

# **City of Waco Household Hazardous Waste Program**

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# History



- Waco held their first Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Day in 1993.
- Woodway, Hewitt, and Lacy Lakeview have partnered in past HHW Days.
- Highest participation was in 2003: 1,134 households participated.
- Cost has ranged from \$48 to \$114 per household.
- Waco is a Phase I city. HHW Day contributes to the management plan to eliminate and address illicit discharges of chemicals into the city's storm drains.





Year	Households	Cost	\$/household (rounded to \$)
1999	240	\$27,406	\$114
2000	527	\$25,282	\$48
2002	851	\$68,697	\$80
2003	1134	\$58,522	\$51
2004	685	\$37,035	\$54
2005	866	\$44,412	\$51
2006	708	\$56,883	\$80
2007	726	\$48,887	\$67
2008	772	\$52,829	\$77
2009	611	\$47,147	\$77
2010	858	\$61,129	\$71
2013	824	\$52,389	\$63
2014	1108	\$66,543	\$60
2015	847	\$63,641	\$75
			\$81
2016	677	\$54,678	(prior to grant)
2017	731	\$56,933	\$78
2018			
BOPA	436	\$19,530	\$45
2019	688	\$51,109	\$74

# Event Details for Last 20 Years



# Household Hazardous Waste Day 2020

Date: Saturday, May 2, 2020

Time: 7 AM until 1:30 PM

Where: Solid Waste Operations Center, 501 Schroeder

Who: Residents of Waco, Hewitt, Lacy Lakeview and Woodway



# What is accepted at HHW day

- Automotive: used oil & filters, antifreeze (*Midstate Environmental*)
- Batteries, bulbs and fluorescent lighting (*Batteries+Bulbs*)
- Electronics (*URT*)
- Cleaners & chemicals
- Cooking oil
- Lawn/garden/pool chemicals
- Light bulbs
- Paints and paint products (*Habitat for Humanity ReStore*)



# Scrap Tires Accepted



- Reliant Tire
- 10 tires per household
  - off the rims; no charge.
- Scrap tires are recycled as crumb or waste-to-energy (example: tire-derived fuel at cement kilns after shredding, screening and metal removal).
- A Scrap Tire Day is also set for November 9, 2019.







- Sorts, remixes and decants useable latex into 5 gallon buckets for resale at Restore.
- 75-100 - 5 gallon buckets per event.
- Reduce the overall cost by implementing cost saving measures such as arranging for local reuse of usable latex paint.
- Sells 5 gal buckets of paint for approx. \$30 each.



# What is NOT accepted

- Ammunition & Explosives
- Appliances
- Building materials
- Bulk trash & yard waste
- Butane/propane cylinders
- Medicines & Medical waste
- Asbestos/PCBs/radioactive items
- Business, commercial and industrial waste



# Media Opportunities

- Billboard at no extra cost in 2018 and 2019



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For illustrative purposes only. Actual structure configuration and appearance may vary.

**Job Details:**

Live Area Size: 400px X 1400px  
Substrate: Digital AutoScale Bulletin(ASB)  
Plant: 289 - Temple, TX  
Artist: Jay Dunham  
Tuesday, May 14 2019

**Special Notes:**

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# Year-round Options for Waco Residents

- Cobbs Citizen Convenience Center for Waco residents only; recycling options
  - Used motor oil and oil filters; antifreeze
  - Electronics
  - Latex paint
- Landfill and Cobbs Center - Scrap tires (fee)
- Paint dry products for oil based paint make it OK for landfill disposal



# Action on Tonight's Agenda

- Res-2019-850
  - Interlocal with Hewitt, Lacy-Lakeview, & Woodway
    - Designate an employee (and alternate) as HHW collection Operational Contact.
    - For the day of the event, provide at least 3 adults for each shift.
    - Advertising targeted its own citizens
    - Pay their portion on a per household basis
- Res 2019-851
  - Contract renewal with Clean Earth for collection, transportation and disposal of HHW
    - \$65-\$75 per participating household (not to exceed \$75K)
    - Original contract awarded 4/16/19



Thank you! Any questions?

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