leave devices intact.
- Any lead paint (banned in 1978)
- Herbicides, insecticides, fungicides, and rodenticides, 'weed and feed' fertilizers.
- Acids and strong bases
- Solvents (acetone, mineral spirits, more)
- All metallic paint
- Liquid oil-based paints, varnishes, lacquers, stains (solvent clean up)
- Photographic chemicals
- Lye
- Pool and spa chemicals
- Wood or paint stripper (methyl chloride, more)
- Wood treatments (penta, creosote, arsenic)
- Driveway sealers
- Dairy acids
- General farm chemicals
- Old gasoline, diesel, and oil/gas mixes
- Motor oil, contaminated only
- Hydraulic fluids
- Lighter fluid, charcoal lighter, kerosene
- Broken fluorescent bulbs packed airtight.
- Unknown chemicals if less than 50 lbs or 5 gallons.

#### **Clean Sweep cannot accept:**

High pressure cylinders, propane cylinders, Freon gases, infectious and biological wastes, sharps, explosives (detonators, blasting caps, ammunition), radioactive chemicals / devices.

### Year-round disposal options:

<u>Latex paint</u> (water clean-up) – Make solid, remove lids, put with trash. Stir in bentonite kitty litter or Oil-Dri, one part paint to one part absorbent. 24-hr hardeners available at hardware stores.

<u>Paint recycling</u> - Ace Hardware in Janesville and Beloit accepts liquid latex and oil-based paint for recycling. Small fee per gallon. Call ahead.

<u>Stain (water clean-up)</u> – "Homax latex paint and stain hardener" available at area hardware stores or on-line. 1 pkg hardens 2/3 gallon. Remove lid, place in trash.

**Recycle** The items below are not accepted at Clean Sweep, but can be recycled in **limited quantities** for free or a small fee locally. **Resources at bottom.** 

Rechargeable batteries, alkaline batteries, antifreeze/engine coolant, vehicle batteries, used motor oil, oil filters, fluorescent bulbs, lamp ballasts, electronics/computers, fire extinguishers (call local fire safety suppliers).

"Recycler List" and "Household Chemical Disposal Guide" are at <a href="https://www.co.rock.wi.us/land-conservation-clean-sweep">https://www.co.rock.wi.us/land-conservation-clean-sweep</a> or call 608-754-6617 ext. 3

## If you can't get to an event

Dane County Clean Sweep accepts hazardous chemical waste all year from outside Dane Co.

- danecountycleansweep.com , 608-838-3212
- Southeast Madison, I-90/39 at Hwy12-18 East exit
- \$75 / household or farm drop-off. Large load fees may apply.
- Businesses must use Business Program.
- Rock County discounts DO NOT apply.
- NO LATEX paint, other conditions apply.
- **NOTE** It is illegal to leave items at site when closed. \$2000 forfeiture possible.
- Not affiliated with Rock County Clean Sweep.

You can also leave the items at your home with this brochure so the next resident knows what to do. Rock County Clean Sweep does not have the facilities to handle or store hazardous waste between events.

# Sign up for Rock County Clean Sweep Homes & Farms

Businesses must use business program (see back page)

#### 608-754-6617 ext. 3 or 4758

Advance registration required.

Registration fills up fast and may close before the event.

We maintain a waiting list.

Space is limited due to budget.

#### **Check EVENT FULL status at**

www.co.rock.wi.us/land-conservation-clean-sweep or at 608-754-6617 ext. 4758

Rock County residents only. All others - contact your solid waste department in WI or IL.

### Rates for Homes & Farms

(pay at event, cash or check only)

The new rates are because of rising service costs.

## NO LATEX PAINT DO NOT MIX CHEMICALS

BOX = 12" x 18" x 10" or similar size

Cron & Livestock Chemicals		
More than 3 boxes or 5-gallon buckets (must send inventory in advance)	Call us	
3 boxes or 5-gallon buckets	\$40	
Up to 2 boxes or 5-gallon buckets.	\$10 each	
One 5-quart pail of items.	\$5	
Mercury from homes.	Call us for options	

#### **Crop & Livestock Chemicals**

First 200 lbs / 30 gallons
(must send inventory in advance)

FREE with inventory while funds available

Over 200 lbs / 30 gallons (must send inventory in advance)

Call us

# Fluorescent bulb/Mercury lamp drop-off --- FREE Limit 5 total/vehicle. No incandescent or LED.

For large quantities, see our recycler list or go to Earth911.com and search for 'fluorescent tubes' or "CFL."

### **INVENTORY FORM**

This form is required for:

- More than 3 boxes (12"x18"x10") or 5-gallon buckets of non-ag chemicals;
- Crop/livestock chemical discount.

  Businesses must use Business Clean Sweep

NAME:	
ADDRESS:	
CITY/ST/ZIP:_	
PHONE:	
E-MAIL:	

#### Send inventory to us any way you choose:

**E-mail:** <u>anne.miller@co.rock.wi.us</u> **Call in:** 608-754-6617 ext. 4758, M - F

Mail: Rock County Land Conservation Dept. 440 N US Hwy 14

Janesville WI 53546

Material	Ag chem?	Total Amt.
Example – oil-based paint	no	4 gal.
Example - Atrazine	yes	1 gal

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Material	Amt

# PESTICIDE CONTAINERS that are empty or almost empty . . .

- 1. Wear protective equipment and pour excess pesticide into the sprayer.
- 2. Fill pesticide container ¼ full of clean water, replace cap and shake container for 30 seconds. Pour rinse water into sprayer.
- 3. Repeat two additional times, shaking container in different directions.
- Carefully rinse the outside of the container and the cap over the sprayer (or bucket) to catch rinse water.
- 5. Dispose of the cap as regular household waste and dispose of or recycle containers in trash.
- 6. Apply the diluted rinse material according to label directions.

# Ag pesticide container recycling for business and large volume users:

G Phillips & Sons - <u>www.gpsagrecycle.com</u> **Plastic drums, jugs -** 248-961-3360 **IBCs, shuttles -** 678-232-6047

### **Buying, Storage, & Safety Tips**

- Look at less hazardous alternatives.
- Read labels before buying for warnings.
- Buy only what will be used up right away. Disposal of unused product may be difficult.
- **Stabilize new gasoline** used in seasonal equipment. Monitor your supply for freshness.
- Protect your eyes, lungs, and skin.
- Storage. Avoid extreme heat, freezing, dampness that can damage contents and/or containers.
   Properly seal containers. Keep out of reach of children.
- Do not mix chemicals.
- Never pour hazardous chemicals down the drain unless specifically made to go down drains.
- Large amounts of waste can be a health, fire, or environmental hazard. Recycle or responsibly dispose of wastes as soon as possible.
- Place fragile packages in separate containers and label "Hazardous!" Use clear bags.

#### **Business Program - Rock County**

Any WI business, school, or organization that generates under 220 pounds of hazardous waste in a month and stores less than 2,205 pounds of hazardous waste in a year may qualify may be eligible to use Clean Sweep for cost of disposal only.

**SAVE \$\$\$ with no vendor mobilization fees.**You transport material to our events (front of brochure).

Up to 50% off disposal of herbicides, crop and livestock chemicals for Rock County businesses using Rock County Clean Sweep while funds last.

#### FREE no-obligation quotes.

Forms and information for Rock County sites – www.co.rock.wi.us/land-conservation-clean-sweep then scroll to bottom for forms or 754-6617 ext. 4758 <a href="mailto:anne.miller@co.rock.wi.us">anne.miller@co.rock.wi.us</a>

For year-round service, contact
Dane County Business Clean Sweep danecountycleansweep.com, 608-838-3212.
Rock County discounts do not apply in Dane County.

# Clean Sweep is held every year. If you have questions or would like to receive an event announcement, contact us.

608-754-6617 x 4758, anne.miller@co.rock.wi.us

Rock County Land Conservation Department 440 N US Hwy 14, Janesville WI 53546

# Thank you!

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The mention of business or brand name is not an endorsement by Rock County Land Conservation Department or any agency associated with Clean Sweep.

# **CLEAN SWEEP 2022**

HAZARDOUS chemicals from

# Home, Farm & Business

Businesses must use business program (see back page for details & discounts)

- ✓ Rock County residents ONLY
- ✓ List of items inside
- ✓ Ag chemical disposal discount
- ✓ Sign-up REQUIRED in advance!



Dates to be determined

If you're interested in service, please contact us to receive event announcement.