

Harnett County Solid Waste to Host Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event on April 1

Harnett County Solid Waste will sponsor a one-day Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event Saturday, April 1, 2017, from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. at the Anderson Creek Landfill at 1086 Poplar Drive, Anderson Creek. This event is held in cooperation with the Harnett County Center of the NC Cooperative Extension and the NCDA & CS Pesticide Disposal Assistance Program.

In addition to household hazardous waste, agricultural and home pesticides and herbicides will be collected. Items that will be collected oil-based paints and stains, aerosols, solvents, cleaners, degreasers, alkaline acids (such as household cleaners and drain cleaners), oxidizers (such as pool chemicals), rechargeable batteries, lead acid batteries, items containing mercury (including fluorescent bulbs), and thermostats. Propane cylinders, oil and antifreeze will also be collected. Latex paint will be accepted at this event, however latex paint is non-hazardous and may be disposed of with regular trash as long as it is dried and hardened. Cat litter can be used to help dry and harden latex paint.

Fuels and pharmaceuticals will not be accepted during this collection event. Pharmaceuticals may be dropped off any time in the collection box outside of the Harnett County Sheriff's Office.

For more information, contact Harnett County Solid Waste at (910) 814-6156.

Pesticide Disposal Assistance Program

