

# ROGUE VALLEY BUSINESS HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION EVENT

for Oregon Businesses Producing Very Small Amounts of Hazardous

**FRIDAY, MAY 12, 2023 at  
Rogue Transfer Station at 8001 Table Rock Rd.**

## Information and Application

### What's Happening?

Rogue Disposal & Recycling, Recology Ashland, Southern Oregon Sanitation, and Republic Services, Jackson and Josephine counties and the cities in the Rogue valley are sponsoring a project for conditionally exempt generators of small quantities of hazardous waste. The project involves providing a collection point for proper disposal of the hazardous waste.

State environmental regulations require **ALL** Oregon companies producing hazardous wastes to manage and dispose of them properly. Disposal options for very small quantity generators are often viewed by companies as complicated and costly. This project is designed to allow companies to dispose of hazardous waste in a simpler and less costly manner.

To participate, generators will be required to pay the total cost of disposing their wastes and billing arrangements can be made.

### What Kinds of Businesses Can Participate?

Very small quantity generators of hazardous waste are businesses, industries, and institutions producing less than 220 pounds of hazardous waste per month during each of the last 12 months. Generators are allowed to dispose of up to 2,200 pounds of hazardous waste at this collection event (about 4 drums).

**In order to dispose of waste through this program, companies are required to apply for and receive prior approval from Clean Harbors Environmental Services for specific types and quantities of waste.**

Please return application no later than

**May 1, 2023**  
**Limited availability**

Businesses producing more than 220 pounds of hazardous waste each month must manage their hazardous wastes following stricter regulations and are NOT eligible to participate in this project. Generators of larger quantities of waste can contact DEQ for more information.

### What Hazardous Wastes Could My Business Have?

Hazardous wastes are wastes that are flammable, corrosive, toxic, or reactive. Some examples of common hazardous wastes that will be accepted at the collection project are:

parts-washer solvents	inks
paint-gun cleaners	mercury
dry-cleaning solvents	photographic fixers
cleaners/degreasers	plating wastes
thinners	batteries
paint strippers	laboratory chemical wastes
corrosives	pesticides/herbicides/insecticides
fluorescent light ballasts	

## How Much Will It Cost?

Waste will be charged at the rates listed on the waste inventory sheet of this application. **Your costs are based on the size or weight of the container brought in and not the amount in the container. There may be minimum charges to process certain types of waste. The final cost of disposal is determined when your waste is unloaded and inventoried at the event.** There is a charge if you bring in a leaking drum that must be re-packed into a new drum. Arrangements for payment will be made at the time your appointment is scheduled. *If you fail to keep your scheduled appointment you will be charged a \$25.00 handling and review fee for your application.*

## What Wastes Will Not Be Accepted?

- **Unknown waste**—As the generator it is your responsibility to identify your waste.
- **Latex & oil based paints (use local recycling options)**
- radioactive wastes
- explosives (check with local police department)
- infectious (medical) wastes (*we offer this service year round*)
- acutely hazardous wastes as listed in 40 CFR 261.33(e)
- certain poisons and very reactive wastes
- dioxin-containing material, such as the wood preservative pentachlorophenol and the herbicide 2,4,5-T
- oils containing PCB's
- fluorescent light tubes (use local recycling options)
- leaking ballasts
- Pressurized Cylinders
- Other reactive items prohibited from transportation per D.O.T.

**For more information on the event, or to return your application please contact:**

Email Mason.MichaelR@cleanharbors.com

Call Michael Mason 1-503-742-7105

Mail Clean Harbors Environmental Services  
Attn: Michael Mason  
16540 SE 130th Ave.,  
Clackamas, OR 97015

Please return application no later than

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Not sure if your business is conditionally exempt? Need help determining if your waste is considered hazardous? Call our local DEQ office at (541) 776-6010 for help.

## How Can My Company Participate?

Step 1: Determine if your company is eligible to participate by evaluating your waste streams. Be sure you are not registered as a *small* or *large* quantity generator with DEQ or EPA.

Step 2: Fill out the attached application and return it to Clean Harbors by May 1, 2023. Include any applicable MSDS sheets or lab results available on the waste.

Estimate your cost for disposal using the waste inventory sheet. Costs are based on the **size** or **weight** of the container that is brought in and not the amount of waste in the container. Be sure to sign the certification statement stating that your company is a conditionally exempt generator.

Step 3: Approximately a week prior to the event, you will be contacted by Clean Harbors to schedule an appointment time to drop off your waste at the collection site.

Step 4: On Friday, May 12, 2023, at your scheduled time, bring your wastes to the collection site at Rogue's Transfer Station, located at 8001 Table Rock Road in White City.

As a very small quantity generator, you are allowed to transport you own waste to the site. Make sure that the waste containers are covered and in sound condition. Take proper care to avoid spillage or exposure to the waste during transport.

# APPLICATION FORM

## for Very Small Quantity Generators of Hazardous Waste

Friday, May 12, 2023

Clean Harbors Environmental Services  
Attn: Michael Mason  
16540 SE 130th Ave.  
Clackamas, OR 97015 (503) 307-3603

Scan and email to: [Mason.Michaelr@cleanharbors.com](mailto:Mason.Michaelr@cleanharbors.com)

### 1. Company Information

E-mail Address:

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Company Name

Type of Business

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Billing Address

Site Address (if different)

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City

State

Zip Code

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Contact Person

Telephone ( )

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### 2. Inventory of Wastes You Want to Dispose of at This Event

Use the attached waste inventory sheet to describe, in as much detail as possible wastes you want to drop off at the collection site. Include the chemical and trade name; how you use the material; physical state (liquid, solid, sludge); chemical characteristics (e.g., flammable); and chemical constituents and percentages (from the product label). **Send Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) or any laboratory test results available on the wastes. Unknown waste will not be accepted!**

### 3. Estimating Your Disposal Costs

Use the information provided on the inventory form to estimate your disposal costs. **Costs are based on the size or weight of the container that the waste is brought to the collection event in** (for example: if you bring a five-gallon pail, you will be charged for five gallons of waste whether the pail is full or not). There may be minimum charges to process certain types of waste. Final costs to be paid will be determined at the event by Clean Harbors Environmental Services.

All waste brought into the collection site must be pre-registered. If you fail to keep your scheduled appointment you will be charged a \$25.00 handling and review fee for your application.

#### 4. Certification

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State and federal hazardous waste laws limit the use of hazardous waste collection programs to those businesses that produce less than 100 kilograms (25 gallons or 220 pounds) of hazardous waste per month. Businesses that generate more than this amount are not eligible to participate in this event. **Therefore, we are requiring that you sign the following certification in order to dispose of your waste:**

I certify that my business generates less than 100 kilograms (25 gallons or 220 pounds) of hazardous waste per month. I understand that I must pre-register and make arrangements to pay the disposal costs before I can drop off the wastes. I understand that only the types and quantities of wastes listed in Section 2 and approved by Clean Harbors Environmental Services can be disposed of through this project. I also understand that my solid waste hauler does not assume liability for my wastes and that future liability remains with my company. ***If I fail to keep my scheduled appointment I understand I will be charged a \$25.00 handling and review fee for my application.***

Representative (print or type) \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Company Address \_\_\_\_\_

EPA I.D. # (if you have one) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Representative \_\_\_\_\_

#### 5. Additional Information

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Scan and email to [mason.michaelr@cleanharbors.com](mailto:mason.michaelr@cleanharbors.com) after making a copy for your records by 5/1/23. Or, **OR** mail to Clean Harbors, Attn: Michael Mason, 16540 SE 130th Ave., Clackamas, OR 97015. Once your application form is received, it will be reviewed and your *estimated* cost determined. ***Final cost is determined at the event after the waste is inventoried.*** We will contact you prior to the event to schedule your appointment time to bring the waste to the event. **Please register early, as space is limited.**

#### 6. Where can I take my latex and oil based paints?

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We are not accepting latex or oil based Paint at our HHW collection event. The State of Oregon has become the first state in the nation to enact a law requiring paint manufactures to safely manage leftover latex and oil based paints. This went into effect on July 1st of 2010. So now there are a few local paint stores available to accept paint year round from residences and CEG businesses. You no longer need to wait for an event. Go to [www.paintcare.org](http://www.paintcare.org) and there is a zip code locator to find stores in your area that are participating and a list of what they accept. We then suggest you call the one you choose before you take your paint to them to make sure they have room to accept what you have to drop off.



## YOU ARE A VERY SMALL QUANTITY GENERATOR IF . . .

In one calendar month you . . .



- ◆ generate 220 pounds or less of hazardous waste OR
- ◆ generate 220 pounds or less of spill cleanup debris containing hazardous waste OR
- ◆ generate 2.2 pounds or less of an *acute* hazardous waste OR

At any time you . . .

- ◆ accumulate up to 2,200 pounds of hazardous waste on site

## YOU ARE SMALL QTY GENERATOR & NOT ELIGIBLE IF . . .

In one calendar month you . . .



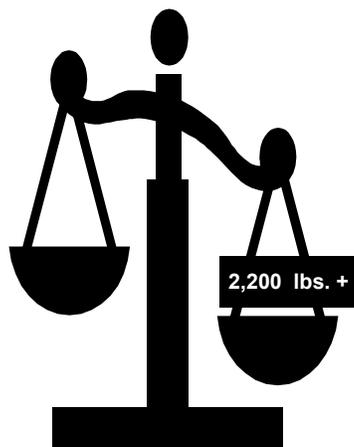
- ◆ generate more than 220 pounds and less than 2,200 pounds of hazardous waste or
- ◆ generate more than 220 pounds and less than 2,200 pounds of spill cleanup debris containing hazardous waste or

At any time you . . .

- ◆ accumulate more than 2,200 pounds of hazardous waste on site

## YOU ARE A LARGE QTY GENERATOR & NOT ELIGIBLE IF . . .

In one calendar month you . . .



- ◆ generate 2,200 pounds or more of hazardous waste or
- ◆ generate 2,200 pounds or more of spill cleanup debris containing hazardous waste or
- ◆ generate more than 200 pounds of spill cleanup debris containing an *acute* hazardous waste or

At any time you . . .

- ◆ accumulate more than 2.2 pounds of an *acute* hazardous waste