### **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: <a href="https://www.co.wood.wi.us">www.co.wood.wi.us</a>

 $\frac{http://www.co.wood.wi.us/Departments/Heal}{th/Environmental.aspx}$ 

### **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

# 2015 WOOD COUNTY AGRICULTURAL AND HOUSEHOLD

### **CLEAN SWEEP**

SATURDAY
October 3, 2015
Collection Time
8:00 a.m. – 12 Noon
Info: **715 421 8440** 

Saratoga Town Hall 1116 St Hwy 73

Serving A II of Wood County 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 <a href="mailto:chris.bahlow@veolia.com">chris.bahlow@veolia.com</a>, or call 715-298-2623.

# Quantities and items accepted may be restricted.

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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
Fuel Brake Fluid
Anti-Freeze Transmission Fluid

### LAWN, GARDEN & FARM

Fungicides Rodenticides Herbicides Insecticides

### HOUSEHOLD

Nail Polish 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, MOTOR OIL, EXPLOSIVES AND HIGH PRESSURE CYLINDERS CANNOT BE ACCEPTED.

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