
The Mad River



Resource Management Alliance



For Residents of Fayston, Moretown, Waitsfield, Warren, Waterbury

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Household Hazardous Waste Collection and Paint Drop and Swap, April 2, 2022

The Mad River Resource
Management Alliance (MRRMA),
the Vermont Department of
Environmental Conservation and
Casella Resource Solutions are
sponsoring a Household Hazardous
Waste Collection Day.

**When? Between 8 am and 8:30 am
for businesses and 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.
for residents on Saturday April 2
2022**

**Where? Harwood Union High
School, Route 100, Duxbury.
Please note there are significant
changes in the HHW Collection. All
small businesses that want to
participate in the HHW collection
must preregister with their disposal
inventory and volume no later than
March 31, 2022. Business waste will
only be accepted between 8 am and
8:30 am. Please register with your
inventory and to determine the cost
of your disposal at
malterport@aol.com. Payment will
be due at the time of the collection.
Place all HHW in the trunk or bed of
your pick up truck.**

**What? Bring your household
pesticides, all your architectural
paint (oil based and latex) and up to
ten additional gallons of household
hazardous chemicals at no charge.
There is a fee of \$5.00 a gallon for
liquid or \$5.00 a pound for solid
hazardous chemicals over the
amount described above. This
Collection Event is for residents of
Fayston, Moretown, Waitsfield,**

**Warren and Waterbury. If you are
from outside of the MRRMA there is a
\$20.00 registration fee and no free
disposal of ten additional units of
HHW.**

**Mercury Added Products: Items such
as thermometers, mercury thermostats,
switches, medical and scientific
instruments and mercury batteries will
be accepted at this event. We cannot
accept any compact fluorescent lamps
(CFLs) or fluorescent tubes. You can
bring your CFLs and tubes to
Kenyon's True Value Hardware or
Bisbee's Ace Hardware in Waitsfield or
Aubuchon's Hardware or Waterbury
True Value Hardware in Waterbury.
We will swap your mercury fever
thermometer for a digital thermometer.
One digital per family.**

**Thermostat Incentive Program
The Thermostat Recycling Corporation
(TRC) has developed a system that will
provide a coupon that must be filled
out by the person who brings their
mercury thermostat to the Household
Hazardous Waste Collection Event.
The cover of the thermostat must be
included with the product. You will get
a receipt and a mail back coupon that
will be redeemed for \$5.00 after the
TRC receives the thermostat and the
coupon.**

Batteries

**Both single use batteries(primary) and
Ni-Cd and small sealed lead
rechargeable batteries can be recycled
as a result of Vermont's most recent
product stewardship laws. The single
use batteries include non-rechargeable
alkaline, carbon-zinc dry cell and
lithium metal batteries. Waterbury
True Value Hardware Store,
Aubuchon's Hardware,**

in Waterbury and Bisbee's Hardware, Kenyon's and the Earthwise Transfer Station in Waitsfield collect primary and rechargeable batteries from cell phones, power tools and other electronic equipment at no charge. We can also take these various batteries during the household hazardous waste collection. Vermont leads the country in per capita collection of batteries by weight.

Not Allowed?

Some other wastes can't be accepted: Compact Fluorescent Lamps (CFLs) and Fluorescent light tubes, radioactive wastes such as some smoke detectors (return them to the retailer or manufacturer), propane tanks and other compressed gases should be returned to the retailer, infectious wastes (contact your doctor's office or hospital for safe disposal); prescription drugs (participate in a DEA Drug Take Back program); explosives such as ammunition and flares (contact the state police for instructions in proper handling and disposal)

Green Up Day and Tire and Metal Collection, May 7, 2022

The Earthwise Transfer Station on Route 100 Waitsfield and Rodney's Rubbish Transfer Station on River Road in Waterbury are holding a car and pickup truck tire collection on Saturday, May 7, 2022 in conjunction with Green Up Day. Residents of the Mad River Resource Management Alliance (MRRMA) can bring their car and pickup truck tires with or without rims to either facility for \$5.00 each. The tires will be accepted at Earthwise from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. and at Rodney's

from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Green Up Tires will be accepted at no charge on Green Up Day at both sites.

These sites will also be sponsoring an appliance disposal event. You can bring your old dishwasher or washer/dryer or other large metal objects and dispose of them at no charge at the same times as the tire collections. There is a charge for freon containing units. At Earthwise it is \$40.00 for freezers and refrigerators and on Green Up Day only it is \$10.00 at Rodney's for processing these materials.

Green Up Day Coordination

If you collect litter during a Green Up Project on May 7, 2022, you can bring the green plastic Green Up Bags at no charge to Rodney's from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. or to the collection roll off located at the Waterbury Highway Garage on Guptil Road in Waterbury Center from 8 a.m. to 4 p. m. or the Earthwise Transfer Station located on Route 100 in Waitsfield from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.. Check with your local Green Up Coordinator to see if there are any special projects or instructions in your community on Green Up Day, May 7, 2022. Green Up Bags should be available from your Green Up Coordinator or Town Clerk. In Fayston call Lisa Koitzsch at 279-2173; in Moretown call Mike Damotsis at 496-2812; in Waitsfield call Bri Skoldberg at 802-829-0878; in Warren call the East Warren Store at 496-6758 and in Waterbury call Lisa Scagliotti at 244-1444.

Textile Recycling

Helpsy, a corporation from White Plains New York has established textile recycling bins in the Mad River Resource Management Alliance. The Collection Bins are located at

Rodney's Transfer Station in Waterbury and the Earthwise Transfer Station in Waitsfield. These bins are accessible during the hours of operation of the facilities. They will accept torn, or stained items as long as they are clean, dry and odorless. You can bring: footwear in pairs; all types of clothing including outerwear, pants, shirts, blouses, dresses, pajamas, underwear; accessories including hats, bags, totes backpacks, belts, gloves, ties, scarves, and bathrobes; linens including sheets and blankets, towels, curtains, cloth napkins, comforters, throw rugs, placemats; Halloween costumes, sports jerseys, pet clothing and canvas.

Composting Workshops

Composting workshops are scheduled for 10 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. on April 30, 2022 in the Steele Room at the Waterbury Municipal Building on North Main Street in Waterbury and at the Waitsfield Municipal Office on June 11, 2022 from 10 am to 11:00 am. Participants in the workshops will be eligible to purchase a Soil Saver Compost Bin at a reduced price of \$45.00. To sign up for a Workshop call John Malter at 244-7373 or email him at malterport@aol.com More information will be included on our website: madriverrma.org and in Front Porch Forum.

Grow Compost/Casella Food Scrap Collection

Food scraps are now accepted at the Grow Compost/Casella site on Route 2 in Moretown from 8 am to 5 pm Monday through Friday and 8 am to 12 pm on Saturday. They are closed on Sunday. Only food scraps are acceptable at this site. If the collection totes are full come back another day. There is no charge for this service.



Paint Recycling Program

About the Vermont PaintCare Program

PAINTCARE

Paint manufacturers created PaintCare, a non-profit organization, to set up convenient places for households and businesses to recycle leftover paint. PaintCare sets up paint drop-off sites throughout states that adopt paint stewardship laws.

PAINTCARE PRODUCTS

These products have fees when purchased and will be accepted for free at PaintCare drop-off sites:

- Latex paints (acrylic, water-based)
- Oil-based paints (alkyd)
- Stains
- Primers and undercoaters
- Shellacs, lacquers, varnishes, urethanes
- Deck and floor paints
- Sealers and waterproofing coatings for wood, concrete and masonry

NON-PAINTCARE PRODUCTS

- Paint thinners and solvents
- Aerosol paints (spray cans)
- Auto and marine paints
- Paint additives, colorants, tints, resins
- Wood preservatives (containing pesticides)
- Asphalt, tar and bitumen-based products
- 2-component coatings
- Coatings used for Original Equipment Manufacturing or shop application
- Any non-coatings (caulk, spackle, cleaners, etc.)

FEES


PaintCare fees are applied to the purchase price of architectural paint sold in the state as required by state law. Fees, effective 8/1/16 are based on container size as follows:

Half pint or less	\$ 0.00
More than half pint to less than 1 gallon	\$ 0.49
1 gallon	\$ 0.99
More than 1 gallon up to 5 gallons	\$ 1.99

For more information or to find a place to take your unwanted paint for recycling, please ask for the PaintCare brochure, visit www.paintcare.org or call (855) 724-6809.



Recycle with PaintCare

RECYCLABLES & OTHER MATERIALS/WHAT THEY ARE/WHERE THEY GO SPRING, 2022			
	Earthwise Transfer Station, Waitsfield	Rodney's Rubbish Transfer Station and Redemption Center, Waterbury	A & J Recycling, Behind Village Grocery, Waitsfield
Hours of Operation	8 a.m.-3 p.m./ Mon, Wed, Fri. 8 a.m. -1 p.m./ Sat	9 a.m.-4 p.m. Weds-Thurs-Fri. Closed from 12-12:30 for lunch. 8 a.m.-2 p.m./Sat Redemption Center closes a half hour before the transfer station	7 a.m.-12:00 p.m./Sat.
Charges	\$9.00/45 gal bag trash; \$5.00/30 gal. bag trash; \$3.50/15 gal bag, \$4.50/30 gal for Sr's, \$3.00/15 gal bag for seniors; Recycling~ 30 gal. or less \$2.50 add \$1.25 for each additional 15 gal; cardboard \$5.00/cu. yd; crankcase oil \$4.50/gal, no limit; \$7.00/car pu trk/off rim; \$14.00/ car pickup trk tire on rim; \$60/cu. yd construction debris but shingles and sheet rock \$95/cu. yd; Food scraps \$2.00/gal. Primary batteries and car batteries taken at no charge. E-waste collection site-computer systems and peripherals, monitors, printers, televisions-no charge for residents, non- profits, small businesses and school districts. Textiles-No Charge.	\$2.50/15 gal. bag of trash, \$5.00/30 gal./# bag of trash, \$6.00 or more for heavier bag, \$1.00/15 gal. bag of recycling, \$2.00/ 30 gal. bag of recycling, construction and demolition debris \$40.00/cu. yd.; asphalt shingles\$80.00/cu.yd. sheet rock/ \$60.00/cu. Yd. \$7.00-car and pick up truck tire without rim to 18", \$11.00 or more for tires with rims to 18" or more; 1 # propane cylinder-\$1, 20 # - \$10; Yard waste-\$20/cu. yd.; Food scraps-\$20/5 gal. bucket Textiles-No Charge.	\$3.00/13 gal. bag of trash, \$5.00/30 gal., \$8.00/45 gal, more if overweight, min. \$2.50/30 gal bag of recycling, \$1.00 each additional 15 gal., construction and demolition debris \$55/cu. yd., asphalt shingles \$90.00/cu.yd.,TV, Computer, Monitor, Printer, first one free per customer after that \$4.00/unit, car tires no rim 17" and less \$7.00 each, with rim-\$15.00, Truck tires 18"-21"- \$9.00. Truck tire over 21"-TBD 1# empty propane cylinder-\$1.50, 20 #-\$3.50, Yard waste-\$80.00/cu. yd. Food Scraps-\$1.50/ gal. Scrap Metal no charge
Phone	802-496-6394	802-793-3640	802-1 505-0630
Cardboard, including corrugated and boxboard	Yes	Yes	Yes
Glass Containers	All colors, no bottle caps	All Colors	All Colors
Newsprint	Yes	Yes	Yes
Office Paper including white, colored and mixed office paper	Yes	Yes, No paper towels or plates, no wrapping paper	Yes
Only Metal food and beverage containers	Yes	Yes	Yes
Gable-top milk and juice cartons and drink boxes	No	No	No
Plastic containers (#1)through (#7) except no plastic bags(#4) or polystyrene(#6), No black plastic, no flower pots, toys or bins	Yes	Yes, , no oil, dry gas or antifreeze containers	Yes
White goods such as refrigerators, freezers, washers and dryers	Yes, \$15.00 /appliance, Freon containing products i.e. freezers and refrigerators add \$40.00, Commercial coolers-\$150.00	Yes, \$15.00/appliance, Freon containing products i.e. refrigerators and air conditioners \$25.00.	Yes, Small appliances-\$10.00, large appliances\$12.00, Freon containing products \$35.00/unit, Larger Freon appliances may be more.
Tires	Yes	Yes	Yes
Construction and demolition debris	Yes	Yes	Yes
Used crankcase oil	Yes	No	No
Household refuse	Yes	Yes	Yes