

**ISABELLA COUNTY RECYCLING**  
**HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION PROGRAM**  
**LIMITED HOURS - BY APPOINTMENT ONLY**  
**FREE DROP OFF FOR ISABELLA COUNTY RESIDENTS\***



**COLLECTION GUIDELINES**

- No Smoking
- Remain in Vehicle
- Have ID ready
- No appointment? No drop off! No materials will be accepted without an appointment.

**HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTES CURRENTLY ACCEPTED**

**FROM YOUR HOME:**

Aerosols  
Appliance and Flashlight batteries  
Bug Sprays  
Dyes  
Floor Care Products  
Floor Wax  
Furniture Polish  
Mercury Batteries  
(camera, calculator, hearing aid)  
Medicines (expired)  
Oven Cleaners  
Scouring Powders  
Spot & Stain Removers  
Spray Dust Cleaners  
Upholstery/Carpet Cleaners

**MISCELLANEOUS:**

Artists' Paints & Mediums  
Dry cleaning Solvents  
Fiberglass Epoxy  
Gun Cleaning Solvents  
Lighter Fluid  
Moth Balls & Flakes  
Photographic Chemicals  
Swimming Pool Acid & Chlorine

**FROM YOUR GARDEN:**

Algicides  
Ant & Roach Powder  
Bug Sprays, Sticks & Creams  
Fertilizers  
Fly Strips  
Fungicides  
Garden Dusts & Sprays  
Herbicides  
Insecticides  
Rat & Rodent Poison  
Weed Killer

**FROM YOUR GARAGE:**

Antifreeze  
Brake Fluid  
Car Wax & Solvents  
Engine Cleaners  
Metal Polish

**FROM YOUR WORKSHOP:**

Alcohols  
Creasote  
Cutting Oil  
Glues  
Mineral Spirits  
Naptha  
Paint Brush Cleaners  
Polyurethane Coatings  
Rust Remover  
Turpentine  
Wood Stain & Preservatives

**PAINTS:**

Oil Based  
Automobile  
Model  
Printer  
Stripper  
Thinner

**NO LATEX PAINT ACCEPTED**

*Certain items may be limited to Drop Off on dates of commercial collection.*

*Questions? Call the Recycling Hotline at 773-9631.*

*\* Residents of counties other than Isabella - call for fee schedule*

**WATCH FOR THE FOLLOWING SIGNAL WORDS. THEY INDICATE A NEED FOR SPECIAL HANDLING OR DISPOSAL:**

- **Caution**
- **Warning**
- **Poison**
- **Danger**

**A Hazardous product will have any one of the following characteristics:**



**TOXIC: Poisonous or capable of causing acute illness**



**FLAMMABLE: Burns easily**



**CORROSIVE: Eats through other materials**



**REACTIVE: Can explode if exposed to heat, air, water or shock**

**SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF OVEREXPOSURE:** Headaches, nausea, dizziness or coughing can be warning signs of over exposure to chemicals.

**ACUTE AND CHRONIC EFFECTS:** a large exposure over a short time will generally leave ACUTE effects from overexposure. These effects can range from sneezing, coughing, itching, or irritation up to death. Symptoms can occur within seconds, minutes, hours or days. Sometimes these ACUTE effects do leave permanent damage. CHRONIC effects usually occur from smaller exposures over a long period of time. The long term results of these types of exposures can be liver or kidney problems, damage to the nervous system, reduction in lung capacity, cancer or other long term illness.

## **OTHER DISPOSAL OPTIONS: NOT PART OF HHW PROGRAM**

- **CAR BATTERIES - MT. PLEASANT SALVAGE**
- **MOTOR OIL - MATERIAL RECOVERY FACILITY (MRF) - FEE \$.25 per gallon**
- **GASOLINE - CHECK WITH LOCAL SERVICE STATIONS**