HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE (HHW)

POISON CORROSIVE EXPLOSIVE FLAMMABLE

What is HHW?

Any material that is corrosive, explosive, flammable, or poisonous. These items should be disposed of with caution.

What are examples of HHW?

Paints, pesticides, propane tanks, batteries, pharmaceuticals, syringes, thermostats containing mercury, used motor oil and filters, fuels and many cleaning products. *New for 2006: fluorescent light tubes and energy efficient bulbs.*

How do I dispose of my HHW?

- Keep materials in original containers, or ensure that the contents are clearly labelled
- Do not mix different products together
- Tightly cap all containers
- Bring them to your local HHW depot free of charge

See reverse for locations and hours of operation

Please note:

- No commercial, industrial or medical office wastes accepted.
- No explosives (other than aerosols and propane cylinders), ammunition, PCBs, asbestos or radioactive wastes accepted.
- Needles and syringes from household medicinal use will be accepted in rigid containers only. No other pathological wastes will be accepted.

ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT RECYCLING

There is no charge for this service!

ACCEPTED

- Computers including modems, cables and software (e.g. disks, CDs, DVDs)
- Monitors, printers, scanners, electronic games (e.g. Nintendos)
- Telephones, pagers, fax machines
- VCRs, DVD players, radios, stereos (without audio speakers)
- Digital cameras, automobile "computer" modules

NOT ACCEPTED

- Televisions
- Electric calculators
- Electric typewriters
- Audio speakers
- Conventional cameras

Please note:

- Remove all packaging and batteries before delivering to a Household Hazardous Waste Depot.
- **Batteries can be brought to a Household Hazardous Waste Depot.**
- Thermostats, which contain mercury, must be delivered to a Household Hazardous Waste Depot.

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SCRAP METAL AND METAL APPLIANCES RECYCLING

What are metal appliances?

Metal appliances include items such as refrigerators, freezers, stoves, etc.

How do I dispose of my metal appliances and scrap metal?

These items can be dropped off at the Region's East Gwillimbury and Georgina depots free of charge. Some local municipalities offer a pick up service for metal appliances. Please refer to your local waste collection calendar or website for further information.

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COUNCIL ATTACHMENT 1

Questions about Household Waste?

Guide *for* HOUSEHOLD WASTE & RECYCLING DEPOTS

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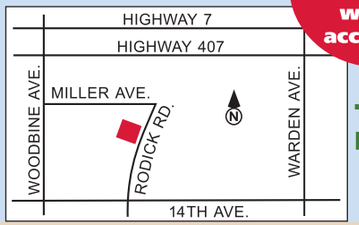
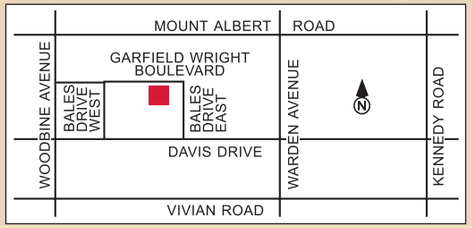
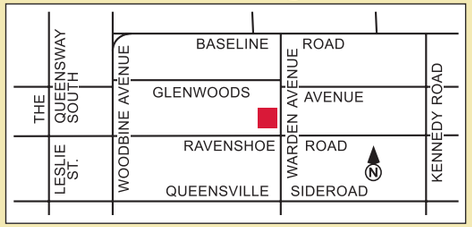
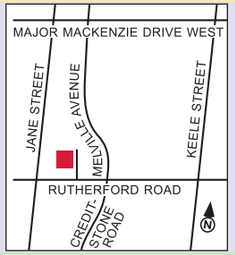
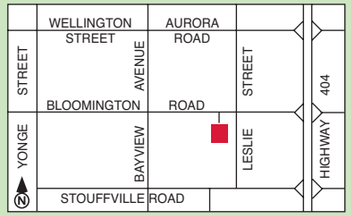
For more information:

Visit the York Region website at **www.york.ca**

Call York Region at **905-764-6345** or **905-895-1200**

York Region	HOURS OPEN	ACCEPTED MATERIALS	NOT ACCEPTED	GENERAL INFORMATION	COST	LOCATION MAP
Household Hazardous Waste Depot **Rodick Road** **South of Miller Ave.** **MARKHAM**	Wednesday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Closed Statutory Holidays	• Household hazardous waste • Specific types of electronic equipment	• Tires • Solid waste • Yard waste • Scrap metal & metal appliances • Blue box recyclables	See reverse for information on: • Household hazardous waste • Electronic equipment recycling	**NO CHARGE**	**Only Waste generated in York Region will be accepted!** **Town Of Markham** 
Household Hazardous Waste & Recycling Depot **225 Garfield Wright Blvd.** **EAST GWILLIMBURY**	Tuesday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Closed Statutory Holidays	• Household hazardous waste • Specific types of electronic equipment • Scrap metal & metal appliances • Cardboard, boxboard	• Tires • Solid waste • Yard waste	See reverse for information on: • Household hazardous waste • Electronic equipment recycling • Scrap metal & metal appliances	**NO CHARGE**	**Town Of East Gwillimbury** 
Waste Transfer Station & Household Hazardous Waste Depot **23068 Warden Ave.** **GEORGINA**	**Transfer Station** 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday to Saturday **Household Hazardous Waste Depot** 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Second Saturday and last Saturday of every month Closed Statutory Holidays	• Household hazardous waste • Specific types of electronic equipment • Scrap metal & metal appliances • Solid waste • Yard waste • Tires • Blue box recyclables • Clean fill (i.e. soil, bricks, concrete, cinder blocks, asphalt, not to exceed 500 kg)	• Tree branches and brush larger than 15cm (6 inches) in diameter and 1.8m (6 feet) long	See reverse for information on: • Household hazardous waste • Electronic equipment recycling • Scrap metal & metal appliances	**CHARGE FOR:** **Solid waste** Residential $70.00 per tonne Minimum charge $7.00 per load **Tires** Car & light truck $3.50 each Heavy truck - (off rim) $21.00 each - (on rim) $26.00 each Farm tractor - (off rim) $300.00 each - (on rim) $350.00 each **NO CHARGE FOR:** Household hazardous waste, scrap metal & metal appliances, blue box materials, specific types of electronic equipment and yard waste (residential sources only) **Form of Payment:** Cash, Visa, Debit Card (Interac)	**Town Of Georgina** 
Household Hazardous Waste Depot **2840 Rutherford Road** **VAUGHAN**	Thursday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Closed Statutory Holidays	• Household hazardous waste • Specific types of electronic equipment	• Tires • Solid waste • Yard waste • Scrap metal & metal appliances • Blue box recyclables	See reverse for information on: • Household hazardous waste • Electronic equipment recycling	**NO CHARGE**	**City Of Vaughan** 
Public Yard Waste Drop-Off Facility **Miller Waste Systems** **1351 Bloomington Road** **RICHMOND HILL**	**Summer**: March 31 - November 30 Monday to Saturday 7:30 am - 5:00 pm **Winter**: December 1 to March 30 Monday to Friday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm Saturday closed Closed Statutory Holidays	• Leaves • Grass clippings • Shrubs, branches, weeds • Vegetable garden waste • Flowers and garden plants • Sod (small residential quantities) • Hay (small quantities)	• Tree branches and brush larger than 15 cm (6 inches) in diameter and 1.8 m (6 feet) long • Stumps and root balls • Driveway and road sweepings • Kitchen and food waste • Animal droppings • Rocks and stones • Dirt and topsoil • Solid waste	• No plastic bags allowed	**NO CHARGE**	**Town Of Richmond Hill**