

Some retailers will recycle the items that they sell (light bulbs, batteries, electronics, motor oil, etc.) Specialty disposal facilities in Boulder, Jefferson and Adams County are set up to handle household chemicals and other hazardous items, and accept materials from residents of other counties. Contact information for these other facilities is included in this brochure.



Paints: Dried and hardened paint can be disposed of with your regular trash at the Transfer Station, and is accepted with your free trash day token. Hardware stores sell packets of paint hardener for a small fee. Many residents use kitty litter to absorb the paint, and then allow it to dry. Either method is acceptable. If you have paint that someone else might find usable, check out PaintCare.org or one of the household hazardous waste facilities.

Electronics: Gilpin County partners with an electronics recycling firm to provide safe disposal and recycling of electronic components. The cost to dispose of TV's and computer monitors is \$1.50 per diagonal inch. Cell phones, VCR's, laptops, printers and other electronics run from \$1-\$40, with most being under \$10. Some retailers who sell electronics take back laptops, computers and small electronics. Contact your local Best Buy, Staples, Office Depot, or retailer where you purchase your electronics to find their fee schedules. Some smaller items may be free.



Automotive Waste Products: Gilpin



County Transfer Station recycles motor oil and anti-freeze for a fee of \$1 per gallon. Passenger and truck tire fees are \$5 - \$10 each. Vehicle batteries are accepted for \$10. Many auto parts stores will recycle motor oil, and/or batteries for free, and some locations will even pay you a small amount for vehicle batteries.

Light Bulbs and Batteries: Most alkaline



(disposable) batteries manufactured since 1996 are made of relatively non-hazardous materials and can be tossed directly into the trash. Home Depot Stores accept small CFL bulbs, alkaline batteries and power tool batteries at no charge. Batteries Plus Bulbs Stores recycle the small CFL bulbs for \$1 each, and fluorescent tubes for \$1 per foot. They charge fees for a wide variety of alkaline and rechargeable batteries. Rocky Mountain Battery in Wheat Ridge (303-423-7142) recycles lead batteries used in vehicles, boats, solar applications, UPS back-ups from computers, as well as alkaline and rechargeable lithium and ni-cad batteries. They pay for many batteries, and charge fees for a few.

Household Chemicals: Chemicals require special handling and disposal. Items like insecticides, herbicides, rodent poisons, cleaners, paint thinners, solvents and mercury thermometers can be safely disposed of at the Household Hazardous Waste Facilities listed in this flier: Boulder County, Rooney Road in Golden, and Veolia in Henderson, CO.



Gilpin County Transfer Station

Accepts many items for a fee.

Wednesday – Saturday, 7:00 – 2:30,

Sunday 8:00 – 1:00

278 Jankowski Drive (across from library)

303-582-5004

Cost: See chart, or Gilpin County website for more details. www.co.gilpin.co.us

Also: Drop off unused prescription medications in the Sheriff's Lobby (no charge)

PaintCare.org

Drop off locations for architectural paints, stains and varnishes. (No Charge)

No spray paints, thinners, automotive paints or cleaners.

Local drop off location at Indian Peaks Ace Hardware, Nederland.

Also Metro area Ace Hardware and Sherwin Williams stores.

Visit www.paintcare.org for a complete list of products and locations.



Boulder County Hazardous Materials Management Facility.

Individuals: Wednesday through Saturday. 8:00 – 4:30

Small businesses Tuesdays only, appointments required.

www.BoulderCountyRecycles.org 720-564-2251

1901 63rd Street, Boulder, CO

Cost: \$35 for individuals who are not Boulder County Residents

Business fees may be higher.

Rooney Road Recycling Center (Jefferson County)

Appointments required: Wednesdays and Saturdays 8:00 – 2:00

303-316-6262, rooneyroadrecycling.org

151 South Rooney Road, Golden, CO

Cost: \$80 for individuals who are not Jefferson County residents.

Veolia Colorado Household Hazardous Waste Recycling

Appointment required, Wednesdays & Saturdays 9:00 – 2:00

9131 East 96th Avenue, Henderson, CO 303-526-8155

Cost: \$20 plus \$1.25 per pound

All fees are effective 11/29/17, and are subject to change.

	Gilpin Cty	Boulder Cty	Rooney Rd	Veolia
Dried or hardened architectural paints & coatings	Include with solid waste, or free trash day			
Architectural paints and coatings		X	X	X
Oil based paints, stains & finishes		X	X	X
TV's and Monitors	\$1.50 per diagonal inch		X	X
VCR's, cell phones, electronics, televisions, computer, printers.	\$1-\$40		X	X
Fluorescent bulbs & tubes		X	X	X
Mercury thermometers		X	X	X
Rechargeable and alkaline batteries		X	X	X
Motor Oil & Antifreeze	\$1 gallon	X	X	X
Auto batteries	\$10	X	X	X
Tires	\$5-\$10			
Auto paint, fuel degreasers, filters		X	X	X
Solvents, kerosene, starter fluids		X	X	X
Insecticides and Herbicides, rodent poisons		X	X	X
Household and drain cleaners		X	X	X
Pool and hot tub chemicals		X	X	X



Residential Household Hazardous Wastes

Gilpin County Trash Transfer Station accepts a wide variety of items in addition to household solid waste and trash. Tires, electronics, motor oil and other items can be recycled at our facility. Here is information on special waste items the Transfer Station accepts, and some suggestions for where to dispose of items we cannot accept.

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 255 Braecher Park Road
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