

CITY OF CHINO HILLS

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HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION

Chino Hills residents may dispose of Household Hazardous Waste from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on the second and fourth Saturday of the month at the City of Chino Public Works Center, 5050 Schaefer Avenue in Chino.

Residents are encouraged to visit www.chinohills.org/HouseholdHazardousWaste to learn more about which common household items are considered hazardous waste and may not be disposed of in the trash, recycle, or green waste bins. Many Californians might be surprised to learn that kids' light-up shoes and musical greeting cards are on the list. Improve your "green IQ" and start taking steps to keep these items out of the landfills.

Empty or full aerosol cans, antifreeze, cleaners, cooking oil, polishes, waxes, and car batteries are considered hazardous waste. E-waste is a popular term for electronic products nearing the end of their useful life. Computers, televisions, VCRs, stereos, copiers, alarm clocks, cell phones, and fax machines are common electronic products. Electronics are one of the fastest growing segments in the waste stream. These devices require special handling and can no longer be disposed of in landfills. Universal Waste includes items such as fluorescent tubes and mercury thermometers. Many more items are listed online at www.chinohills.org/HouseholdHazardousWaste.

Chino Hills Disposal offers a home pick-up service for customers who may conveniently dispose of their electronic devices such as cell phones, old televisions and computers by simply calling, toll free, (866) 238-2444 to schedule a special pick-up. A similar program is available for used motor oil. Residents may call City Hall at (909) 364-2616 to arrange to pick up a special used motor oil container, or call Chino Hills Disposal and they will deliver one to your home. Once the container is full, residents may call Chino Hills Disposal to arrange for a pick-up. Other Household Hazardous Waste must be taken to a collection center. For more information regarding Household Hazardous Waste, please call (909) 382-5401.