

2013 Southeastern Pennsylvania Household Hazardous Waste and Old Electronics Collection Program

Bring your household hazardous waste and old electronics to one of the following scheduled events

What can you bring?

Old computers, peripherals, small appliances, and up to 25 gallons or 220 pounds of hazardous products. Please see reverse side for additional information on the types of items acceptable to bring to a collection event. Keep in mind hazardous products will have cautionary words on the label, for example: *Danger, Warning, or Caution*. Other words or phrases that can signal hazardous products include: *poisonous, hazardous, combustible, flammable, corrosive, volatile, caustic, irritant, explosive, toxic, use with adequate ventilation, or avoid inhaling*.



When and where you can bring your materials?

**Each event will take place rain or shine
9:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.**

2013 Schedule

Lower Bucks Area	April 20, 2013	Harry S. Truman High School 3001 Green Lane, Levittown Bristol Township
Upper Bucks Area	June 1, 2013	Upper Bucks County Area Vo-Tech School 3115 Ridge Road Bedminster Township
Middle Bucks Area	July 27, 2013	Central Bucks South High School 1100 Folly Road Warrington Township
Lower Bucks Area	August 24, 2013	Bucks County Technical High School 610 Wistar Road Bristol Township
Upper Bucks Area	September 14, 2013	Quakertown Community High School 600 Park Avenue Quakertown Borough
Lower Bucks Area	September 28, 2013	Lower Makefield Corporate Center 770 Township Line Road Lower Makefield Township

**ELECTRONICS ONLY
Collection Event**

This program is a community service of the Bucks County Board of Commissioners and participating municipalities and is not open to business, industry, or institutions.



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Household Hazardous Waste

Why dispose of household hazardous waste?

Household products containing toxic chemicals, like pesticides, oil-based paints, solvents, cleaning products, weed killers and automotive batteries can be a threat to people and the environment if improperly discarded. Never throw these materials into the trash, as the toxic chemicals may harm sanitation workers, or result in fires in collection vehicles. It is also not safe to pour them into a sink or storm drain as they can end up in the environment polluting the air, water, or soil.

✓ BRING

Household Batteries

- All Button Types
- Lithium
- Re-chargeables

Lead-Acid Batteries

- Car
- Marine
- Motorcycle
- Truck

Caustics

- Ammonia-Based Cleaners
- Household Lye
- Oven Cleaner
- Drain Cleaner
- Metal Cleaner

Flammables

- Oil-based Paint
- Spot Removers
- Gasoline
- Kerosene
- Gas/Oil mixture
- Heating Oil

Pesticides

- Chlordane
- DDT
- Malathion
- Sevin
- Rodent Poison

Propane Tanks

- 20 lbs. or less only

Toxics

- Photographic Chemicals
- Pool Chemicals
- Weed Killer
- Antifreeze
- Rust/Paint Remover
- Mercury
- CFLs (fluorescent lamps)



✗ DO NOT BRING

- **LATEX PAINT** is not toxic and is water based. Remove lid to allow to air dry or mix with absorbent (e.g. kitty litter) until no longer a liquid and discard in plastic trash bag.
- Asbestos
- Biological Waste
- Explosives
- Gas Cylinders
- Household Batteries (regular alkaline)
- PCBs
- Pressurized CFCs (greater than 1 lb.)
- Radioactive Waste
- Tires

For additional information on disposal options, please contact:

Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection
Recycling Hotline 1-800-346-4242

Bucks County Planning Commission
www.buckscounty.org/recycling 215-345-3400

Electronics

Why dispose of old electronics?

Household electronics contain toxic chemicals, like lead and mercury and can be a threat to people and the environment if improperly discarded. Never throw these materials into the trash, as the toxic chemicals may harm sanitation workers, or result in fires in collection vehicles. Take advantage of this recycling program or look online for others. It is becoming easier and easier to find electronic recyclers.

✓ BRING

- All Sizes and Types of TVs
- Answering Machines
- Blenders
- Camcorders
- Cell Phones
- Copiers
- CPUs
- Electric Typewriters
- Fax Machines
- Gaming Consoles/Controllers
- Keyboards
- Laptop Computers
(All makes, models, and peripherals)
- Mice
- Microwaves
- Monitors
- Peripherals
(Including cords, power supplies and cables)
- Print Cartridges
- Printers
- Radios
- Rechargeable Batteries
- Remote Controls
- Scanners
- Stereo/Tape/CD Players
- Telephones
- Toasters
- Vacuums
- VCR/DVD Players



✗ DO NOT BRING

- No Freon containing devices (*air conditioners, dehumidifiers, and refrigerators*)
- Biological Waste (*needles, test strips etc.*)
- Explosives
- Gas Cylinders
- Household Batteries (*regular alkaline*)
- Large kitchen appliances (*stove, refrigerator, etc.*)
- Lawn Mowers
- Radioactive Waste
- Tires

If you are unsure whether you can bring an item please call first.