Household Hazardous Waste

3 annual events to a year-round service

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Three (6 Hour) events per year

- Spring, summer and fall event
- Lots of set up and equipment
- Lots of employees
- Lots of overtime
Why Change?

- Customer Demand
- Madison County
- Reduce Cost
- Increased convenience
Included in RFP

- Both Scenarios – Events and year-round at vendor location
- Vendor responsible for all State and Federal Regulations
- Contractor must possess a valid New York State Part 364 Waste Transporter Permit
- The Contractor must provide professional staff, work equipment, emergency gear, and liability insurance
- Encourages MBE/WBE vendors to apply
Included in RFP

• At Events:
  • OCRRA registers attendees in advance
  • OCRRA is responsible for paperwork and traffic on site
  • Provides employees to handle cardboard, paint cans and other trash items
  • OCRRA paint for an auditor to supervise the contractor

• Year-Round Model
  • OCRRA still registers attendees
  • No on site presence needed
Event incoming materials
More Event Materials
Year-Round Model
Latex

- Collected latex up until 2008.
- Recycled the paint into 2 colors
- Donated to local non-profits
New Latex Message

• Dry it out and throw it out!
• Donate to someone who can use it
• Paint legislation....
Alternative disposal/reuse

- Donate for reuse
  - Churches
  - Homeless Shelter
  - Town Highway
  - Habitat ReStore
  - Linen company
OCRRA HHW advertisements

Now you can drop off your hazardous household waste **MONDAY** through **FRIDAY** by appointment.
Lessons Learned

• No combined events
• Don’t combine e-waste, HHW, shredding, books, etc
• Good in theory, didn’t work for us
Email me if you have any questions or want copies of any past HHW RFP’s.

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