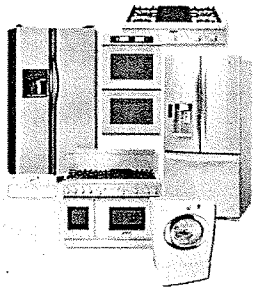
Special Waste Disposal Guidelines

The following listing provides disposal alternatives for waste materials which are not accepted at Dane County Clean Sweep. This listing provides disposal options available to all Dane County residents. City of Madison residents may have additional disposal options available to them for some of these materials – contact the City of Madison Streets/Recycling Department at (608) 266-4681 (West) or (608) 246-4532 (East) or consult the City of Madison Recyclopedia for further details at: http://www.cityofmadison.com/streets/documents/recyclopedia.pdf

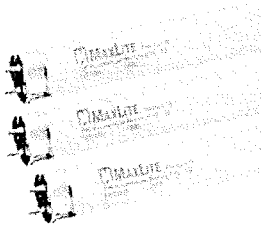
For additional information concerning the Dane County Clean Sweep program please call (608) 243-0368 or visit http://www.danecountycleansweep.com

Material	Disposal Method
Alkaline Batteries	Throw alkaline, single-use & other disposable batteries in your trash
Ammunition	Contact your local law enforcement agency
Appliances 	**Appliance Recycling Locations**

Business	City, State	Zip Code	Fee	Notes
All Metal Recycling 1802 S. Park St. 255-0960	Madison, WI	53713	Free	(Subject to Market Conditions) Most metals, including some types of clean barrels and drums, appliances and lead-acid batteries. Call for more details.
Gary's Appliance Repair 2405 Vondron Road 221-1150	Madison, WI	53718	Charge	Appliances, including those with CFCs and PCB capacitors, TVs and computers. Nominal charge will apply for most items.
Moor's Salvage & Freon Recovery 6421 Edna Taylor Parkway 223-9220	Monona, WI	53716	Charge	Appliances and CFCs.
Resource Solutions 5493 Express Circle 244-5451	Madison, WI	53704	Free	Call for details.
Alter Metal-Madison 4400 Sycamore Avenue 241-1571	Madison, WI	53714	Free	Call for details.

Asbestos	Asbestos is accepted at the Dane County Landfill only on the first Wednesday of the month from 7:00 am - 1:00 pm. Call 267-0120 for information and permit form.

Material	Disposal Method
Carbon Monoxide & Smoke Detectors	Remove batteries and throw detector in your trash
Cement and Concrete	Dispose of old cement and concrete mixes in your trash. For a listing of concrete rubble disposal options, please see **http://www.countyofdane.com/pwht/recycle/public_locations.aspx**
Compact Fluorescent Lamps (CFL's) & Fluorescent Tubes	



Fluorescent Lamps and Bulbs Recycling Locations

City of Madison and Dane County ordinances require that all stores selling fluorescent lamps must accept used lamps for recycling. Fees are for small quantities from households. Contact market for more information for large quantities or from businesses.

Business	City, State	Zip Code	Fee	Notes
Dorn Hardware 1348 S Midvale Blvd 274-2511	Madison, WI	53711	Free	Free for CFLs
Menard's 6401 Copps Ave 224-2483	Madison, WI	53716	Charge	Free for CFLs
Wal-Mart 7202 Watts Road 276-9393	Madison, WI	53719	Free	
Home Depot 4550 Verona Road 276-7922	Madison, WI	53711	Free	
Madison Lighting 6701 Watts Road 271-6911	Madison, WI	53719	Charge	
PKK Lighting 7182 Hwy 14 836-7821	Middleton, WI	53562	Charge	Also takes incandescents

For further listings, please see
http://www.countyofdane.com/pwht/recycle/lamps_bulbs.aspx

Compressed Gas Cylinders • **Propane**	Empty 20 lb. tanks – take to refill or exchange facilities Partially full 20 lb. tanks – take to U-Haul (fee charged) 1 pound cylinders – take to Clean Sweep
• **Other Flammables**	1 pound cylinders – take to Clean Sweep
• **Helium**	Take to: Moor's Salvage 6421 Edna Taylor Parkway Monona, WI 53716 (608)223-9220
• **Freon**	Take to: Moor's Salvage 6421 Edna Taylor Parkway Monona, WI 53716 (608)223-9220
• **Foam Insulation**	Take to: Moor's Salvage 6421 Edna Taylor Parkway Monona, WI 53716 (608)223-9220

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Cooking Oil	Solidify liquids by freezing or mixing with absorbent material such as kitty litter or Oil-dry® and dispose of in your trash. Animal fats, solid vegetable-based oils, greases and lards may also be disposed of in your trash. **DO NOT** dispose of cooking oil at any public motor/waste oil recycling facility.
Dried Latex Paint	Empty latex paint cans or cans containing dried/solidified latex paint should be disposed of in your trash with lids off so that your waste hauler can see that the paint is dry.
Empty Containers	Any empty household product container, regardless of previous contents, should be disposed of in your trash or recycled as appropriate. Generally, you should not attempt to recycle pesticide or oil containers. Empty aerosol cans are accepted in some local recycling programs. Check with your local municipality for your specific recycling requirements.
Explosives & Fireworks	Contact the Dane County Sheriff's Department Bomb Squad Technician at (608)255-2345 for disposal instructions.
Fertilizer w/o pesticide or herbicide	Fertilizers that do not contain pesticides or herbicides may be disposed of in your trash. This includes natural or organic fertilizers such as milorganite, composted manure, bone meal, blood meal, etc. Clean Sweep may accept natural, organic or chemical fertilizers for placement into the facility product exchange, provided that the material is phosphorus-free, in good condition and of sufficient quantity to make it useful to others.
Garbage	Clean Sweep does not accept household trash or garbage for disposal. Contact your local municipality for trash pickup requirements. For a fee, Dane County residents may also dispose of household trash and garbage at the Dane County Landfill. Contact the Dane County Landfill at (608) 838-9555 or visit the following website for details: **http://www.countyofdane.com/pwht/recycle/landfill.aspx**
Ink & Toner Cartridges	Take your old Inkjet and toner cartridges to any Office Depot, Staples, Office Max and Best Buy stores for recycling.
Lead Paint Chips	Seal in plastic bags and dispose in trash.
Sharps	Sharps, such as medical needles, syringes, and lancets pose a problem for collection crews when they are improperly mixed with trash or recyclables. Sharps are a significant health concern for all workers who handle solid waste whether at the curb, the landfill, or the recycling facility. All needle stick injuries require workers to undergo extensive testing, pose serious disease risks and can cause long-term emotional stress. State regulations require households to safely package sharps for proper disposal and prohibit putting sharps in the landfill. Place your used sharps in a red plastic sharps disposal container or a used plastic laundry bottle labeled with a "Biohazard" or "Sharps" sticker. Stickers are available at participating pharmacies or by calling 267-2626. When your container is full bring it to a participating pharmacy or sharps disposal location. For a complete list of sharps disposal locations, please visit the following website: **http://www.safercommunity.net/images/PDFs/Where%20to%20take%20Sharps.pdf**
Medications & Prescription Drugs	Medication should not be flushed down the sewer or placed in the refuse. In Dane County, there are ten MedDrop box locations that are open year-round for disposal of your unwanted medicines. To dispose of medications in the MedDrop drop boxes, please bring your unused or expired medication and a Ziploc or other re-sealable bag to any MedDrop location. Empty contents of pill bottles into a zip lock bag and recycle your pill bottles. Leave liquids, gels or creams in their original containers and place them in a Ziploc bag as well. Put sealed Ziploc bags into the MedDrop box. For a listing of items you can dispose of at MedDrop and MedDrop box locations, please visit the following website: **http://www.safercommunity.net/meddrop.php**

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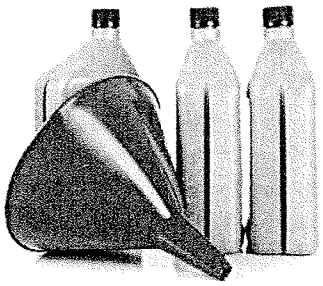
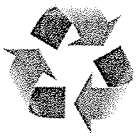
Motor Oil & Oil Filters  	Used motor oil requires special handling. Used oil should not be put in the trash and should never be dumped in sewers or household drains. The City of Madison has four drop-off sites for used motor oil and a fifth is operated by Dane County. These public sites are always open. You must empty your oil into a tank on site. DO NOT dispose of cooking oil or gas/oil mixes at any public waste oil site. The public waste oil sites are located at: • East: City Garage, First and East Johnson Streets • East: Monona Golf Course, Monona Drive and East Dean Avenue • Northeast: Wheeler and School Roads • South: Dane Co. Highway Garage, Fish Hatchery and Badger Roads • West: Glenway Golf Course, 3747 Speedway Road In addition, there are several area businesses that will accept used oil from the public. These include: • Amoco Service Station: 3415 W. Beltline Hwy. (608) 831-5933 • Amoco Service Station: 6504 University Ave. (608) 836-1090 • Amoco Service Station: 6701 Mineral Point Rd. (608) 833-5888 • Car Care Clinic: 2733 University Ave. (608) 233-4600 • Valvoline Instant Oil Change: 5632 Odana Rd. (608) 271-9491 • Valvoline Instant Oil Change: 3594 E. Washington Ave. (608) 244-3646 • Valvoline Instant Oil Change: 2512 S. Stoughton Rd. (608) 222-8858 • Valvoline Instant Oil Change: 5522 University Ave. (608) 233-9099 *As of January 1, 2011 used automotive engine oil filters and oil absorbent materials are banned from Wisconsin landfills. This is required by 2009 Wisconsin Act 86, which was passed to promote oil recycling and protect the environment. No individual or group is exempt from this ban. For a listing of oil filter recycling locations, please see the following website:* **http://www.countyofdane.com/pwht/recycle/public_locations.aspx**
Recyclables  	Recycling is mandatory in Wisconsin. Wisconsin's recycling law instituted a graduated series of bans on landfilling and incineration of certain materials that went into effect at the beginning of January 1991, 1993 and 1995, respectively. Banned materials include: lead acid batteries, major household appliances, waste oil, yard waste, aluminum containers, corrugated paper or other containerboard, plastic containers #1 through #7 (currently, a variance issued by the DNR allows plastic containers #3 through # 7 to be landfilled or incinerated), foam polystyrene packaging (currently, foam polystyrene packaging can be landfilled or incinerated under the same variance that applies to #3 through #7 plastic containers), glass containers, magazines and other materials printed on similar paper, newspapers and other materials printed on newsprint, office paper, steel containers, containers made from a combination of steel and aluminum (bi-metal cans), and waste tires, except when incinerated with energy recovery. Every community in Dane County has a recycling program. For details concerning the recycling program in your area, please contact your local recycling coordinator from the following list: **http://www.countyofdane.com/pwht/recycle/contacts.aspx** Recyclables may also be dropped off for free at the Madison Recycling Center, 2200 Fish Hatchery Road, Madison, WI 53713. Contact (608) 251-2115 for details.
Water-based Cleaners	Flush liquids down your sanitary sewer & put solids in your trash.

The listings in this document do not imply endorsements or recommendations of firms or their services. If you are unsure about disposal of any of your household items, please contact Dane County Clean Sweep at (608) 243-0368 or http://www.danecountycleansweep.com or the Dane County Landfill at (608) 838-9555 or http://www.countyofdane.com/pwht/recycle/landfill.aspx