

ADDISON COUNTY SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT
POLICY OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
RELATED TO ACCEPTING HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE
(HHW) FROM LICENSED HAULERS and CONTRACTORS
HAULING HHW FOR COMPENSATION

I. Purpose

To ensure safe collection and transportation of Household Hazardous Waste to the Addison County Solid Waste Management District Transfer Station.

II. Definitions

- A. "ACSWMD" shall mean the Addison County Solid Waste Management District.
- B. "Board of Supervisors" (BOS) shall mean the governing body of the District.
- C. "Contractor" shall mean any Person that collects Household Hazardous Waste for compensation as part of the incidental amount of waste generated from their regular job.
- D. "HazWaste Center" is the District-owned and operated Hazardous Waste Center located at the District Transfer Station at 1223 Route 7 South, Middlebury, Vermont.
- E. "Hazardous Waste" shall mean any material or substance which, by reason of its composition or characteristics, is from time to time defined as hazardous by the Vermont Hazardous Waste Management Regulations, or by any laws of similar purpose or effect, or by any regulations promulgated under any of the foregoing, and any other material which the Federal Environmental Protection Agency, the Vermont Agency of Natural Resources or its Secretary, or the Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation, or any similar governmental agency or unit having jurisdiction, shall determine from time to time is ineligible for disposal, whether by reasons of being toxic, reactive, ignitable, corrosive or otherwise.
- F. "Household Hazardous Waste" shall mean any Waste from households that would be subject to regulation as Hazardous Waste if it were not from households.
- G. "Licensed Hauler" shall mean any Person that is licensed by the District to collect, transport, or deliver Solid Waste generated within the District.
- H. "Waste" shall mean a material that is discarded, or is being accumulated, stored, or physically, chemically or biologically treated prior to being discarded, or has served its original intended use and is normally discarded, or is a manufacturing or mining by-product and is normally discarded.

- I. “Conditionally Exempt Generator” (CEG) shall mean a business entity as defined in Section 7-306 of the Vermont Hazardous Waste Management Regulations.

III. Policy

The Addison County Solid Waste Management District will accept Household Hazardous Waste that is brought to the District HazWaste Center from a Licensed Hauler or a Contractor, under the following conditions:

- A. The District will charge any Licensed Hauler or Contractor who brings Household Hazardous Waste to the District Transfer Station the full disposal cost and any other fees that may be incurred by the District for the proper short-term storage and shipment for disposal of this Waste.
- B. Licensed Haulers or Contractors wishing to bring Household Hazardous Waste to the District Hazwaste Center must pre-register with the District Program Manager in order to bring in these materials. Licensed Haulers or Contractors who do not pre-register will not be permitted to bring Household Hazardous Waste to the HazWaste Center.
- C. For all Household Hazardous Waste, the Licensed Hauler or Contractor must verify the town of origin and the number of households being served.
- D. Each unit of Household Hazardous Waste must have been identified by the generating household. The Licensed Hauler or Contractor must not accept Household Hazardous Waste of unknown composition.
- E. Household Hazardous Waste must be generated within the District. Non-District Household Hazardous Waste will not be accepted.
- F. Waste must be Household Hazardous Waste. Licensed Haulers and Contractors are prohibited from transporting hazardous wastes from businesses, including Conditionally Exempt Generators (CEGs).

IV. Exceptions

None.

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