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Waste oil paint and used motor oil waste collection set

On Saturday, August 13th, the South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Collaborative will hold a paint and oil collections for the 16 participating towns. The Center for EcoTechnology (CET) will coordinate these collections.

The towns in the South Berkshire Household Hazardous Waste Collaborative sponsor this program. The participating towns are Alford, Becket, Egremont, Great Barrington, Lee, Lenox, Monterey, Mount Washington, New Marlborough, Otis, Richmond, Sandisfield, Sheffield, Stockbridge, Tyringham and West Stockbridge.

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Saturday, August 13th, 9 AM – 11:30 AM | Great Barrington Recycling Center

601 Stockbridge Road (Across from Monument Mountain High School)

Acceptable materials are oil-based paint, stains, paint thinners, spray paint and turpentine, as well as waste motor oil.

Latex paint will not be accepted at this event. Empty cans can be recycled with scrap metal. Dried-up cans of latex paint can be disposed with the regular trash. Empty cans of oil-based paint, stains and solvents can be disposed with the regular trash as well. Usable paint can be given away through freecycle.org or some non-profits.

To register or for information about what can be brought to these collections, visit www.cetonline.org or email aviem@cetonline.org. Or call CET at 888-577-8448 ext. 30 or 14. Residents from communities that are not participating should call their City or Town Hall for information about hazardous household product collections.

CET is a non-profit organization working in the fields of energy efficiency, renewable energy, waste management and environmental education. CET provides practical solutions that make sense for our community, economy and environment. CET is funded in part by the Massachusetts Cultural Council, and is an equal opportunity employer and service provider.

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