



## City of Manchester Household Hazardous Waste Collection Events

**WHEN:** Second Saturdays of May and October, 9 AM to 2 PM

**WHERE:** City of Manchester Drop Off Facility, [500 Dunbarton Road](#)

**WHY:** To dispose of household hazardous wastes safely, legally and free

**\*\*\*Participants must bring proof of Manchester residency\*\*\***

### What are household hazardous wastes?

Many everyday household products are considered hazardous. If not disposed of correctly, these products can contaminate groundwater, damage sewer lines, and impair environmental resources such as lakes and rivers. Common household hazardous wastes that should NOT be thrown in the trash or poured down a drain include:



- Anti-freeze
- Disinfectants
- Drain openers
- Flammables
- Household cleaners
- Oil-based paints, stains and thinners (NOT latex or water-based products)
- Pesticides
- Pool chemicals
- Solvents

For more information, see the State of New Hampshire's [fact sheet on household hazardous waste](#).

### How much can I bring?

Residents may dispose of up to 10 gallons of liquid and 20 pounds of solid waste at no cost. Liquids should be in containers no larger than five gallons each. Each container must be labeled. Containers should be carried individually or in boxes, NOT in garbage bags.

### **NOTICE ABOUT LATEX PAINT**



Latex paint is water-based and is not considered hazardous. Latex paint is NOT ACCEPTED at Household Hazardous Waste Collection Events. To properly dispose of latex paints, remove the cover, add a drying agent (such as kitty litter or shredded paper), stir, let air dry until solid, and put out with the regular trash.