

## WHO CAN PARTICIPATE?

This service is for residents in the Rolla/Phelps County community as well as the Ozarks Rivers Solid Waste Management District (Crawford, Dent, Gasconade, Maries, Phelps, Pulaski, and Washington counties.) The City of St. Robert also operates a household hazardous waste facility. **Hazardous waste from businesses is not accepted.**

## HOW TO PACKAGE AND TRANSPORT

All materials must be packaged in sturdy, non-leaking, closed containers, preferably original containers. If you have a leaking container, place it in a larger, non-leaking container. Non-original containers must be marked to identify contents.



Do not mix different wastes  
in the same container!

## ELECTRONIC WASTE

The Recycling Center also accepts e-waste items between the hours of 8:00 am - 2:00 pm, Monday through Friday. Special arrangements can be made if needed.

### Examples of items accepted are:

- keyboard, mice, printer, PC, cables
- fax machine, calculator, copier
- radio, stereo, speakers, scanner, solar lights
- DVD player, satellite receiver, VCR, DVD
- CD, answering machine, remote control
- cell phone, cordless phone, camcorder
- microwave, power tools, fan, humidifier
- hand held game systems, ink cartridge
- paper shredder, lamp, small appliances
- electronic exercise equipment, vacuum
- ***FEES APPLY: CRT monitor, TV, washer, dryer, stove, refrigerator, freezer, AC unit, water heater, dehumidifier, furnace.***
- We also accept lead acid batteries such as automobile, motorcycle, and four-wheeler batteries. Please call our office if you have any questions regarding acceptability of a particular item.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

The City of Rolla Recycling Center  
573-364-6693  
or  
visit our web site  
[www.rollacity.org/waste](http://www.rollacity.org/waste)



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# City of Rolla Recycling Center

## Household Hazardous Waste *and* Electronic Waste Drop-off Facility



City of Rolla Recycling Center  
2141 Old St. James Rd.  
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573-364-6693

## WHAT IS HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE?

A substance is considered hazardous when it contains ingredients or a combination of ingredients that can be harmful to the environment and/or human health.

- **Toxic** - Poisonous or causes long-term illness (such as cancer).  
Pesticides, paint thinners, many auto products and some cleaners are toxic. Look for words on the product label like:
  - "Harmful or fatal if swallowed."
  - "Use only in a well ventilated area" (this means product fumes are toxic).
- **Flammable** - Burns easily.  
Paints, thinners, and other solvents, and auto products are the most flammable home products. Look for words on the product label like:
  - "Do not use near heat or flame."
  - "Combustible."
  - "Do not smoke while using this product."
- **Corrosive** - Eats through material.  
Acid, oven cleaners, drain cleaners, toilet bowl cleaners and auto batteries are common corrosive products. Look for words on the product label like:
  - "Causes severe burns on contact."
  - "Can burn eyes, skin, and throat."
- **Reactive** - Can spontaneously ignite or create poisonous vapors when mixed with other products or can explode when exposed to heat, air, water or shock. Fortunately, there are few consumer products still on the market that are explosive (except for fireworks.)

**NEVER MIX HOUSEHOLD PRODUCTS!**

## EXAMPLES OF ITEMS ACCEPTED

### Stain & Varnish

Oil Based Paint  
Thinners  
Solvents  
Stain & Varnish  
Preservatives

### Auto

Gas & Kerosene  
Waxes  
Batteries  
Motor Oil  
Antifreeze  
Fuel Additives  
Hydraulic Fluid  
Transmission Fluid

### Miscellaneous

Pool Chemicals  
Aerosols  
Alkaline Batteries  
Fluorescent Bulbs  
Disinfectants  
Cooking Oil  
Helium tanks \$50

### Adhesives

Epoxy  
Caulk  
Wood Filler/Putty  
Glue  
Roofing Cement

### Garden

Fertilizers  
Pesticides  
Herbicides  
Insecticides  
Rodent Bait  
Poisons  
Repellents  
Weed Killers

Photo Chemicals  
Household Cleaners  
Acids & Caustics  
Ether  
Mercury  
Thermostat (mercury)  
Light Fixture Ballast

**CLOSED NOVEMBER — FEBRUARY**  
**The above is a partial list. If you have any questions about acceptability of a particular waste please call our office at 573-364-6693.**



## EXAMPLES OF ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED



## WHERE CAN I TAKE MY HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE?

The City of Rolla Recycling Center accepts materials ***by appointment only on Wednesdays between 9:00 am - 12:45 pm.*** To schedule a time call 573-364-6693. When calling, please be prepared to describe the types of materials that you wish to drop off and approximate quantity of each. Materials must be in original containers or clearly hand labelled if placed in another container. Do not mix different wastes in the same container.

**CLOSED DECEMBER—FEBRUARY**

## IS THERE A FEE?

This is a free service to residents, made possible thanks to:

- Missouri Department of Natural Resources
- Ozark Rivers Solid Waste Management District
- City of Rolla

***Donations are accepted in an effort to help keep the program in operation.***