

Household Chemical Management Program

Household Chemical Roundups (HCR) are events held so residents may safely and properly dispose of unwanted or unusable hazardous household products. Since 1991, Aurora has sponsored these Roundups, providing a safe disposal method for hazardous household wastes. Residents are directed to bring specified household hazardous waste to the city's Central Facilities, located at 13645 E. Ellsworth for collection and proper disposal. The waste is sorted, classified, and packaged by a hazardous waste disposal company. Recyclable items such as waste oil, auto batteries, and paints are reused and recycled. The disposal firm takes the hazardous waste to a proper disposal facility.

Types of Household Waste Accepted:

Carburetor cleaner

Antifreeze Mercury (including compact fluorescent

Pesticides

Arts and craft paints light bulbs (CFL) and tubes

Auto body filler Oil-based (alkyd) paints

Brake fluid Paint removers
Batteries Paint strippers
Car and chrome polish Paint thinners
Car cleaners Turpentine

Cardboard Radiator fluids
Caulks Resins, fiberglass

Glues and cement and epoxy

Diesel fuel Roach and ant killer
Engine degreaser Rodent poisons

Fertilizers Rubber cement thinner

Fungicides Soil fumigants
Gasoline Tires (\$3/tire)

Herbicides Transmission fluid

Insecticides Used/unused motor oil

Kerosene Varnishes

Lacquers and stains Vehicle batteries

Lamp oil Water-based latex paint

Latex paint Weed killers

Mineral spirit Wood preservatives and polishes