

CLEAN SWEEP GUIDELINES

Agricultural pre-registration is mandatory for quantities over 200 lbs.

Each household may bring up to, and no more than, a combination of five gallons of liquid or 50 pounds of solid waste.

Materials should be properly identified in their original containers with original labels.

Unknown materials can be brought in, but may be refused if the waste hauler cannot dispose of it, or if disposal costs are excessive.

If your volume of unknown materials exceeds five gallons or 50 pounds, contact the UW-Extension Office in advance to make **required** special arrangements.

Do not mix substances together! Doing so can be extremely dangerous!

Pack materials safely. Place waste in a cardboard box lined with a plastic bag and separate each product with folded newspaper.

For more information go to:

www.co.wood.wi.us

<http://www.co.wood.wi.us/Departments/Health/Environmental.aspx>

www.wood.uwex.edu

Mercury Exchange

Mercury is hazardous! Exchange your mercury thermometer for a mercury-free digital thermometer. Mercury thermometers have a silver liquid – not a red liquid. Bring to Clean Sweep in a Ziploc bag...limit of one thermometer per household, while supplies last.

For More Information Contact:

**UW Extension Office at
(715)421-8440**

Or

**Wood County Health Department
(715) 421-8911 or (715) 387-8646**

**WOOD COUNTY
AGRICULTURAL AND HOUSEHOLD**

CLEAN SWEEP



SATURDAY

September 30, 2017

8:00 a.m. – 12 Noon

Info: 715 421 8440

**Saratoga Town Hall
1116 St HWY 73**

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Residents***

WHAT IS A CLEAN SWEEP?

It is a voluntary, state/county program for the legal, safe, and convenient disposal of hazardous wastes from homes, farms, and businesses. The Clean Sweep program has been operating since 1990.

WHY SHOULD I PARTICIPATE?

Hazardous chemicals can cause health, safety, or environmental problems. Improperly stored or disposed chemicals can pollute ground and surface waters. Participants will not be held liable for the proper disposal of materials collected.

WHO CAN PARTICIPATE?

All Wood County residents can participate.

IS THERE A COST TO PARTICIPATE?

Households and farms are allowed to dispose of hazardous waste **without charge**; however, quantities may be restricted.

Businesses and schools can use Clean Sweep to dispose of unwanted chemicals in an easy, low cost way. To obtain a FREE, no obligation, disposal estimate, contact Veolia c/o Chris Bahlow at chris.bahlow@veolia.com, or call 715-298-2623.

Quantities and items accepted may be restricted.

Wisconsin Rapids

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LOOK FOR THE EXCHANGE TABLE!

Useable items brought to Clean Sweep will be available for exchange.



The Clean Sweep Program is being funded with contributions from Wood County and Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection

Examples of Acceptable Materials for the Clean Sweep

AUTOMOTIVE

Ether	Degreasers
Old Fuel	Brake Fluid
Transmission Fluid	

LAWN, GARDEN & FARM

Fungicides	Rodenticides
Herbicides	Insecticides

HOUSEHOLD

Nail Polish Remover	Spot Remover
Moth Balls	Swimming Pool Chemicals
Drain Cleaner	Oven Cleaner
Silver Polish	Floor Polish
Mildew Cleaner	Dry Cleaning Fluid
Metal Cleaners	NiCad Batteries
Photography Chemicals	

WORKSHOP

Stripper	Wood Preservatives
Hobby Materials	Thinner/Solvents
Gun Cleaning Fluid	Turpentine
Lead-Based Paints	Varnish
Lacquer	Creosote

LATEX PAINT, TIRES, MOTOR OIL, AUTOMOTIVE BATTERIES, FLUORESCENT TUBES, ELECTRONICS, APPLIANCES, ANTI-FREEZE, EXPLOSIVES AND HIGH PRESSURE CYLINDERS CANNOT BE ACCEPTED.

Dry out latex paint and dispose of in the garbage. Recycle used motor oil and anti-freeze.