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FREE Hazardous Waste Drop-Off Sites Opening Saturday, March 14th

Just in time for spring cleaning, the Hamilton County Solid Waste Management District's (District) free household hazardous waste drop-off sites will open this Saturday, March 14th. The Household Hazardous Waste Drop-Off Program is free to all Hamilton County residents and is open until November 14, 2009.

This program prohibits the acceptance of hazardous waste from businesses, churches, schools and non-profit organizations. Residents must bring proof of residency, such as a driver's license or utility bill when dropping off their household hazardous waste.

Locations & Times

Environmental Enterprises, Inc.*
4600 Spring Grove Avenue (across from Winton Rd.)
Cincinnati, OH 45232
Tuesdays: 2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Saturdays: 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Environmental Enterprises, Inc.
10163 Cincinnati-Dayton Road
Cincinnati, OH 45241
Wednesdays: 2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

**Drop-off site is closed on the following Saturdays: April 11, May 23, July 4, and September 5.*

Acceptable items include: pesticides, fertilizers, solvents, thinners, lawn/pool chemicals, cleaners, household/auto batteries, prescription drugs, fire extinguishers, propane tanks, paint, mercury, fluorescent bulbs, driveway sealer, gasoline, antifreeze, thermostats, motor oil and smoke detectors.

Unacceptable items include: radioactive materials, medical waste, explosives/ammunition, gun powder, heating oil tanks, tires, yardwaste, garbage, roofing materials, appliances, computers/electronics, fuel tanks, unmarked cylinders and fireworks.

Hamilton County covers the cost of \$28.50 per car dropping off material to encourage proper disposal of household hazardous waste.

For more information about Hamilton County's Household Hazardous Waste Program, please call 946-7700 or visit www.hamiltoncountyrecycles.org.

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