

Remember to mark the 2019 household hazardous waste collection dates on your calendar!

# 2019 Household Hazardous Waste Collection Hours



**Why?** So you can properly discard household hazardous waste.

Household products containing toxic chemicals, like pesticides, oil-based paints, solvents, cleaning products, weed killers and automotive batteries can be a threat to people and the environment if improperly discarded. Never throw these materials into the trash, as the toxic chemicals may harm sanitation workers, or result in fires in collection vehicles. It is also not safe to pour them into a sink or storm drain as they can end up in the environment polluting the air, water, or soil.



**Bring your household hazardous waste on one of the scheduled dates to the Waste & Recycling Drop-off Center located at 320 Harvest Drive.**

## What can you bring?

State law limits the amount you can transport at a time: 15 gallons liquid or 125 pounds solid material. Read the Label! Hazardous products will have cautionary words on the label. For example: Danger, Warning or Caution. Other words or phrases that can signal hazardous products include: poisonous, hazardous, combustible, flammable, corrosive, volatile, caustic, irritant, explosive, toxic, use with adequate ventilation, or avoid inhaling.

### BRING

- Paint, paint thinners & paint removers
- Fluorescent lamps
- Pesticides & other garden chemicals
- Auto repair products
- Parts cleaner, degreasers & solvents
- Gasoline & camping fuel
- Home cleaning products
- Drain cleaner
- Pool & hot tub chemicals
- Glues, art & hobby supplies
- Photographic chemicals

### DO NOT BRING

- Hazardous wastes from businesses
- Explosives
- Infectious wastes
- Medical Waste & Instruments
- Radioactive materials
- Ammunition



For additional information on disposal options, please contact Customer Service at 768-3133.



**Where and when you can bring your household hazardous waste.**

## 2019 Saturday Dates – 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. (Second Saturday of each month)

--January 12	--February 9	--March 9	--April 13
--May 11	--June 8	--July 13	--August 10
--Sept. 14	--October 12	--Nov. 9	--Dec. 14

## ALL Tuesdays & Wednesdays

9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.  
Waste & Recycling Drop-off Center  
320 Harvest Dr.

*This service is provided by the City of Watsonville Public Works and Utilities Department. For more information call Customer Service at 768-3133 during business hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.*