HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Household Hazardous Waste is any unwanted household product labeled as flammable, toxic, corrosive, or reactive.

Common Products Include:
aerosols, anti-freeze, asbestos, fertilizers, motor oil, paint supplies, photo chemicals, poisons, and solvents.

Improper disposal of these products can harm the environment in many ways and poses a risk to workers in the waste collection business should these items be placed into the trash.

WHAT YOU CAN DO

Set aside household hazardous waste items and look to your county’s recycling webpage for the dates and locations of future Household Hazardous Waste Drop-off Days and dispose of these dangerous materials safely at these free events.

Find your county’s recycling webpage at nj.gov/dep/dshw/recycling/county_websites.htm and help to keep these hazardous materials out of our waste stream.

Learn more about recycling at recycle.nj.gov.