2011 Southeastern Pennsylvania Household Hazardous Waste and Old Computer Collection Program

Bring your household hazardous wastes and old Computers to one of the following scheduled events

What can you bring?

As many as three old Computers and up to 25 gallons or 220 pounds of Hazardous Products. Please read the label! Hazardous products will have cautionary words on the label. For example: *Danger, Warning, or Caution.* Other words or phrases that can signal hazardous products include: *poisonous, hazardous, combustible, flammable, corrosive, volatile, caustic, irritant, explosive, toxic, use with adequate ventilation, or avoid inhaling.*

If there are no words indicating it is a hazardous product, it likely isn't.

Why?

Household products containing toxic chemicals, like pesticides, oil-based paints, solvents, cleaning products, weed killers and automotive batteries can be a threat to people and the environment if improperly discarded. Never throw these materials into the trash, as the toxic chemicals may harm sanitation workers, or result in fires in collection vehicles. It is also not safe to pour them into a sink or storm drain as they can end up in the environment polluting the air, water, or soil.

Bring

Pesticides
- Chlordane
- DDT
- Malathion
- Sevin
- Rodent Poison

Flammables
- Oil-based Paint
- Paint Thinner
- Spot Removers
- Gasoline
- Kerosene
- Gas/Oil mixture
- Heating Oil

Caustics
- Ammonia-Based Cleaners
- Household Lye
- Oven Cleaner
- Drain Cleaner
- Metal Cleaner

Toxics
- Photographic Chemicals
- Pool Chemicals
- Rust / Paint Remover
- Weed Killer
- Antifreeze
- Mercury
- CFLs (fluorescent lamps)

Household Batteries
- All Button Types
- Lithium
- Re-chargeables

Lead-Acid Batteries
- Car
- Marine
- Motorcycle
- Truck

Do Not Bring

- **LATEX PAINT**
  (it is not toxic – it is water based)
  **Remove lid to allow to air dry or mix with absorbent (e.g. kitty litter) until no longer a liquid and discard in plastic trash bag.*
- Appliances (with or without Freon)
- Asbestos
- Biological Waste
- Explosives
- Gas Cylinders
- Household Batteries (regular alkaline)
- PCBs
- Pressurized CFCs (greater than 1 lb.)
- Radioactive Waste
- Tires

For additional information on disposal options, contact:

- The PADEP Recycling Hotline at 1-800-346-4242
- Bucks County Planning Commission 215-345-3400
- http://www.buckscounty.org and Click on "How do I.....Recycle in Bucks"

When and where you can bring your materials?

Each event will take place rain or shine from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

2011 Schedule

Lower Bucks Area	**May 7, 2011**	*Lower Makefield Corporate Center – So. Campus, 770 Township Line Road, Lower Makefield Twp.*
Upper Bucks Area	**June 18, 2011**	*Upper Bucks County Area Vo-Tech School, 3115 Ridge Road – Bedminster Township*
Middle Bucks Area	**July 23, 2011**	*CB South High School, (pending CB School Board approval) 1100 Folly Road – Warrington Township*
Upper Bucks Area	**August 6, 2011**	*Quakertown Community High School 600 Park Avenue – Quakertown Borough*
Lower Bucks Area	**August 27, 2011**	*Bucks County Technical High School 610 Wistar Road – Bristol Township*

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