

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)

What is household hazardous waste (HHW)?

Household hazardous waste are products labeled with one or more of the following words: **caution, warning, danger, poison, flammable, reactive, corrosive, or toxic.** It is important to dispose of household hazardous wastes safely and to not place these items in the trash.



Items accepted as household hazardous waste

(see next page for a full list of accepted items)

- Fluorescent lightbulbs • LED lightbulbs • Batteries • Solvent-based adhesives and cleaners • Paint • Sharps • Toner cartridges
- Herbicides and Pesticides • Bug repellent • Mercury thermometers

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Other items accepted at HHW

Accepted during HHW hours

Electronic waste \$0.25/lb

For example:

- Computers
- TVs
- Cellphones



Small Appliances \$10.00/ea

For example:

- Microwaves
- Toasters (if metal)
- Tea kettles (if metal)
- Dehumidifiers and Humidifiers
- Dishwashers

NOT Accepted:

- Vacuums
- Coffee makers
- Blenders
- Hand Mixers
- Toasters (if plastic)
- Tea kettles (if plastic)

Used motor oil and filters

Used motor oil and filters are accepted as part of the HHW program



Drop off Locations

- Next to Lake County HHW Facility (open 24/7 under surveillance)
- Fall Lake Transfer Station

The HHW facility in Two Harbors provides an option for the disposal of unwanted products that may pose a risk to the environment. **This is offered as a service to residents**

HHW Facilities

Lake County HHW Facility

Recycle Center Drive • Two Harbors
Open Wednesdays from 12:00-5:30 pm
mid-May through mid-September

Year-round HHW facilities outside Lake County

- Northwoods Transfer Station
- HHW at St. Louis County Regional Landfill



Did you know that the Lake County household hazardous waste facility has a **REUSE AREA?**

Drop off or pick up leftover paint, cleaners, and more for **FREE!**

Reuse Center Locations

- **Lake County HHW Facility**
Reuse center hours are the same as facility hours