

Directions to Collection Site

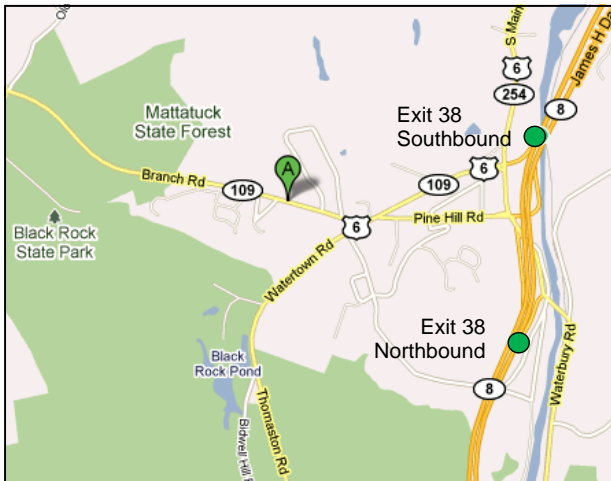
WATCH FOR SIGNS. THEY WILL BE POSTED.
AT INTERSECTIONS AND ENTRANCES

Thomaston High School

From Points North: Take Route 8 South to Exit 38. At the end of the ramp, continue straight through the stop light (Route 6 West). Approx. 1/4 mile ahead on the right, bear right onto Rt. 109 West (before the next stop light). The high school will be ahead on your left.

From Points West: Take Route 6 East toward Thomaston. Turn left at the junction with Route 109 West. The high school will be ahead on your left.

From Points South: Take Route 8 North to Exit 38. At the end of the ramp turn left, going under the highway to the first stop light. Turn left at the light onto Pine Hill Rd. At the end of the road, turn left onto Route 6 West. Immediately bear right onto Route 109 West (before the stop light). The high school will be ahead on your left.



**Council of Governments
of the Central Naugatuck Valley**
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Waterbury, CT 06702
Phone (203) 757-0535
www.cogcnv.org/HHW.html



Guidelines to Follow

- Upon entering the high school parking lot, a volunteer will request your identification and ask you to open the trunk of your vehicle in order to identify the type of waste you have.
- You will be given a questionnaire requesting your name and address.
- You will then be directed to the collection area.
- The collection begins at 8:00 A.M. sharp and moves quickly.
- Being the first in line at 7:30 A.M. only ensures that you will wait an additional 30 minutes.

Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day

Thomaston High School
185 Branch Rd. / Route 109
Thomaston, CT
Saturday, October 2, 2010
8:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M.

For Residents of:

Beacon Falls, Bethlehem, Middlebury,
Naugatuck, Oxford, Southbury,
Thomaston, Watertown, Waterbury,
and Woodbury



This collection is sponsored by the towns listed above and administered by the Council of Governments of the Central Naugatuck Valley

Bring proof of residency,
drivers license preferred.

Commercial waste only by prior arrangement

**While at the drop-off site, please stay in
your vehicle at all times!**

What is Household Hazardous Waste?

Any waste produced in the home that is poisonous, flammable, explosive, reactive, or corrosive is considered a household hazardous or chemical waste (**note: explosives are not accepted at this HHW Collection**). If not properly disposed, these wastes can be harmful to human health and the environment. Do not pour these wastes down the drain, dump "out back," or throw in the trash.

**For more information
Contact your local recycling
coordinator at:**

Beacon Falls	(203) 729-6978
Bethlehem	(203) 266-7677
Middlebury	(203) 577-4170
Naugatuck	(203) 720-7073
Oxford	(203) 888-7716
Southbury	(203) 262-0622
Thomaston	(860) 283-4030
Waterbury	(203) 574-8390
Watertown	(860) 945-5240
Woodbury	(203) 263-3633

What's Accepted at the Event?

General household:

- ✓ Alkaline batteries
- ✓ Disinfectants
- ✓ Drain & oven cleaners
- ✓ Metal polishes
- ✓ Toilet bowl cleaners
- ✓ Aerosols
- ✓ Wood cleaners, polishes, & waxes
- ✓ Floor, upholstery & rug cleaners
- ✓ Bug & pest spray

Garage/Workshop:

- ✓ Lead- & oil-based paint
- ✓ Fluorescent bulbs
- ✓ Wood stains, varnishes, & sealants
- ✓ Paint thinner, stripper, & other solvents
- ✓ Lacquer & lacquer thinner
- ✓ Fungicides & wood treating chemicals
- ✓ Antifreeze
- ✓ Automotive cleaners & fluids
- ✓ Grease & rust solvents
- ✓ Photo chemicals

Garden/Pool:

- ✓ Insecticides
- ✓ Poisons
- ✓ Pool chemicals

What NOT to Bring!

Chemical Waste

- No** Latex paint. (It is not considered hazardous. Simply remove the lid and let paint dry. Then throw it in the trash.)
- No** Car batteries. (Check with your town recycling center.)
- No** Motor oil. (Same as batteries)
- No** Explosives.
- No** Medical or biological waste.
- No** Commercial or industrial waste.
- No** PCB's.
- No** Asbestos.
- No** Medicines.
- No** Tires.
- No** Smoke detectors.
- No** Empty containers of any kind.
- No** Freon.
- No** Propane tanks.

Be sure to bring identification, such as a driver's license (preferred), a tax bill, a utility bill, or a transfer station sticker. **There is NO CHARGE for this service.**