

## What is Clean Sweep?



Clean Sweep is a one-time collection of unwanted, unused, damaged, suspended or cancelled agricultural, household and small business chemicals and hazardous wastes. Improperly handled chemicals can pollute ground and surface water and pose health risks for you and your family. Clean Sweep allows you an opportunity to safely dispose of these chemicals.

## Is There A Fee?



There will be a \$10 fee for each vehicle participating in the chemical clean sweep. Cost of disposal is supported by a grant from the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture. Quantities over 200 lbs. will be charged an additional fee. Businesses will be charged a fee, based on amount and type of chemicals for disposal.

## Who Can Participate?



All Grant, Iowa, and Lafayette County residents, farmers, agri-business and small businesses can participate in the Clean Sweep Program.

## How Do I Participate?



- Pre-registration is required.
- Pre-register with your local UW Extension office.
- You will be asked for an estimate of the amount and type of chemicals you plan to dispose of.
- Businesses must pre-register and obtain a quote on their cost of disposal before clean sweep. Contact your local UW Extension office for more information.

**This is a one time program,  
don't miss your chance!**

## Dropping off your Hazardous Waste

At the Clean Sweep site, a licensed hazardous waste disposal firm will collect the chemicals with assistance from local volunteers. Disposal is simple and convenient. You will not need to leave your vehicle.

## Clean Sweep Guidelines



- Visually inspect containers before lifting or moving them. Wear rubber gloves when inspecting chemicals. **Never touch or breathe chemicals.**
- Secure lids, caps and covers before lifting or moving.
- Always leave chemicals or other hazardous materials in their original containers. **DO NOT** mix materials.
- Leave all labels in place, even if worn or torn. If labels are missing, please list contents on a sheet of paper. If label is difficult to read, please re-mark with a permanent marker.
- Place the containers in a plastic (garbage bag) lined cardboard box for easy hauling. This prevents spilling or mixing of chemicals while in transit.
- Use the trunk of your vehicle or bed of your truck to transport hazardous chemicals.



**Pre-registration is required. Please contact:**

**Ted Bay, Grant County UW Extension  
(608) 723-2125**

**Paul Ohlrogge, Iowa County UW Extension  
(608) 930-9850**

**Lori Berget, Lafayette County UW Extension  
office (608) 776-4820**

# Grant, Iowa, and Lafayette County Clean Sweep



## Dispose of Agricultural, Household and Small Business Waste Chemicals

**Saturday**

**September 9 - Lancaster** (8 a.m. – noon)

Premier Cooperative Agronomy Center  
5371 Commercial Road, Lancaster

**Saturday**

**September 16 – Dodgeville** (8 a.m. – noon)

Iowa County Highway Department  
1215 N Bequette St, Dodgeville

**Saturday**

**September 23 – Darlington** (8 a.m. – noon)

Lafayette County Highway Department  
12016 Hill St, Darlington

**\*\*Please use the site most convenient for you. \*\***

## What Will Clean Sweep?

### Garden/Miscellaneous

Fungicides  
Herbicides  
Rat poison  
Artists' paints  
Fiberglass epoxy  
Gun cleaning solvents  
Moth balls  
Pool chemicals  
Photographic chemicals  
Hobby chemicals  
Snail & slug bait  
Weed killers



### Kitchen/Bathroom

Air fresheners  
Disinfectants  
Tile cleaners  
Bathroom cleaners  
Drain cleaners  
Oven cleaners  
Furniture polish  
Metal polish  
Floor care products  
Bug sprays  
Household pesticide  
Insecticide  
Thermometers



### Garage/Workshop

Old Gasoline  
Gasoline/Oil mixtures  
Brake fluid  
Auto repair products  
Transmission fluid  
Other oils/cleaners  
Paints (lead & oil based only)  
Stains  
Paint thinner  
Paint stripper  
Varnish  
Antifreeze/Oil Mixtures  
Engine cleaners  
Wood thinners  
Wood preservatives  
Glues  
Aerosol cans



### Farm/Business

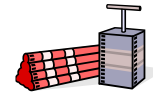
Chemicals/Pesticides  
Arsenic  
Chlordane  
Concentrated cleaners  
DDT  
Degreasers  
Dioxins (e.g. 2,4,5-T or Silvex "Penta")  
Dry cleaning fluid  
Kepone  
Poison  
Spot removers  
Teat dips  
Sanitizers



## What Will NOT Be Accepted?

### Latex Paints

Biological, Infectious or Medical Wastes  
Ammunition/Explosives/Fireworks  
Compressed Gas Cylinders  
Radioactive materials  
Smoke detectors  
Fertilizers  
Waste oil  
Tires



## What Should I Do with Tires?

We will not be accepting tires at the Clean Sweep. However, it is important to dispose of unused tires. Stagnant water in waste tires is the breeding ground for the mosquitoes that carry the LaCrosse encephalitis virus. Large stockpiles of old tires pose a fire hazard, which can lead to various forms of environmental degradation, such as air pollution and groundwater contamination. It is also illegal to burn tires.

Take your old auto, truck or tractor tires to the following sites. Disposal fees will vary by location:

### First Capital Salvage in Belmont

1-800-231-9495 or (608) 762-5308

### Gauger Salvage in Arena

(608) 753-2656

### West End Salvage in Lancaster

(608) 723-4523

### Town and Country in Boscobel

(608) 375-5856



## What Should I Do with Latex Paint?

We will not be accepting latex paint at the Clean Sweep. It is not a hazardous material, and it can be hardened and disposed of in a landfill. Cans less than 1/4 full can be allowed to dry out with the lid removed. For larger amounts, mix in plaster or kitty litter to speed the process. Pouring the paint onto a plastic drop cloth is another option. Once dried, the paint and can may be disposed of with your garbage.

## As part of Clean Sweep, you can also dispose of the following items:

### Items accepted at NO CHARGE:

CPU's, Laptops, Keyboards, Mice, UPS, Computer Cords, Circuit Boards, Power Strips, Calculators, Copiers, Scanners, Printers, Printer Cables, Telephones, Cell Phones, Fax Machines, VCR's/DVD Players, Stereo Equipment, Remote Controls, Networking Equipment, Rechargeable Batteries from laptops, cell phones, and power tools, Lead Acid Car Batteries, Christmas Lights, Extension Cords, Electric Motors, Pots and Pans, Ceiling Fans, Box Fans, Snow Blowers, Grills, George Foreman Grills

### Items with Charges:

#### Televisions:

29" & under.....\$20/each

30" to 49".....\$40/each

50" & over, **Wooden Console, & Projection**

.....\$60/each

**Monitors (CRT & Flat Screen LCD)....\$20/each**

**Large Copy Machines.....\$15/each**

**Microwaves.....\$15/each**

**Treadmills.....\$15/each**

**Lawn Mowers.....\$25/each**

Oil/Gas must be drained & tires removed

**Fluorescent bulbs.....\$1.00/each**

**Large Appliances.....\$25/each**

Stoves, Washers, Dryers, Water Heaters, Furnaces

**Air Conditioners/Dehumidifiers.....\$20/each**

**Dorm Size Refrigerators.....\$20/each**

**\*\*NO FULL SIZE REFRIGERATORS**