Management of "Other" Wastes at CT Dept. of Correction

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CT Dept of Correction



Suffield

- Bridgeport
- Cheshire
- Montville
- Enfield
- Somers
- Newtown
- Hartford
- New HavenBrooklyn

 - Niantic

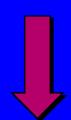
Inmates = 16,579

5,168 Staff =

CLASSIFYING WASTES



HAZARDOUS



Fully RCRA regulated



NON-HAZARDOUS



Not subject to RCRA but Still Regulated

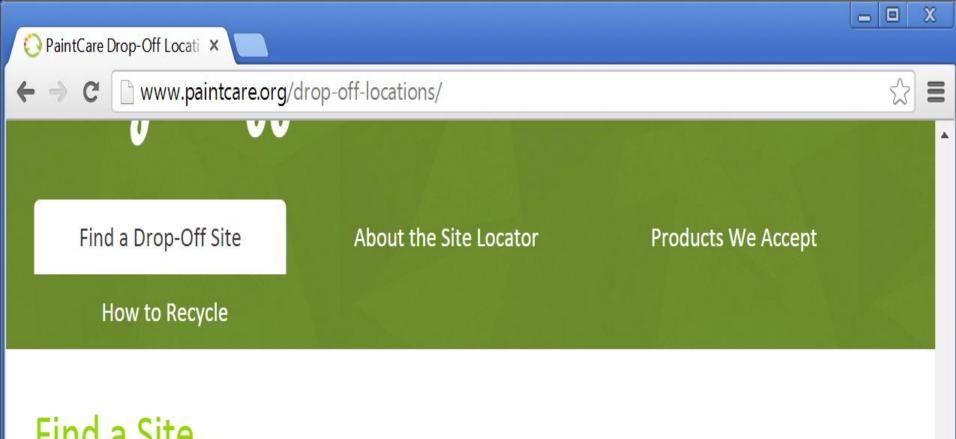
The Forgotten Wastes

- Paint
- Universal Waste
 - Light Bulbs
 - Batteries
 - Used Electronics
- Used Oil
- CT Regulated Waste

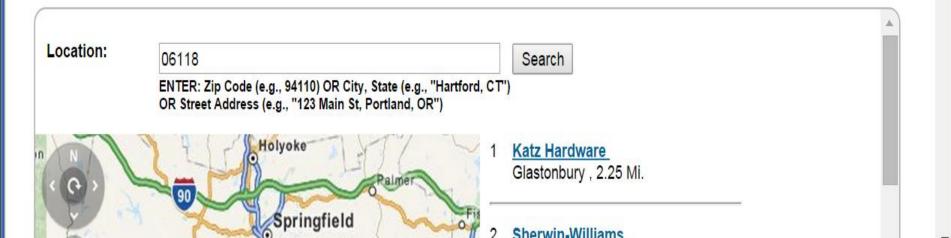








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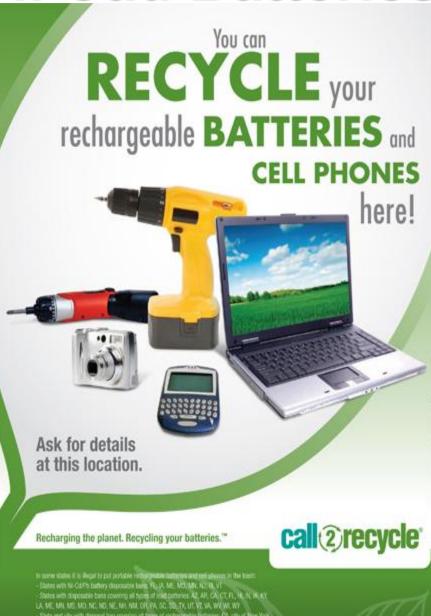








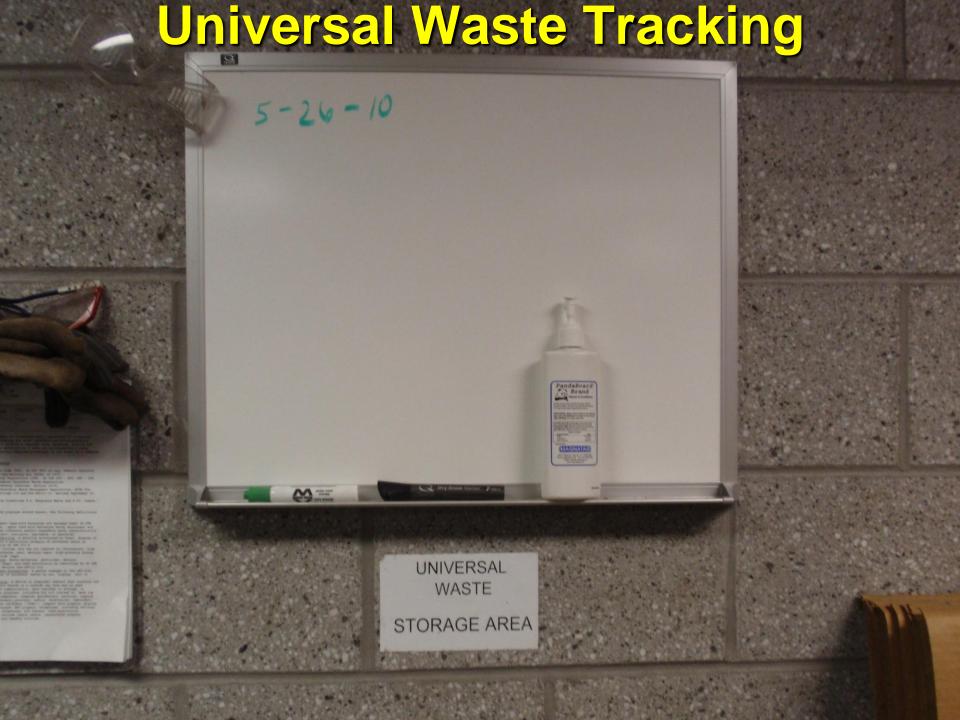
Ni Cad Batteries



State and dry with disposal han covering all hops of inchargeable batteries. CA, city of New York

call2recycle.org









Connecticut Regulated Wastes

CR01 Waste PCBs

CR02 Waste Oil

CR03 Waste Water Soluble Oil

CR04 Waste Chemical Liquid

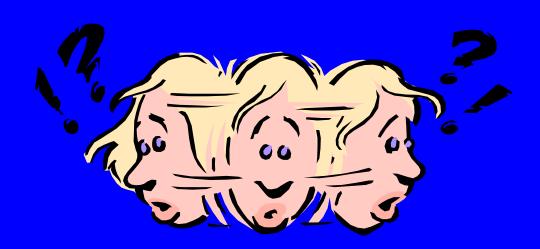
CR05 Waste Chemical Solid

How Are They Regulated?

- CT General Statute 22a-454:
 - -...nor shall any person, municipality or regional authority dispose of waste oil or petroleum or chemical liquids or waste solid, liquid or gaseous products or hazardous wastes without a permit from the commissioner.

How Are They Regulated?

 "Although there are no specific requirements for generators of these wastes, they must be managed properly and stored in an environmentally safe manner."



CR05 Waste Chemical Solid

Any chemical solid or semi-solid from a commercial, industrial, agricultural or community activity. These wastes may include, but are not limited to, grinding dusts, tumbling sludges, scrap plastic and rubber flash, and other ground or chipped waste solid.



















"Special Waste"

...means the following wastes, so long as they are not hazardous waste pursuant to Section 22a-115 of the Connecticut General Statutes (CGS) or radioactive material subject to CGS Section 22a-148: (1) water treatment, sewage treatment or industrial sludges, liquid, solids and contained gases; fly-ash and casting sands or slag; and contaminated dredge spoils; (2) scrap tires; (3) bulky waste; (4) asbestos; (5) residue; and (6) biomedical waste.

CT Regulated Waste = Special Waste ?

CR05

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Special Waste Disposal

- Landfill
 - Manchester Municipal Landfill*
- Resources Recovery Facilities
 - Covanta, Preston*
 - Wheelabrator, Bridgeport *
 - CRRA, Hartford
 - Covanta, Bristol *
 - Covanta, Wallingford*
 - Wheelabrator, Lisbon*

*Special Waste Handling Plan

Special Waste Disposal Authorization

- Make Prior Arrangements With the RRF
- Test Waste for RCRA Constituents
- Fill Out Application
- Send Application to RRF for Signature
- Complete Applicant Compliance Information
- Submit Application to DEEP With \$660

Special Waste Disposal Authorization DEEP Review

- Preliminary Review
- Technical Review
- Air Bureau Review

- 30 Day Process Time
- Authorizations Good for 1 Year

Special Waste Shipment

- Separate From MSW
- Hauler Transports Separately to Landfill or RRF With a Special Waste Plan or SWDA
 - Waste Profiling Requirements
 - Requirements for Review, Approval and Scheduling of Shipments
 - Waste Screening
 - Operating Procedures
 - Operating Records and Reports

DOC CR05 Wastes (CRRA Hartford)

- Speedy-Dri
- Auto Body Dust/Debris
- Boiler Soot
- Filter Paper
- Spray Booth Debris
- White Cloth Rags
- Boiler Slag
- Graphics
- Vinyl Plate
- Empty Ink Cartridges
- Sand Blast Grit

- Absorbent Pads
- Cooling Tower Sludge
- Dental Stone
- Latex Gloves
- Spray Booth Filters
- Parts Washer Filter
- Carpentry Debris
- Graphics Chip Board
- Graphics Film
- Boiler Filters

Special Waste = \$18,400 CR05 = \$6,400

Cost Savings = \$12,000/Yr.



Where Do We Go From Here?



- How do Others Handle CR05 Waste?
- Do the Inspectors Find Mis-Management of CR05 Waste?
- How can we Make it Easier for CR05 Wastes to be Burned at CT RRFs?





Questions?

