

Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day August 28, 2026

For Topsham & Bowdoinham Residents

Come drop off your household hazardous waste items for safe, responsible disposal.

For Topsham and Bowdoinham residents only, no commercial haulers or waste.

No preregistration required. Call the Topsham Solid Waste Facility at 725-2757 with any questions.

Acceptable Materials

House

- Bug Sprays
- Drain & Toilet Cleaners
- Floor Cleaners
- Furniture & Metal Polishes
- Mercury Thermometers
- Oven Cleaners
- Rug & Upholstery Cleaners
- Smoke Detectors
- Spot Removers

Garage

- Antifreeze
- Brake & Transmission Fluids
- Car Wax & Polishes
- Driveway Sealer
- Engine Degreaser
- Fiberglass Epoxy & Resin
- Fuels (Gas, Diesel, or K)
- Roofing Tar

Workshop

- Adhesives
- Paint, Oil & Latex Based
- Paint Thinners & Strippers
- Solvents
- Stains & Varnishes
- Wood Preservatives

Garden

- Fungicides
- Herbicides
- Pesticides

Miscellaneous

- Flea Collars & Sprays
- Formalin & Formaldehyde
- Gun Cleaning Solvents
- Hot Tub & Pool Chemicals
- Lighter Fluid
- Moth Balls
- Photo Chemicals
- Rubber Cement
- 1-lb. Propane Cylinders

Where

Topsham Public Works
10 Maintenance Way, Topsham

When

Friday, August 28, 2026
3:00 – 6:00 PM

Cost

\$40 per unit
1 unit = 5 gallons or
1 unit = 20 lbs of powder

To Safely Transport Items:

- Never mix chemicals together
- Leave items in original containers
- Tighten all caps and secure all lids
- Pack similar items together in boxes
- Identify unlabeled substances

Unacceptable Materials

- Ammunition/Explosives
- Asbestos
- Batteries (Car or Alkaline)
- Batteries (Li & NiCad)
- Biological & Infectious Waste
- Compressed Gas Cylinders
- Electronics
- Empty Containers
- Fluorescent Bulbs
- Industrial Waste
- Needles or Syringes
- Prescription Drugs & Meds
- Tires
- Trash
- Waste Motor & Vegetable Oil

