

What is Clean Sweep?



Clean Sweep is a one-time collection of unwanted, unused, damaged, suspended or cancelled agricultural, household and small business chemicals and hazardous wastes. Improperly handled chemicals can pollute ground and surface water and pose health risks for you and your family. Clean Sweep allows you an opportunity to safely dispose of these chemicals.

Is There A Fee?



There will be a \$10 fee for each vehicle participating in the chemical clean sweep. Cost of disposal is supported by a grant from the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture. Quantities over 200 lbs. will be charged an additional fee. Businesses will be charged a fee, based on amount and type of chemicals for disposal.

Who Can Participate?



All Grant, Iowa, and Lafayette County residents, farmers, agri-business and small businesses can participate in the Clean Sweep Program.

How Do I Participate?



- Pre-registration is required.
- Pre-register with your local UW Extension office.
- You will be asked for an estimate of the amount and type of chemicals you plan to dispose of.
- Businesses must pre-register and obtain a quote on their cost of disposal before clean sweep. Contact your local UW Extension office for more information.

Dropping off your Hazardous Waste

At the Clean Sweep site, a licensed hazardous waste disposal firm will collect the chemicals with assistance from local volunteers. Disposal is simple and convenient. You will not need to leave your vehicle.

Clean Sweep Guidelines



- Visually inspect containers before lifting or moving them. Wear rubber gloves when inspecting chemicals. **Never touch or breathe chemicals.**
- Secure lids, caps and covers before lifting or moving.
- Always leave chemicals or other hazardous materials in their original containers. **DO NOT** mix materials.
- Leave all labels in place, even if worn or torn. If labels are missing, please list contents on a sheet of paper. If label is difficult to read, please re-mark with a permanent marker.
- Place the containers in a plastic (garbage bag) lined cardboard box for easy hauling. This prevents spilling or mixing of chemicals while in transit.
- Use the trunk of your vehicle or bed of your truck to transport hazardous chemicals.

UW Extension

Pre-registration is required. Please contact:

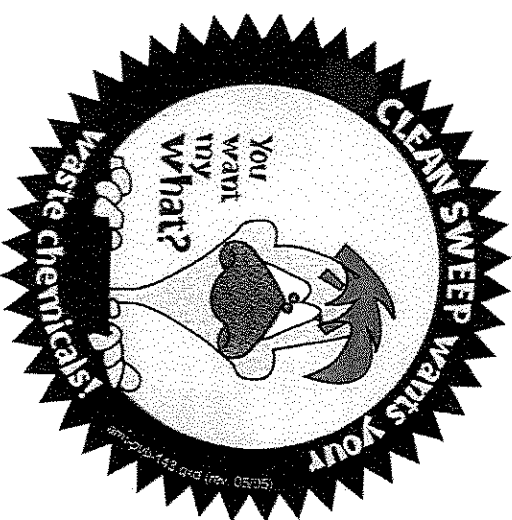
Ted Bay, Grant County UW Extension
(608) 723-2125

Paul Ohlrogge, Iowa County UW Extension
(608) 930-9850

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office (608) 776-4820

This is a one time program, don't miss your chance!

Grant, Iowa, and Lafayette County Clean Sweep



Dispose of Agricultural, Household and Small Business Waste Chemicals

Saturday

September 9 - Lancaster (8 a.m. – noon)
Premier Cooperative Agronomy Center
5371 Commercial Road, Lancaster

Saturday

September 16 – Dodgeville (8 a.m. – noon)
Iowa County Highway Department
1215 N Bequette St, Dodgeville

Saturday

September 23 – Darlington (8 a.m. – noon)
Lafayette County Highway Department
12016 Hill St, Darlington

****Please use the site most convenient for you. ****

What Will Clean Sweep?

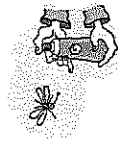
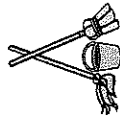
Garden/Miscellaneous

Fungicides
Herbicides
Rat poison
Artists' paints
Fiberglass epoxy
Gun cleaning solvents
Moth balls
Pool chemicals
Photographic chemicals
Hobby chemicals
Snail & slug bait
Weed killers



Kitchen/Bathroom

Air fresheners
Disinfectants
Tile cleaners
Bathroom cleaners
Drain cleaners
Oven cleaners
Furniture polish
Metal polish
Floor care products
Bug sprays
Household pesticide
Insecticide
Thermometers

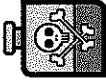


Garage/Workshop

Old Gasoline
Gasoline/Oil mixtures
Brake fluid
Auto repair products
Transmission fluid
Other oils/cleaners
Paints (lead & oil based only)
Stains
Paint thinner
Paint stripper
Varnish
Antifreeze/Oil Mixtures
Engine cleaners
Wood thinners
Wood preservatives
Glues
Aerosol cans

Farm/Business

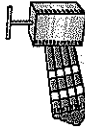
Chemicals/Pesticides
Arsenic
Chlordane
Concentrated cleaners
DDT
Degreasers
Dioxins (e.g. 2,4,5-T or Silvex "Penta")
Dry cleaning fluid
Kepone
Poison
Spot removers
Teat dips
Sanitizers



What Will NOT Be Accepted?

Latex Paints

Biological, Infectious or Medical Wastes
Ammunition/Explosives/Fireworks
Compressed Gas Cylinders
Radioactive materials
Smoke detectors
Fertilizers
Waste oil
Tires



What Should I Do with Tires?

We will not be accepting tires at the Clean Sweep. However, it is important to dispose of unused tires. Stagnant water in waste tires is the breeding ground for the mosquitoes that carry the LaCrosse encephalitis virus. Large stockpiles of old tires pose a fire hazard, which can lead to various forms of environmental degradation, such as air pollution and groundwater contamination. It is also illegal to burn tires.

Take your old auto, truck or tractor tires to the following sites. Disposal fees will vary by location:

First Capital Salvage in Belmont

1-800-231-9495 or (608) 762-5308

Gauger Salvage in Arena

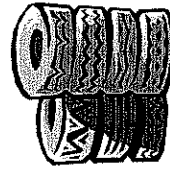
(608) 753-2656

West End Salvage in Lancaster

(608) 723-4523

Town and Country in Boscobel

(608) 375-5856



What Should I Do with Latex Paint?

We will not be accepting latex paint at the Clean Sweep. It is not a hazardous material, and it can be hardened and disposed of in a landfill. Cans less than 1/4 full can be allowed to dry out with the lid removed. For larger amounts, mix in plaster or kitty litter to speed the process. Pouring the paint onto a plastic drop cloth is another option. Once dried, the paint can may be disposed of with your garbage.

As part of Clean Sweep, you can also dispose of the following items:

Items accepted at NO CHARGE:

CPU's, Laptops, Keyboards, Mice, UPS, Computer Cords, Circuit Boards, Power Strips, Calculators, Copiers, Scanners, Printers, Printer Cables, Telephones, Cell Phones, Fax Machines, VCR's/DVD Players, Stereo Equipment, Remote Controls, Networking Equipment, Rechargeable Batteries from laptops, cell phones, and power tools, Lead Acid Car Batteries, Christmas Lights, Extension Cords, Electric Motors, Pots and Pans, Ceiling Fans, Box Fans, Snow Blowers, Grills, George Foreman Grills



Items with Charges:

Televisions:

29" & under.....\$20/each

30" to 49".....\$40/each

50" & over, Wooden Console, & Projection

.....\$60/each

Monitors (CRT & Flat Screen LCD).....\$20/each

Large Copy Machines.....\$15/each

Microwaves.....\$15/each

Treadmills.....\$15/each

Lawn Mowers.....\$25/each

Oil/Gas must be drained & tires removed

Fluorescent bulbs.....\$1.00/each

Large Appliances.....\$25/each

Stoves, Washers, Dryers, Water Heaters, Furnaces

Air Conditioners/Dehumidifiers.....\$20/each

Dom Size Refrigerators.....\$20/each

****NO FULL SIZE REFRIGERATORS**

