

Reuse & Recycling HHW

LAKE TRAVIS REGIONAL REUSE & RECYCLING CENTER
3207 NEIDHARDT DRIVE, AUSTIN, TEXAS 78734
[OFF GENERAL WILLIAMSON, BEHIND THE ESD6 FIRESTATION]

Household hazardous waste is common everyday products that people use in and around their homes that due to their chemical nature, can be hazardous to the environment and water supply if not properly disposed.

Collection Dates to drop off your household hazardous waste products for Fiscal Year 2016 are **Wednesday's, 9am – Noon**

June 1, 2016

September 7, 2016

THE CENTER WILL ACCEPT:

- Household products — cleaning products, drain cleaners, oven cleaning solvents, degreasers, polishers, pool chemicals, household rechargeable batteries, mercury thermometers, gas grill propane tanks;
- Paint products — latex and oil-based paints, spray paints, preservatives, strippers, etc.;
- or,
- Automotive products — antifreeze, car batteries, oil, oil filters, transmission fluid, brake fluid, etc.

Accepted materials must be labeled and preferred to come in their original containers for transport.

THE CENTER WILL NOT ACCEPT:

- Asbestos products — including linoleum tiles containing asbestos from older homes;
- Industrial waste — anything from a business;
- Medical waste — needles, prescriptions, etc.;
- Ammunition or explosives — fireworks, dynamite, flares, etc.;
- Radioactive waste — smoke detectors, etc.;
- Compressed gas cylinders — except for gas grill propane tanks;
- Tires;
- Appliances — small or large; or,
- Technology products — computers, printers, televisions, speakers, surround sound, other electronic equipment.

Collection events are free and open to residents and utility customers of the partners. To drop off items, a resident or customer must present a driver's license or utility bill with an address in the jurisdictional boundaries of one of the following partners: the City of Lakeway, the City of Bee Cave, Village of The Hills, Hurst Creek Municipal Utility District, Lakeway MUD, or Water Control and Improvement District (WCID) No.

17. "We invite residents and utility customers of the center's partners to properly dispose

of household hazardous waste to prevent pollution that could endanger human health, wildlife, and the environment,” center spokeswoman Julie Oakley said. For residents that live outside of the partner jurisdiction, please consider taking your waste items to the [City of Austin & Travis County Household Hazardous Waste Facility](#) or you may pay a \$40 fee to leave with this center on one of the collection dates.

Did you know there is a Reuse / Recycle Building where you can pick up FREE partially filled products that still have useful characteristics. Paint is the primary product at this time but there are also partial containers of household products such as comet, pool/spa products and furniture refinishers. Latex paint has been blended on-site and poured up into 2-gallon buckets for use and there are currently two colors; grey and taupe. All products are free and can be picked up on the same dates of collection events. You will be asked to sign a waiver of liability for the products. That’s all!

Fluorescent Bulb Recycling CANNOT be accepted at the Lake Travis Regional Reuse & Recycling Center, but [The Home Depot](#) has an ongoing recycling program for fluorescent light bulbs (cfl’s). You can take your expired bulbs to any location. For more information on The Home Depot’s recycling program, follow the link, or call the City of Lakeway Solid Waste Department at 512-314-7514.

For other items not accepted at the Lake Travis Regional & Recycling Center, please contact

[City of Austin & Travis County Household Hazardous Waste Facility](#)

Hours

Address

Saturdays:

2514 Business Center Drive

7 a.m. to noon

Austin, TX 78744

(Near the corner of IH-35 & Hwy 71, off Todd Lane)

Mondays-Fridays:

512-974-4343

9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Closed on New Year’s Day, Memorial Day, 4th of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day. Visit their website for more information including the list of household hazardous waste items that are accepted and what items are not accepted.