



# Household Chemical Collections and Computer Recycling 2020 Schedule of Events



*Providing environmentally safe disposal to the residents of Williamsburg, James City County, York County, Hampton and Poquoson since 1997.*

**Events are only for residents of the above listed communities; proof of residency may be required.**

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	<u>Williamsburg/ James City County</u>	<u>York County</u>	<u>Hampton</u>	<u>Poquoson</u>
<b>Location:</b>	Warhill High School 4615 Opportunity Way Williamsburg	County Drive, Yorktown (off Goodwin Neck Rd)	Hampton Coliseum Parking Lot Coliseum Drive Hampton	Poquoson Swimming Pool Parking Lot Municipal Drive Poquoson
<b>Time:</b>	8:00AM—12:00 Noon	8:00AM—12:00 Noon	8:00AM—12:00 Noon	8:00AM—12:00 Noon
<b>Dates:</b>	February 8, 2020 April 11, 2020 June 13, 2020 August 8, 2020 October 10, 2020	March 14, 2020 May 9, 2020 July 11, 2020 September 12, 2020 November 14, 2020	March 21, 2020 May 16, 2020 July 18, 2020 September 19, 2020 November 21, 2020	October 3, 2020

**ALL EVENTS END PROMPTLY AT NOON!**

## WE WILL ACCEPT THE FOLLOWING:

- ▶ **\*\*\*Computers:** Desktop and laptop computers, servers, computer monitors, cell phones, computer wiring, desktop printers including multifunction printers or “All in Ones”, fax machines, and desktop photocopiers and scanners.  
*\*\*\*Please note that we can only accept the computer items listed above.*
- ▶ **Household Maintenance:** latex paint, oil based paint, stains, solvents, glue, varnishes, adhesives
- ▶ **Automotives- limited to:** gasoline and other fuels, waxes, gas/oil mixtures, brake fluid, engine cleaner, tar remover.  
*NOTE: Motor oil and antifreeze are not accepted at most events since many communities already accept them at no charge. Call or check our website at [www.vppsa.org](http://www.vppsa.org) for more information.*
- ▶ **Lawn & Garden:** insecticides, weed killers, pesticides, fertilizers, pest strips
- ▶ **Household Cleaning:** cleaners for oven, drain, toilet, septic tank etc., floor waxes, metal polishes, bleach, degreasers,
- ▶ **Miscellaneous:** charcoal fluids, dyes, kerosene, pool chemicals, fluorescent lights up to 8 ft, all compact fluorescents (CFLs), and rechargeable batteries (alkaline batteries are NO LONGER ACCEPTED; please put in your regular trash).  
*If you have any questions, please call us at 757-259-9850 or go to our website at [www.vppsa.org](http://www.vppsa.org)*

## WE WILL NOT ACCEPT:

- X Televisions
- X ALKALINE Batteries
- X Explosives
- X Ammunition or Gun Powder
- X Household Trash
- X Business or Medical Waste
- X Radioactive Products
- X Large quantities of unknown materials
- X Large drums of material

## Household Chemical Collection

- Do not smoke.
- Do not leave material in hot unventilated areas for long periods.
- When possible, keep products in original container and ensure lids or caps are tight.
- Place items securely in boxes for transport.
- To prevent unfavorable chemical reactions, do not put multiple containers in bags or soft containers where they may spill or break.
- If you have a leaking container, place this item separately in a clear plastic bag, with newspaper or paper towels on the bottom. Secure in an upright position so it doesn't spill in your vehicle. Please notify staff that the item is leaking.
- MXI is the premiere service provider for household hazardous waste collection events sponsored by states, counties, and municipalities and provides disposal services at the VPPSA events. With a fleet of permitted vehicles, national network of terminals, staff of highly trained personnel, and a Materials Recovery Facility, MXI offers a full range of recycling and disposal services using the cutting edge of universal hazardous waste management technology.



## Computer Recycling

- Since 2001, our contractor, Computer Recycling of Virginia, has erased every hard drive using software that meets or exceeds all industry standards, including the NIST 800-88. Once the wipe process is complete, any hard drive that fails the wipe process is physically destroyed.
- The mission of Computer Recycling of Virginia, Inc. (CRVA) is to place educationally-useful equipment into Virginia's schools and non-profit organizations free of charge, while promoting electronics recycling throughout Virginia.

## At the collection:

- A VPPSA employee will ask which city or county you live in, and what materials you've brought. Proof of residency may be required.
- VPPSA staff will unload your vehicle. Please stay in your vehicle unless requested to do otherwise.
- There are separate drop off points for household chemicals and computers.
- Be prepared to identify your materials. If unsure, tell VPPSA staff before they begin unloading.

*Thanks for your patience and cooperation.*

## Alternative Recycling and Disposal Sites

**Best Buy** accepts all computer components at no charge. Televisions are accepted at a \$25.00 charge per item. There is a limit of two TVs per day. Tube TVs smaller than 32" and flat-panel TVs - LCD, plasma, and LED - must be smaller than 50". Mobile phones are accepted at no charge. You can recycle up to three items per household per day. See [www.bestbuy.com/recycling](http://www.bestbuy.com/recycling) for a complete list of acceptable and unacceptable items that Best Buy recycles.

**Batteries + Bulbs** accepts rechargeable batteries at no charge. There is a charge of \$1.85 per pound for alkaline batteries. Compact Fluorescent Lamps are accepted at a charge of \$0.66 per bulb. Four-foot fluorescent tubes are accepted at a charge of \$0.48 per tube and eight-foot fluorescent tubes are accepted at a charge of \$0.80 per tube. *Batteries must be placed in a Ziploc-type bag and/or have the terminal ends of the batteries taped to prevent fires during shipping. Batteries + Bulbs accepts unlimited quantities.*

**Goodwill Industries** accepts all computer components for recycling. Goodwill accepts unlimited quantities of computer components.

**Home Depot** accepts Compact Fluorescent Lamps and batteries. No fluorescent tubes are accepted.

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