Acceptable Materials

**Household:**
- Cleaners
- Mothballs
- Photo chemicals
- Full/partially-full aerosols
- Arts & crafts supplies
- Batteries: button or recyclable
- Mercury Thermometers
- Fluorescent light bulbs

**Garage:**
- Hand-held propane torch cylinders
- Old chemistry kits
- Transmission fluid
- Gasoline, kerosene
- Waxes and polishes
- Brake fluid
- Rust preventatives

**Workshop:**
- Wood preservatives
- Wood strippers
- Oil-based paint
- Latex paint
- Lead-based paint
- Paint thinner
- Degreasers
- Solvents
- Sealants

**Yard/Garden:**
- Weed killer
- Insect sprays
- Rodent poison
- Muriatic acid/pool chemicals

Unacceptable Materials

- **Explosives, fireworks, ammunition** – State Police, local marinas
- **BBQ Propane tanks** – Deep River RentAll
- **Fire extinguishers** – Shoreline Fire Extinguishers, Old Saybrook
- **Empty aerosol cans** – recycling
- **Drugs** – call Police for details.
- **Bottled Gas** – Airgas, Waterford

Identification required
No fee to Participate

RiverCOG
Lower Connecticut River Valley Council of Governments

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE Collections and PAPER SHREDDING Events 2020

Selected April through October

For information: www.rivercog.org info@rivercog.org 860-581-8554
### Consumer Electronics & Mattresses

These items can now be brought to each town’s transfer station or landfill, at no cost; materials will be recycled.

### Household Hazardous Waste

#### Selected Saturdays

**9 a.m. - 1 p.m.**

- **Essex HHW Facility**
  - Rte. 9, Exit 4, 11 Dump Road, Essex
  - **May 30th**
  - **June 20th**
  - **July 11th**
  - **Aug 8th**
  - **Sept 19th**
  - **Oct 31st**

- **Colchester-East Hampton Water Pollution Control Facility**
  - 20 Gildersleeve Drive, East Hampton
  - **May 9th**

- **Woodside Intermediate School**
  - 30 Woodside Drive, Cromwell
  - **July 25th**

- **Middlesex Community College**
  - 100 Training Hill Road, Middletown
  - **October 3rd**

- **Middlefield Community Center**
  - 405 Main Street, Middlefield
  - **Aug 15th**

#### Paper Shredding

**Selected Saturdays**

**9 a.m. - 12 p.m.**

- **Essex HHW Facility**
  - Rte. 9, Exit 4, 11 Dump Road, Essex
  - **June 27th**
  - **Sept 12th**

- **Colchester-East Hampton Water Pollution Control Facility**
  - 20 Gildersleeve Drive, East Hampton
  - **June 13th**

### ADDITIONAL RECYCLING INFORMATION !!!

### CONSUMER ELECTRONICS & MATTRESSES

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### Latex and Oil Base Paints

Unwanted leftover latex or oil base paints can be brought to participating retail stores, participating transfer stations or household hazardous waste collections. Go to [paintcare.org](http://paintcare.org) for additional information.

### Commercial HHW

Commercial hazardous waste accepted by appointment only.

(Contact River COG for information.)

### Paper Shredding Note:

**LIMIT 5 bags or boxes**

Approx. 9” h. x 18”w. x 12”d.

No junk mail, magazines, books, cards, envelopes, metal ring-binders, etc. will be accepted at paper shredding events.