# Hazardous Materials Disposal Reference Guide For Homeowners



#### How can homeowners dispose of hazardous materials?

Most homeowners have no way of easily disposing of hazardous materials, or are even aware that some household waste is termed hazardous and should be disposed in a way other than the regular trash pickup. Homeowners should be aware that in the Louisville/Metro Area, Kentucky, a specialized hazardous waste disposal area has been designated for homeowner's use, free of charge. All that is required to use the hazardous waste disposal area is a valid driver's license showing that the homeowner is a resident of Jefferson County, Kentucky. This area and service has been named HazBin.

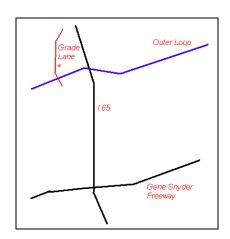
#### Where is HazBin?

HazBin 7501 Grade Lane Louisville, KY

Open Wed. & Sat. 9am-3pm

# Items Accepted at HazBin

Asbestos floor tiles
Automotive fluids
Batteries (auto, household, rechargeables)
Cleaners (bathroom, rug/upholstery)
Driveway sealers
Fertilizers
Fluorescent light bulbs
Furniture polishes and waxes
Gasoline (including for boats)
Hearing aid/watch batteries
Kerosene
Lawn/Garden Chemicals (haz)



Mercury thermometers
Metal polishes
Mildew removers
Mineral spirits/turpentine
Mothballs
Nail Polish Removers
Oil-based or lead paint
Oven and Drain Cleaners

Pesticides, herbicides fungicides, insecticides Propane Tanks (1 & 20 lb) Solvents/degreasers Swimming pool chemicals Varnishes and Stains Wood Preservatives

# Items NOT accepted at HazBin

Containers of materials larger than 5 gallons or 40 pounds
Radioactive Materials (including smoke detectors)
Fire Extinguishers
Freon®
Latex Paint

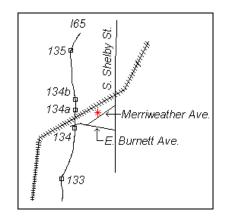


<sup>\*</sup>To properly dispose of fire extinguishers and smoke detectors, call the manufacturer and follow their instructions.

# For bulk wastes, homeowners can use the Louisville/Metro Waste Reduction Center:

Metro Waste Reduction Center 636 Merriwether Ave.

Open Tuesday through Friday, 8 am - 5 pm Saturday, 8 am - 3 pm Call 574-5000 for more info.



# Items you CAN take to the Waste Reduction Center:

Household junk items Tree limbs
Stumps up to 3' diameter Tires

Metal Waste Household construction debris

Furniture & appliances\* Unbagged yard waste

\*Up to 3 large items are free. After 3 large items, a fee is charged per size of the vehicle.

https://louisvilleky.gov/government/public-works/waste-reduction-center

### Items you CAN'T take to the Waste Reduction Center

Engine blocks, transmissions, differentials or other auto parts

Hazardous materials (see HazBin)

Radioactive materials

Drums of any kind
Autos, boats, trucks, campers

"Raw" garbage

Liquids, including paint

Concrete, dirt, rock, gravel

Medical Wastes



For More Information about Waste Disposal in the Louisville/Metro Area, call Metro 311



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