



# Upton's Annual Hazardous Waste Day & Paper Shredding Event!



**SATURDAY – June 1st  
8:00 a.m to 12:00 Noon**

at the

Department of Public Works (DPW)

100 Pleasant Street, adjacent to Nipmuc Reg. High School

**UPTON RESIDENTS ONLY. PROOF OF RESIDENCY WILL BE REQUIRED.**

**NO BULK TRASH OR ELECTRONICS WILL BE  
COLLECTED**

**THOSE ITEMS MAY BE DISPOSED OF CURBSIDE**

## **HAZARDOUS WASTE**

Upton residents are allowed to bring up to 10 gallons or 10 lbs. of hazardous waste free of charge. **Anything over the 10 lbs. or 10 gallons will be charged per item.** Latex paint will not be accepted; it is not considered hazardous waste. For information on how to properly dispose of latex, contact the Board of Health office.

- **Acceptable Items:** Consolidated Paint (non-latex), flammable liquids/solvents, lab pack chemicals, pesticides, herbicides, consolidated waste oil, small cans resins/adhesives, flammable resins/adhesives, antifreeze, aerosols, lead acid batteries, NiCad or lithium batteries, and fluorescent bulbs.
- **Home use syringes can be brought to the event to be disposed of at no cost. The sharps must be in a puncture proof container.**
- **Non-Acceptable Items:** PCB's, mercury wastes, explosives, biological/medical waste, pressurized gas cylinders, commercially or industrially generated hazardous waste, radioactives, fire extinguishers, ammunition, and latex paint.

## **OTHER ACCEPTABLE ITEMS**

- **Tires will be accepted at \$3.00 per car tire and \$8.00 per truck tire. No tires larger than 24" will be accepted**
- **Propane tanks – All tanks including 1 lb. - \$1.00 each (sorry – no tanks over 60 lbs.)**
- **Car Batteries – No charge**
- **Paper shredding will also be available for those looking to shred any private documents**



**All other items such as electronics, metals, and bulk trash may be disposed of through the town's curbside collection. Please contact the Board of Health office for more information regarding prices and days of collection.**

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