



SOLID WASTE DEPARTMENT

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Dear Larimer County Business,

Thank you for your interest in the **Business Hazardous waste Program & Education (BHAPE)**. BHAPE offers qualified businesses an affordable safe option for recycling or disposal of hazardous wastes.

To use the program your business must:

- Operate and generate hazardous waste within Larimer County.
- Generate wastes approved through BHAPE.
- Package waste in containers 5 gallons or smaller, typically. Containers larger than 5 gallons must be preapproved.
- Fall under the classification of Very Small Quantity Generator (VSQG).

This packet of information contains a resource list, practical waste management tips, and a cost sheet that outlines disposal fees for the BHAPE program. The resource list is not an exhaustive list of vendors. Other vendors may be found by searching the internet. There are also numbers available if you should need to contact a government agency with questions or concerns and area laboratories that may be able to assist you with any testing or sampling needs. If your business does not qualify as a VSQG and you have questions about managing your waste properly, you may contact our office or the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE) (303) 692-3320.

Before bringing your waste to the facility, you will need to contact a Larimer County Hazardous Waste Technician to assist you in becoming a BHAPE participant. Initial consultation with a technician is necessary, and your appointment to deliver waste may be made at that time if you meet the requirements of the program. A technician can be reached by calling **(970) 498-5773**.

Safety is a priority at the Larimer County Household Hazardous Waste Facility. You are encouraged to read the Practical Waste Management Transportation Tips, enclosed. Larimer County reserves the right to refuse waste that is not properly segregated, packaged, labeled, or represented by your company.

The Collection Facility is located at the Larimer County Landfill: 5887 S. Taft Hill Road Fort Collins, CO 80526. Wednesdays are reserved for BHAPE business appointments. If a business must dispose of waste during residential hours, an **Unscheduled Appointment Fee** of \$50 will be added to the standard pricing. Payment is accepted in the form of cash, credit cards, (American Express is not accepted) or checks made payable to Larimer County Solid Waste at the time you drop off your waste.

Thank you,

Linda Hammett
Hazardous Waste Manager
Larimer County Solid Waste
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PRACTICAL WASTE MANAGEMENT TRANSPORTATION TIPS

1. Properly package all waste prior to shipment in Department of Transportation approved containers 5 gallons or smaller. Containers larger than 5 gallons must be preapproved.
2. Original containers in good condition may be used for transportation.
3. Please make sure that each container is clearly marked and legible or labeled with the contents of each container.
4. Unknown wastes are not accepted into the BHAPE program. A generator is responsible for properly identifying all waste.
5. Separate incompatible materials such as acids and bases.
6. Secure the load to prevent shifting and spillage.
7. You are responsible for any spillage, and you are responsible for cleanup or damages that may occur during transport of your waste.



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Hazardous/Non-Hazardous Waste Resource List

The following list is provided as a measure of technical assistance to Larimer County businesses regarding the proper recycle/disposal of hazardous and non-hazardous waste. Included is a list of local laboratories that may be able to help with necessary analytical tasks, waste contractors (hazardous and non-hazardous), fluorescent bulb recyclers, used oil/antifreeze recyclers, and a list of regulatory contacts. The companies listed may not be the only source for these services. This document in no way or form constitutes endorsement or recommendation of these organizations on the part of Larimer County or its agents.

Laboratories

<i>ALS Environmental</i>	www.alsglobal.com	(970) 490-1511
<i>Technology Labs Inc.</i>	www.techlabusa.com	(970) 490-1414
<i>Stewart Environmental Consultants</i>		(970) 226-5500

Hazardous Waste Disposal Companies

<i>Stericycle</i>	www.stericycle.com	(866) 303-7344
<i>Veolia Environmental Services</i>	www.veolianorthamerica.com/en	(303) 289-4827
<i>Clean Harbors Environmental</i>	www.cleanharbors.com	(800) 444-4244

Industrial Waste Disposal Companies

<i>Waste Management</i>	www.wmsolutions.com	(800) 963-4776
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Medical Waste Disposal Companies

<i>Saftey-Kleen</i>	www.safety-kleen.com	(303) 761-8614
<i>Medical Systems of Denver</i>	www.msdisafetycare.com	(303) 772-7971
<i>Stericycle</i>	www.stericycle.com	(800) 643-0240

Battery Recycling

<i>Call 2 Recycle (Rechargeable Battery)</i>	www.call2recycle.org	(877) 723-1297
<i>Batteries Plus (Rechargeable Battery)</i>	www.batteriesplus.com	(970) 206-0206
<i>Interstate Batteries (Car Battery)</i>	www.interstatebatteries.com	(970) 484-1307
<i>Rocky Mountain Battery Recycling (Car Battery)</i>	www.rmbrecycling.com	(970) 484-5384

Paint Disposal

<i>PaintCare</i>	www.paintcare.org/paintcare-states/colorado/
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Fluorescent Lamp/Mercury Containing Devices Recyclers

<i>WM Lamp Tracker</i>	www.wm.com/business/additional-waste-services.jsp	(800) 664-1434
<i>Cleanlites Recycling</i>	www.cleanlites.com/lamp-recycling	(800) 778-6645
<i>Air Cycle Corporation</i>	www.aircycle.com	(800) 909-9709
<i>Region 8 Enviro, LLC</i>	www.r8enviro.com/services/mercury-lamp	(303) 424-4887

Used Oil and Antifreeze Companies

<i>Safety-Kleen</i>	www.safety-kleen.com	(303) 761-8614
<i>Thermo Fluids</i>	www.thermofluids.com	(303) 393-1118
<i>Mesa Oil</i>	www.mesaoil.com	(800) 873-3645
<i>Tri State Oil</i>		(307) 635-5332

Miscellaneous: Electronics, Smoke Alarms & Propane Tanks

<i>I.T. Refresh (Electronics)</i>	www.itrefresh.org	(970) 797-2934
<i>Waste Management (Electronics)</i>	www.wm.com/business/electronics-recycling.jsp	(970) 226-1101
<i>Curie Environmental Services (Smoke Alarms)</i>	www.curieservices.com	(505) 888-9392
<i>Blue Rhino (Propane Tanks)</i>	www.bluerhino.com	(800) 258-7466
<i>Denver Propane Exchange (Propane Tanks)</i>	www.ForkliftPropane.com	(303) 659-3023

Hazardous Waste Regulation and Transportation Questions

COUNTY

<i>Larimer County Dept. of Solid Waste</i>	www.larimer.org/solidwaste	(970) 498-5760
<i>Larimer County Dept. of Health and Environment</i>	www.larimer.org/health	(970) 498-6775

STATE

<i>Colorado Dept. of Transportation</i>	www.codot.gov	(303) 757-9011
<i>Colorado Dept. of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE)</i>	www.colorado.gov/cdphe	(303) 692-3320
<i>Colorado State Patrol</i>	www.colorado.gov/csp	(303) 273-1900

FEDERAL

<i>EPA Region 8</i>	www.epa.gov/region8	(800) 227-8917
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BHAPE PaintCare Information:

Larimer County Solid Waste has a contract with PaintCare on the proper processing and recycling of unwanted paint. PaintCare is a non-profit product stewardship organization that works to make paint recycling of unwanted paint more convenient for states that have paint stewardship laws. With this partnership, Larimer County Solid Waste HHW now has an administrative processing paint fee for businesses that need to dispose of paint and are qualified for the BHAPE program.

\$0.25 per gallon based on container size or the \$10 minimum fee, whichever is greater, is Larimer County's administrative processing fee on business paint and paint related products. Acceptable PaintCare products include latex paint, oil-based paint, and stains. See below for what products are and are not accepted within the PaintCare Program. Businesses must note that oil-based paint and stains are considered hazardous which means that having 18 to 20 gallons of this paint may be over the 220 pound per month limit to qualify for Very Small Quantity Generator (VSQG). Also note, products that are not accepted within the PaintCare program do not qualify for the PaintCare administrative processing fee. However, these products are accepted from qualifying businesses through the BHAPE program at our current standard pricing. See BHAPE Disposal Fees for appropriate pricing of other types of waste outside of the PaintCare Program.

For more information on PaintCare, please visit <http://www.paintcare.org/paintcare-states/colorado/>

Accepted within PaintCare Program	Not Accepted within PaintCare Program
Latex Paint (Interior & Exterior)	Paint Thinners
Alkyd Paint	Mineral Spirits
Oil-Based Paint	Solvents
Deck Coatings	Aerosol Spray Cans
Floor Paints	Art / Craft Paint
Primers	Caulk
Sealers	Epoxies
Concrete Sealers	Glues
Masonry Sealers	Adhesives
Wood Sealers	Paint Additives
Undercoats	Paint Colorants
Stains	Paint Tints
Shellacs (single component)	Paint Resins
Lacquers (single component)	Wood Preservatives with Pesticides
Varnishes (single component)	Roof Patches
Urethanes (single component)	Asphalt Products
Metal Coatings	Tar Products
Rust Preventatives	Bitumen Based Products
Lawn Paint	2 Component Coatings
	Deck Cleaners
	Road Marking Paints
	Industrial Maintenance Coatings
	OEM Paints
	Automotive Paints
	Grout Sealers



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Business Hazardous-Waste Assistance Program & Education (BHAFE)
Disposal Fees for Typical Waste Streams

Waste Categories	Examples	\$ Per Pound
Acid	Hydrochloric, Muriatic, Sulfuric	\$2.80
Aerosols	Poison, Corrosive, Paint	\$2.89
Alkaline Batteries		\$1.09
Antifreeze		\$0.20
Base	Sodium Hydroxide, Drain Cleaners	\$2.80
Flammable Liquid	Thinner, Gasoline, Solvents	\$0.93
Lead		\$2.22
Lithium Batteries		\$6.90
Mercury/Mercury Debris	Thermostats, Thermometers	\$15.00
Other Non-Hazardous	Used Automotive Oil	\$0.20
Oxidizers	Pool Chemicals, MEKP	\$4.77
Paint Related Boxed	Adhesives, Caulk, etc.	\$2.09
Paint Related Bulk	Combustible Liquids	\$1.11
Poisons/Pesticides	Pesticides, Herbicides	\$2.46
PCB Ballast		\$1.29
Non PCB Ballast		\$0.20
Waste Categories	Examples	Each
AED Batteries		\$2.20
CFLs		\$1.10
Mercury Containing Lamps		\$0.18/ft
Minimum Fee		\$10.00
Metal Halides		\$2.00
Water Reactive Chemicals		\$125 / 5gal Lab Pack
Flammable Solid		\$125 / 5gal Lab Pack
Lab Pack Fee		\$125
PaintCare Administrative Fee*		\$ Per Gallon
Paint – Latex, Oil-Base, & Stain		\$0.25 (based on container size)
Unscheduled Appointment Fee	Business Waste Processing Other Than Wednesday	\$50 plus standard pricing

*Minimum \$10 fee may apply if disposal of any waste total is less than \$10.

The following materials are unacceptable for disposal through the BHAFE program.

- Asbestos Material (call (970) 498-5771 for disposal information).
- Explosives - Shock sensitive materials such as dynamite, ammunition, picric acid, etc..
- Pathological wastes and medicines - infectious waste, medical waste, pharmaceuticals, etc..
- Known PCB waste
- Radioactives - includes smoke detectors.
- Temperature Controlled waste

Larimer County reserves the right to refuse any material that is unacceptable by the managing site staff

Prices Subject To Change Without Notice