HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY

The City of Austin Household Hazardous Waste Facility is open to City of Austin and Travis County residents to safely recycle, repurpose or dispose of unwanted hazardous waste. Pouring household chemicals down the drain, dumping them on the ground or putting them in the trash is dangerous and harmful to the environment and the employees who pick up your trash.

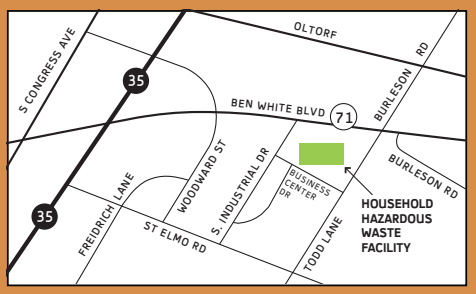
AUSTIN'S *ZERO WASTE* GOAL

The City of Austin is committed to reducing the amount of waste sent to area landfills by 90 percent by 2040 or sooner. The Household Hazardous Waste Facility works toward this goal by keeping chemicals that are dangerous and harmful to the environment out of landfills.

Learn more about the Household Hazardous Waste Facility at **austintexas.gov/hhw**.

Items Accepted:

- Fluorescent light bulbs
- Batteries (car and household)
- Cell phones
- Cleaners
- Automotive fluids
- Oil filters
- Paint and thinners
- Pesticides and herbicides
- Photographic chemicals
- Mercury
- Pool chemicals
- Cooking oils, fats and grease – **Remember, never put grease down the drain!**
- Outdoor grill propane cylinders



Household Hazardous Waste Facility
2514 Business Center Dr.
Austin, TX 78744

512-974-4343

Tuesday – Wednesday: 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Saturday: 7 a.m. – Noon

Closed: New Year's Day, Memorial Day weekend, Labor Day weekend, Saturday after Thanksgiving and the week of Christmas

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AUSTIN RESOURCE RECOVERY
A CITY OF AUSTIN SERVICE

Amounts You Can Dispose Of:

- City of Austin and Travis County residents may bring up to 30 gallons of home-generated waste to the Household Hazardous Waste Facility free of charge.
- You may be charged at cost for the disposal of extra waste weighing more than 30 gallons.
- Please do not bring items in containers with more than 5 gallons of capacity.

Items NOT Accepted:

- Radioactive materials
- Syringes and medical waste
- Tires
- Electronics
- Compressed gas cylinders
- Explosive materials (including ammunition)

The Household Hazardous Waste Facility cannot accept materials generated by businesses. Call **(512) 974-4343** for more information.

Austin ReBlend - Free Recycled Paint

All paint dropped off at the Household Hazardous Waste Facility is inspected by trained personnel. If it can be reused, it is consolidated, blended, filtered and packaged into Austin ReBlend:

- Free, 100 percent post-consumer, low-VOC flat paint
- Available in 3.5-gallon containers and in two colors:
  - » Texas Limestone (beige)
  - » Balcones Canyonland (dark beige)

Stay Connected:

Track the City of Austin's progress toward Zero Waste! Sign up for our e-newsletter at **austinrecycles.com**.

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Rethink Your Household Supplies:

- Whenever possible, avoid purchasing such items. If you must purchase, buy in quantities for immediate use.
- Explore alternative products that are environmentally friendly and safer

Transportation Tips:

- Please transport products in their original containers. Do not mix products.
- Place smaller items upright in sturdy containers
- Containers can be returned or recycled
- If an item leaks, pack it in a larger container and absorb spill with cat litter
- Transport chemicals in non-passenger area of vehicle

Free Home Supplies at the Reuse Store

Many brand new or slightly used items are brought to the Household Hazardous Waste Facility. Instead of disposing of them, the facility gives them to residents who can use them.

Items are free and may include paint, cleaning solutions, automotive fluids and more.

For proper recycling or disposal of electronics, visit the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality website at **tceq.texas.gov**.