

# "2016 TOX-AWAY DAYS"



**\*May 14 @ Area 30 Career Center, Greencastle**

**\*June 18 @ North Montgomery High School, Crawfordsville**

**\*September 17 @ Parke County 4-H Fairgrounds, Rockville**

**8:00am-1:00pm (Saturdays—Rain or Shine)**

Residents of Montgomery, Parke, and Putnam Counties are welcome at any/all events to properly dispose of household hazardous waste in a safe, drive-thru environment. \*Special thanks to our co-sponsor Heritage Environmental Services. *Regulations prohibit the collection of hazardous wastes from businesses, churches, schools and non-profits at these events—residents only.*



## HAZARDOUS & PROBLEM WASTES ACCEPTED "FREE"

- ◆ Acids/Bases/Solvents/Drain Openers
- ◆ Adhesives/Sealers/Acids
- ◆ Antifreeze/Auto Fluids/Old Fuels/Motor Oil/Filters
- ◆ Appliances (refrigerator/freezer/a/c unit/stove/dishwasher/washer/dryer/water heater/humidifier/dehumidifier)
- ◆ Batteries (auto/rechargeable/hearing aid/button)
- ◆ Computers (monitor/printer/scanner/keyboard/cords)
- ◆ Electronics (DVD players/VCRs/GPS/cell phones/radios/blenders/vacuums) \*Exception: \$10 fee for televisions
- ◆ Fluorescent Tubes (PCB/CFL bulbs/ballasts)
- ◆ Household Cleaners/Chemicals/Pool/Spa Chemicals
- ◆ Mercury Items (thermometers/thermostats)
- ◆ Oil Based Paint Only (No latex: see drying instructions ⇨)
- ◆ Paint Thinners (removers/varnish/stain)
- ◆ Pesticides/Herbicides/Fertilizers/Poison
- ◆ Smoke Detectors/Alarms (limit 2)
- ◆ Unwanted Medicines/Lancets/Sharps



## NOT ACCEPTED AT TOX-AWAY EVENTS:

- ◆ Ammunitions/Firearms
- ◆ Asbestos
- ◆ Cylinders (compressed gas, air, helium, etc.)
- ◆ Explosives
- ◆ Furniture/Mattresses/Grills/Mowers/Trash
- ◆ Lab Chemicals
- ◆ Medical, Clinical or Infectious Waste
- ◆ Radioactive Materials
- ◆ Latex Paint is water based and non-hazardous. Residents can dry out latex paint by removing the lid, mixing with equal parts kitty litter, sand, or shredded newspaper. Once dried out, place in your trash with the lid removed so hauler can see paint has solidified. Vendor has right to refuse.
- ◆ Alkaline Batteries: (AA, AAA, C, D) can be safely disposed of in trash (non-hazardous).



## GOT TIRES? BRING THEM TO US!

(\*limits/fees may apply—see chart below)

Car /Light Truck Tires: first 6 free/ \$2 each addtl/ max 12

Semi Truck Tires: first 2 free/ \$5 each addtl/ max 4

Farm/ Tractor Tires: first 2 free/ \$15 each addtl/ max 4

Tires on Rim (car/ light truck) \$2 per tire

## Recycle TV's



(any size) for only **\$10 each!**

## WEST CENTRAL SOLID WASTE DISTRICT

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# WCSWD Recycling Guide

(For Montgomery, Parke, and Putnam County Residents)

West Central Solid Waste District (WCSWD) is a government agency whose mission is to inform and educate the citizens of Montgomery, Parke, and Putnam Counties about proper waste disposal, waste reduction, reuse, recycling and provide programs and services in these areas. WCSWD residents may use programs and events in any of the 3 counties.



**Batteries... to Recycle or Not to Recycle?** Alkaline batteries (AA, AAA, C, D) have been reformulated and are not hazardous. These batteries can be safely disposed of in the trash. **Always recycle Lead-Acid Batteries** (auto, lawn mower, etc.) and **rechargeable & button batteries** as they may contain lead, acid, lithium, nickel cadmium, mercury. \*WCSWD Tox-Away Days & Locations on reverse side

**Electronics (E-Waste)** is banned from going into landfills since 2011. Residents can recycle and/or properly dispose of outdated e-waste at: **WCSWD Tox-Away Days** annually in May (Greencastle), June (Crawfordsville) and September (Rockville). Parke County also has an **E-Waste Collection Day** every June in Rockville. See website for dates and details @ [www.westcentralswd.com](http://www.westcentralswd.com).



**Recycling Drop-Off Centers** \*WCSWD recycling bins open 24 hours/7 days a week at:

**Montgomery County:**

- \*New Ross Electric Bldg.
- \*N. Montgomery High School
- \*Southmont High School
- \*Waveland (Old Elementary)

**Putnam County:**

- \*Cloverdale Town Hall
- \*Roachdale Vol. Fire Dept.

**Parke County:**

- \*Shopko (off 41, Rockville)

***IMPORTANT: Always break down cardboard & empty plastic bags to conserve space in bins for your neighbors. Never leave items on the ground.***



**Household Hazardous Waste** is anything you find in your home such as chemicals, cleaners, antifreeze, etc. that are labeled with words like "Caution, Toxic, Flammable, Danger".

These items are harmful to the health and safety of humans, animals and the Earth. Never flush or pour these items down the drain or on the ground. Bring them to a **WCSWD Tox-Away Day** for proper sorting and disposal in a convenient drive-through environment handled by haz-mat trained personnel.



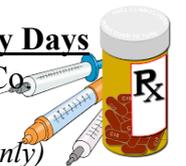
**Tires** - Got old tires lying around? Tires are one of the biggest problem wastes in America. They are not only unsightly, but can also collect standing water which can be a breeding ground for mosquitoes and other pests. Bring car, truck, tractor, lawnmower, motorcycle and bicycle tires to a **WCSWD Tox-Away Day** for recycling - see back side of flyer or visit our website for details at [www.westcentralswd.com](http://www.westcentralswd.com).

\*Montgomery County residents can take tires to their Health Dept. during Tire Amnesty Day in April (765)364-6440

**Medications & Sharps** - Drop off unwanted medicines/sharps/lancets at WCSWD Tox-Away Days

\***Medication Only:** Crawfordsville Police (765) 362-0885; Greencastle Police (765) 653-3155; Montg. Co. Sheriff (765) 362-3740; Parke Co. Sheriff (765) 569-5413—*call for hours, directions, and further details*

\***Sharps Only:** Montgomery County Health Dept. (765) 364-6440 - *call for details, Montg. Co. residents only*



**Christmas Tree-cycling** - WCSWD has 5 locations to recycle live/cut trees Dec. 26-end of Jan. at

- \*Crawfordsville Yard Waste Site
- \*Greencastle Yard Waste Site
- \*Lieber State Recreation Area
- \*Raccoon State Park
- \*Rockville Lake Park

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