

Hazardous Waste in *Your* Home??

Hazardous Waste is not just an industrial problem. Many household products contain hazardous chemicals. We are all hazardous waste generators!

2006 HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION FOR EXETER, STRATHAM, NEWFIELDS, AND EAST KINGSTON

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2006

8:30 am—12:00 noon

**Exeter Public Works Garage
Newfields Road (Route 85), Exeter**

**FROM THE
YARD**

Pesticides
Insect Sprays
Rodent Killers
Pool Chemicals
Muriatic Acid
No-Pest Strips
Lead Sinkers (illegal for use
in New Hampshire waters
after January 1, 2000)

**FROM THE
GARAGE**

Motor Oil
Auto Batteries
Antifreeze
Brake Fluid
Wax & Polish
Engine Degreasers
Carburetor Cleaner
Creosote

**FROM THE
HOUSE**

Rechargeable Batteries
Drain & Oven Cleaners
Furniture Polish
Metal Polish
Pharmaceuticals
Photo Chemicals
Mercury Thermometers
Electronic Equipment
(*FEE req'd—see other side*)

**FROM THE
WORKBENCH**

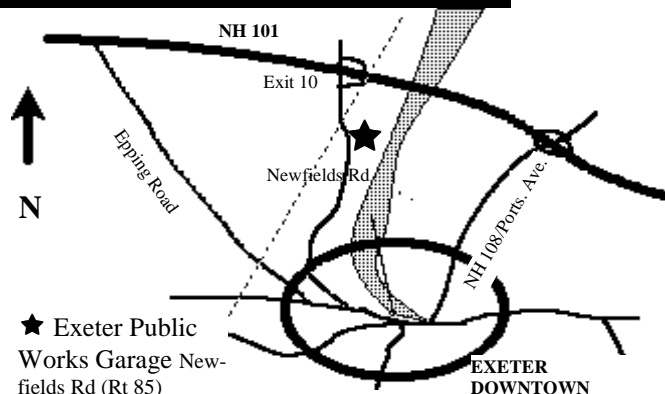
Rust Remover
Wood Preservatives
Paint Thinners
Oil Based Paints
Solvents
Degreasers
Mercury
Flourescent Lightbulbs

**CAR BATTERIES & WASTE ENGINE OIL WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR RECYCLING.
LATEX PAINT WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. (IT IS NOT A HAZARDOUS WASTE)**

LIMIT PER HOUSEHOLD: 10 GALLONS

IMPORTANT NOTE:

The following wastes cannot be accepted: Gas Cylinders, Explosive Materials, Ammunition, Radioactive Materials, Infectious and Biological Wastes, Prescription Medicines/ Syringes, Esters, and Unknown Materials.



COLLECTION IS FOR TO EXETER, STRATHAM, NEWFIELDS, AND EAST KINGSTON RESIDENTS ONLY

Sponsored by the Towns of Exeter, Stratham, Newfields, and East Kingston. Organized by Rockingham Planning Comm.
For more information: Exeter: 778-0591; Stratham: 772-4741; Newfields: 772-5070; East Kingston: 642-8406.

***** NO MATCHING GRANT FOR HHW IS AVAILABLE FROM THE STATE (DES) THIS YEAR. ***
DONATIONS ARE REQUESTED TO HELP OFFSET COSTS. SUGGESTED DONATION \$5 PER HOUSEHOLD.**

FEE SCHEDULE FOR ELECTRONICS EQUIPMENT

**Fees for these items will be collected according to the following Schedule
(CASH ONLY):**

Computer Monitors & TVs up to and including 17":	\$10.00
Computer Monitors & TVs over 17":	\$20.00
Printers, Fax Machines,	\$10.00
CPU's, Keyboards, Modems:	\$ 5.00
Small Copiers:	\$20.00
Any monitor with <u>cracked picture tube</u> :	\$35.00

TIPS ON TOXICS

PURCHASE

- ⇒ **Read the label.** Look for the words "non-toxic" and compare products;
- ⇒ **Use non-toxic alternatives.** Many times a general household cleaner is just as effective as a specialized product;
- ⇒ **Buy only what you need;**
- ⇒ **Buy products with child-proof packaging;**
- ⇒ **Buy non-aerosol products.** Aerosols produce a fine mist which, when breathed, can settle deep in the lungs. Chemicals are then quickly absorbed into the bloodstream. Aerosol cans can explode if stored near heat or flame.

USE

- ⇒ **Use products in a well ventilated room and avoid breathing fumes.** Take breaks and work outside whenever possible;
- ⇒ **Wear protective clothing;**
- ⇒ **NEVER mix products.** Combining ammonia and chlorine bleach produces deadly chlorine fumes. Mixing chemicals can even cause explosions;
- ⇒ **Use only the recommended amount.** Twice as much is not twice as good and may be twice as toxic.
- ⇒ **IF PREGNANT, avoid exposure to toxics;**
- ⇒ **In case of poisoning call Poison Control at (1-800-562-8236).**

STORAGE

- ⇒ **Store in a safe place.** Keep all toxics away from children;
- ⇒ **Close containers securely.** Some products like gasoline, oil-based paint & thinner can evaporate & pollute the air where they are stored.
- ⇒ **Keep all products in their original containers.**

DISPOSAL

- ⇒ **Use up a product to there is nothing left to dispose;** — the simplest of all disposal solutions!
- ⇒ **Donate leftover paints and other products to a service organization.** Make sure the product is securely packaged and well labeled;
- ⇒ **Take motor oil to a recycling center in your area.** Some service stations accept used motor oil; many Towns do at their public works garages, including Exeter and Stratham;
- ⇒ **Never pour harmful chemicals down the drain or on the ground.** These chemicals include pesticides, paints, preservatives, automotive products, home hobby chemicals and cleaning fluids;
- ⇒ **Take your household toxics to the household hazardous waste collection.** Individuals can take left-over chemicals to a central collection point and the chemicals are disposed of at licensed treatment and disposal facilities;
- ⇒ **Take advantage of New Statewide programs for LEAD SINKER AND NiCd BATTERY disposal — available year round.** For the location of disposal sites in the area contact the NHDES or the Rockingham Planning Commission at the numbers shown below.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL...

NH Poison Control —	1-800-562-8236
NH Dept of Environmental Services —	271-2047
Rockingham County/UNH Coop. Ext.—	679-5616
Rockingham Planning Commission —	778-0885

AVOID PRODUCTS CONTAINING: *Benzine, Toluene, Naphthalene, Trichloroethylene, Tetrachloroethylene, Methylene, Chloride, Carbon Tetrachloride*