

What are household hazardous wastes?

Household hazardous wastes are products toxic to the environment. They can contaminate our water supply and are common in your home or garage. These items should not be placed in your garbage. Typical household hazardous wastes include:

- Used motor oil
- Automobile batteries
- Household rechargeable batteries
- Gasoline
- Used paint
- Thinners/solvents
- Pesticides
- Fluorescent lamps
- Pool chemicals
- Cleaning supplies
- Sharps (needles)

Tip: Keep waste in the original container when possible.

Businesses

Businesses must dispose of all hazardous waste properly under federal law.

Businesses qualifying as small quantity hazardous waste generators should contact Volusia County Environmental Management for disposal information.

Daytona Beach (386) 254-4612
West Volusia (386) 736-5927
New Smyrna Beach (386) 423-3303



VOLUSIA RECYCLES

Recycling and Solid Waste Division

3151 E. New York Ave.
DeLand, FL 32724

DeLand (386) 943-7889
Daytona Beach (386) 257-6021
(386) 947-2952
New Smyrna Beach (386) 423-3862
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Fax (386) 943-4906

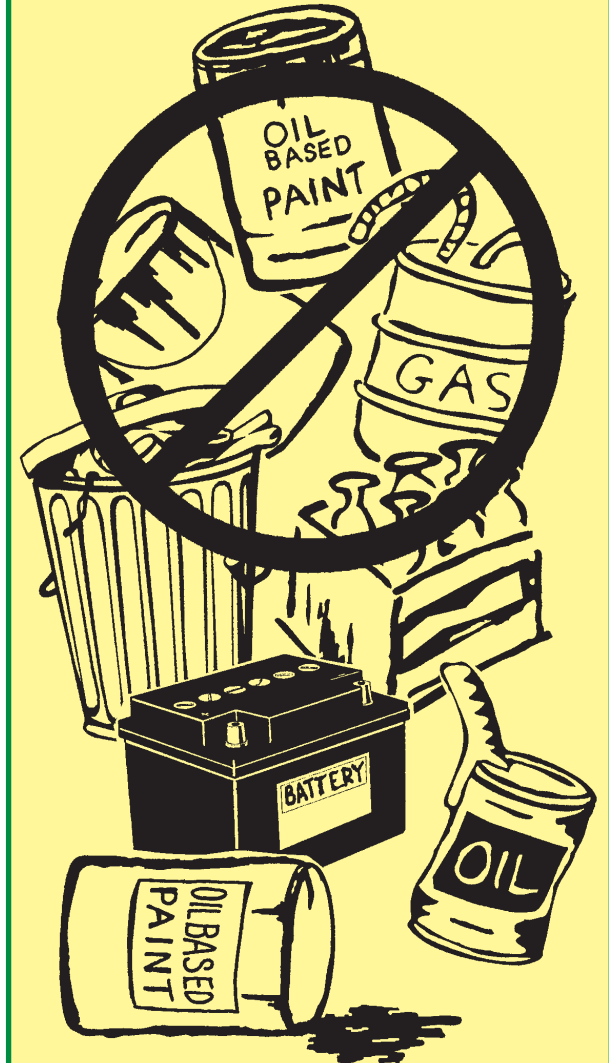
www.volusia.org/recycle



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Managing household hazardous waste

Is household hazardous waste stacking up on you?



Here's what you can do.

Don't pollute!

- Only buy what you need.
- Use up the products or bring them to:

Tomoka Landfill

(Year-round, east Volusia County)
Hazardous Household
Waste Center
1990 Tomoka Farms Road
Daytona Beach
Open 7 a.m. - 5:30 p.m., Mon. - Fri.
8 a.m. - 3 p.m., Sat. - Sun.
(386) 239-6470 or (386) 947-2952

West Volusia Transfer Station

(Year-round, west Volusia County)
3151 E. New York Ave.
DeLand
Open 7 a.m. - 5 p.m., Mon. - Fri.
8 a.m. - 3 p.m., Saturday
Closed Sunday
(386) 943-7889 or (386) 943-4905

Motor oil

Motor oil is banned from landfill disposal and cannot be placed with your garbage. Because motor oil can contaminate our water supply if improperly disposed, all county residents should recycle used motor oil at the oil recycling "igloos" at county fire stations and other facilities. For a list of igloo locations, call us or go to www.volusia.org/recycle/dropoff.htm.

Other options for certain materials

Paint

The "leave some, take some" free paint exchange at the Tomoka Landfill lets residents (no businesses, please) trade unwanted paint for a different color or type. Change a color, or just leave it. An average of 300 gallons of paint are recycled there each month. The facility provides paint to nonprofit organizations and families in financial need. Please contact the landfill for more details at (386) 947-2952.

Batteries

Car and household batteries may be taken to "buy-back" centers for recycling. Please call Volusia Recycles at (386) 943-4905, (386) 257-6021 or (386) 423-3862 to request a buyback brochure or to find a location near you. By law, any store should exchange an old auto battery with the purchase of a new one for recycling.

Electronic recycling

Residents may drop off obsolete electronics (including computers, monitors, printers and televisions) at the Household Hazardous Waste facilities at the Tomoka Landfill and West Volusia Transfer Station.

Needles and diabetic-testing strips

The Volusia County Health Department provides a sharps program for users of insulin and other injectable medications.

Residents may drop off needles and diabetic testing strips in approved red sharps containers without charge at these Volusia County Health Department Environmental Health offices:

- 1845 Holsonback Drive, Daytona Beach (386) 274-0694
- 121 W. Rich Ave., DeLand (386) 822-6250
- 717 W. Canal St., New Smyrna Beach (386) 424-2061
- 2752 Enterprise Road, Suite B, Orange City (386) 775-5289



Sharps containers can be purchased in the Environmental Health offices. The cost is \$3 for a 1.5-quart container, or \$5 for an 8-quart container.