

Residential Household Hazardous Waste Collection Events
Kenosha Water Utility - Located at 4401 Green Bay Road

Residential household hazardous waste collection events are held at the Kenosha Water Utility and are open to City of Kenosha residents only (no commercial, business, industrial or non-profit organizations). Please note the following to ensure safe and efficient events for all staff and customers.

- 1st & 3rd Saturdays May-Nov / 1st Saturday Feb-Apr & Dec
- Receiving hours are 8:00 am – 11:00 am.
- Enter from 45th Street & exit to Green Bay Road (see attached map)
- Customers to show proof of residency by holding appropriate identification up to their closed vehicle window.
- KWU staff will direct the traffic flow entering and exiting the gated disposal area.
- Customers to remain in their vehicle in the disposal area. All items must be in the trunk, truck bed or at the very back of an SUV for removal by Kenosha Water Utility (KWU) staff.

How To Dispose of Latex Paint

While the disposal events accept latex paint, you can avoid waiting for a collection event by taking these steps to dispose of latex paint with your normal household trash. Latex paint is not considered a hazardous material; however, it cannot be disposed in the trash in a liquid form. Here are some tips to dry paint in the can for disposal with your regular trash collection.

- Open the can and allow paint to dry out. Stir occasionally to promote drying. This method may take several days.
- Add an absorbant such as kitty litter or sawdust. Stir frequently to promote drying.
- Add “waste paint hardener” to the paint in the can. This is available at most hardware and home improvement stores.

Items Accepted at Residential HHW Collection Event	
Garage & Workshop	Gasoline, oil-based paint, paint stripper/thinner, stain, varnish, photographic chemicals
Home & Garden	Fertilizer, pesticide, weed killer, aerosol cans, furniture polish, swimming pool chemicals, fluorescent light bulbs
Kitchen & Bathroom	Cleaners, disinfectants, thermometers
Items Not Accepted	Disposal Option
Motor Oil / Antifreeze / Transmission Fluid / Gear Lube	Take to City of Kenosha Waste Division Drop Off Site at 1001 50 th St –or– Street Division at 6415 35 th Ave (262) 653-4050
Electronics	Take to City of Kenosha Waste Division Drop Off Site at 1001 50 th St (262) 653-4050
Medication or Sharps	Kenosha County Department of Human Services (Division of Health Services) provides a list of disposal locations at: http://www.kenoshacounty.org/314/MedicationNeedle-Disposal
Asbestos	Contact a hazardous waste landfill
Smoke Detectors	Contact manufacturer for proper disposal
Large Propane Tanks	Contact propane tank/re-fill supplier
Ammunition	Take to City of Kenosha Police Department Main Office at 1000 55 th St

Traffic-Flow for Residential Household Hazardous Waste Collection Events

