

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 8th**  
Colchester-East Hampton Water Pollution  
Control Facility  
20 Gildersleeve Drive, East Hampton

**Saturday, August 17th**  
Middlefield Community Center  
405 Main Street, Middlefield

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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 2019**

Selected **Saturdays**  
**9 a.m.—1 p.m.**

**April 13th**  
**Clinton Public Works Garage**  
117 Nod Road, Clinton

**May 4th**  
**Colchester-East Hampton**  
**Water Pollution Control Facility**  
20 Gildersleeve Drive  
off Route 66, East Hampton

**July 20th**  
**Woodside Intermediate School**  
30 Woodside Drive, Cromwell

**October 12th**  
**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 Materials

- 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](http://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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