

The Household Hazardous Waste
Collection and Paper Shredding

Events are
open to residents from the
following towns:

**Chester
Clinton
Cromwell
Deep River
Durham
East Haddam
(paper only)
East Hampton
Essex
Haddam
Killingworth
Lyme
Middlefield
Middletown
Old Lyme
Old Saybrook
Portland
and
Westbrook**

**Identification
required**

**No fee to
Participate**

PAPER SHREDDING EVENTS

9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon

Saturday, June 13th
Colchester-East Hampton Water Pollution
Control Facility
20 Gildersleeve Drive, East Hampton

Saturday, August 15th
Middlefield Community Center
405 Main Street, Middlefield

Bring up to 5 (9”h x 18”w x 12”d)
boxes or bags of old personal
papers, such as medical records,
legal or financial documents,
and tax returns!!!

No junk mail, magazines,
books, cards, etc. will be
accepted.



**Household Hazardous
Waste Collections for
2020**

Selected **Saturdays**

9 a.m.—1 p.m.

~~**March 28th**
Clinton Public Works Garage
May 9th
Colchester/East Hampton~~

July 25th
Woodside Intermediate School
30 Woodside Road, Cromwell

August 1st
Colchester-East Hampton
Water Pollution Control Facility
20 Gildersleeve Drive
off Route 66, East Hampton

October 3rd
Middlesex Community College
100 Training Hill Road, Middletown

Preparation of materials for transport and disposal:

- Dry material must be in closed containers such as plastic bags and labeled.
- Do not mix materials.
- All materials must be labeled.
- Tighten all lids on containers.
- Pack containers in sturdy boxes.
- Transport material in automobile trunk, rear of station wagon, or truck bed.
- Asbestos must be wetted and double bagged.

Electronic Recycling

Consumer electronics can now be brought to each town's transfer station or landfill.



Acceptable Materials

Household:

- Cleaners
- Mothballs
- Photo Chemicals
- Full/partially-full Aerosols
- Arts & Crafts Supplies
- Mercury Thermometers
- Fluorescent Light Bulbs

Garage:

- Hand-held Propane Torch Cylinders
- Old Chemistry Kits
- Transmission Fluid
- Gasoline, Kerosene
- Waxes and Polishes
- Brake Fluid
- Rust Preventatives

Workshop:

- Wood Preservatives
- Wood Strippers
- Oil-based Paint
- Lead-based Paint
- Paint Thinner
- Degreasers
- Solvents
- Sealants

Yard/Garden:

- Weed killer
- Insect sprays
- Rodent poison
- Muriatic acid/pool chemicals



Unacceptable Materi-

- Explosives, Fireworks, Ammunition (*Contact the State Police.*)
- BBQ Propane Tanks
- Fire Extinguishers
- Radioactive Material
- Empty Aerosol Cans (*dispose in the garbage*)
- Drugs (call Police Station for details)
- Infectious or Biologically Active Materials
- Automotive Batteries
- Tires
- Smoke Detectors

Oil based and latex paints can be returned at a household hazardous waste collection or at participating retail stores in your community. Contact www.PaintCare.org for more information. No fee for disposal.



Commercial hazardous waste accepted by appointment only.

For information contact us at:

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