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ALL HOMES HAVE HAZARDOUS WASTE

RESIDENTS CAN SAFELY DISPOSE OF DANGERS FREE OF CHARGE!



OK, you won't need a hazmat suit like this, but it is important to know there are A LOT of hazardous materials in your home, and they need to be disposed of properly. AND, YOU CAN DO IT FOR FREE.

Household hazardous waste (HHW) is anything in or around your home that is poisonous, flammable, corrosive, or toxic, as well as products or electronics that contain certain metals.

It is dangerous to dispose of these items in your garbage can or down sewers, and it is illegal to abandon them or pour them in gutters, storm drains, or waterways.

FREE DISPOSAL IN DAVIS COUNTY

Wasatch Integrated Waste, located in Layton at 1997 East and 3500 North, operates a free household hazardous waste recycling facility.

Residents of Davis County may safely dispose of HHW free of charge at this location. For more information and a list of allowed items, please visit their site at: wasatchintegrated.org/household-hazardous-waste/

UNUSED MEDICATION DISPOSAL

Do you have old, expired or unused prescription drugs? You may safely dispose of these medications at the following locations:

- Farmington, Kaysville Police Stations
- Davis County Sheriff's Office

DO NOT FLUSH MEDICATIONS

DID YOU KNOW? Every Utahn generates about 4 pounds of garbage daily. Of that, between 5 and 15 percent of what we throw away is hazardous.

COMMON HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

- Paint/Stain/Paint Thinner
- Household Cleaners
- Oils/Kerosene/Gasoline/Diesel
- Batteries
- Pesticides/Fertilizers

WHAT IS HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE?

WHAT IS IT?

Anything around your home that is poisonous, flammable, or toxic.

WHY IS IT DANGEROUS?

These substances can contaminate air, water and soil.

WHAT DO I DO WITH IT?

DON'T THROW IT AWAY OR POUR DOWN A DRAIN! Properly dispose of it at Wasatch Integrated Waste in Layton.