



Hazardous Waste Collection

Canaan, Cornish, Enfield, Hanover, Lebanon, Lyme and Plainfield, New Hampshire

The Upper Valley Lake Sunapee Regional Planning Commission and Lebanon, NH will co-host a household hazardous waste collection for residents of the communities listed above.

Date & Time

Saturday, September 8

9:00 a.m. – noon

No early birds please!

Collection will **not** begin before 9 a.m.!

Location

**Lebanon Solid Waste Management Garage
370 Plainfield Road
West Lebanon, NH**



**For information, call:
UVLSRPC at (603) 448-1680
Monday –Friday, 8-5**

WHAT TO BRING:

Button batteries, fluorescent light bulbs, household cleaners, polishes, hobby chemicals, pesticides, pool chemicals, oil-based paints (no latex), solvents, varnishes, stains, and misc. other materials which are considered hazardous as waste. Look on the product for the warning labels such as caution, flammable, reactive, caustic or poisonous.

Please NO LATEX PAINT or PCB's!

Use kitty litter to dry out latex paint and then throw the can in your trash. Latex paint is not considered hazardous, unless it is pre-1990 and labeled that it has mercury as a fungicide. It must be made into a solid to be considered solid waste.

PCB's (Polychlorinated biphenyls) are a federally controlled material and are very expensive to dispose of. They may come from marine paints, oil in electrical transformers/capacitors, oil from hydraulic systems, or old paint containers.

Businesses

Are you a small business operating in the Upper Valley Lake Sunapee area? Small businesses are welcome and encouraged to participate but must register at least two weeks in advance and pay their disposal costs. Call the Upper Valley Lake Sunapee Regional Planning Commission at (603) 448-1680 for more information.

MERC Alert

Mercury is toxic even in small quantities and once exposed to the atmosphere, evaporates slowly, causing continual airborne contamination. In waterways and lakes, it undergoes conversion into the deadly methyl mercury, contaminating the food chain...including fish we eat. Mercury is a silver-colored liquid metal. Around the house, it can be found in thermometers, non-electric thermostats, fluorescent and other mercury vapor lighting, pilot light sensors in some gas appliances, gauges, pre-1972 switches and relays, old toys, some batteries, pre-1990 latex, and some oil based paints.

Many thanks to the Upper Valley Household Hazardous Waste Committee and member communities for their continued support!

CHECK IT OUT!

Check out the Upper Valley Household Hazardous Waste Committee's website for the current HHW collection schedule, information on what to do with common household wastes, recipes for alternative cleaning products, and more information on their activities and the services they offer. So check it out!

www.uvhhw.org