

# Prepare Your Waste Properly for Disposal

## Protect Yourself

- Wear protective clothing .
- Do not smoke .
- Do not wear contact lenses if handling solvents .
- Work in well-ventilated area .
- Avoid breathing fumes .
- Keep children and pets away .
- Do not expose yourself to toxic chemicals if pregnant .

## Bring Materials in Original Containers

- If original container is not available, **clearly mark** on your container its present contents .
- **Do not mix** different waste products in the same container .

## Pack Carefully

- Place containers in a cardboard box lined with plastic. Do not place products in a plastic bag .
- Pack them in an upright position .
- Tighten all lids before transporting .
- If container is leaking, pack in larger leak free container with lid .

## Transport

- Place boxes inside car trunk or pickup box .
- If inside vehicle, keep vehicle ventilated .
- Place combustibles out of direct sunlight and away from heat sources .

## Clay County Household Hazardous Waste Facility

3322 15<sup>th</sup> Ave N  
Moorhead, MN 56560  
(218) 299-5077

<http://www.claycountymn.gov/403/Household-Hazardous-Waste>

### Hours

Monday thru Friday  
8:00am-4:00pm  
1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month  
8:00-11:30 am

Enter off 15<sup>th</sup> Ave N and stop at Scale House  
for further instructions.

Closed on Observed Holidays

Household Hazardous Waste accepts items from only Clay County residential homes only. (Free of Charge)

## Accepted Items

### Household items

- Aerosol products (no food aerosols)
- Drain/oven cleaners
- Moth balls
- Nail polish/remover
- Polish with solvents
- Spot removers
- Mercury thermometers /thermostats
- Fluorescent bulbs /PCB Ballasts (No fixtures)
- Rechargeable batteries and cellphones



### Automotive (5-gallon container size or smaller)

- Automotive Fluids
- Used motor oil
- Gasoline/Kerosene
- Oil filters  
(5-gallon container size limit)

### Lawn and Garden

- Weed/Insect killers
- Charcoal lighter fluid
- Pool chemicals
- Rodent bait

### Home Improvement

- Latex paint
- Stain/varnish
- Oil-based paint
- Paint remover
- Paint thinner
- Glue with solvents
- Driveway sealer
- Concrete cleaner
- Roofing tar



## Items NOT Accepted

- Business waste (Profit or Non-Profit)
- Unidentified waste
- Non-Hazardous waste (Joint compound, water base adhesives, mixed grout)
- Explosives
- Empty containers or dried out latex paint cans
- Agricultural Farm Herbicides/Fungicides/Pesticides (MN Dept Ag)
- Alkaline Batteries (non-rechargeable)
- Fire extinguishers
- Propane/oxygen/etc. cylinders or tanks
- Medical waste
- Radioactive Waste

### Attention:

We accept containers sizes 5 gallons or smaller, no drums .  
Waste Oil **cannot** be mixed with any other fluids or debris !

Please Call with any Questions: 1-218-299-5077  
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