

Hazardous Waste Disposal Fees for VSQGs

Pricing effective July 1, 2024.

Fees below apply to Very Small Quantity Generators (VSQGs) using the City of Sacramento's HHW Collection Facility at 8491 Fruitridge Road, Sacramento, CA 95823.

(Includes disposal cost and an administrative fee of \$0.63 per pound.)

Material	Fee	Material	Fee
Acid Liquids/Solids	\$18.25/gal. \$2.15/lb.	Latex and Oil Base Paint (PaintCare eligible)	\$6.33/gal. \$0.63/lb.
Base Liquids/Solids	\$18.25/gal. \$2.15/lb.	Latex and Oil Base Paint (Not Eligible for PaintCare)	\$13.75/gal. \$1.38/lb.
Toxic Liquids	\$18.89/gal.	Compressor Oil	\$10.52/gal.
Toxic Solids (by cubic yard box)	\$2.17/yd ³		\$1.24/lb.
Oxidizing Liquids/Solids	\$27.67/gal. \$3.25/lb.	Motor Oil (uncontaminated)	\$4.75gal. \$0.63/lb.
Batteries (alkaline, not segregated)	\$1.33/lb.	Oil Filters	\$0.63/lb.
Batteries (rechargeable)	\$0.63/lb.	Antifreeze	\$5.69/gal.
Batteries (vehicle, lead acid)	\$0.63/lb.		\$0.63/lb.
Lithium Batteries (damaged)	\$10.24/lb.	Inhalation Hazard	Actual Disposal Costs
Lithium Batteries (non-rechargeable)	\$4.38/lb.		
Aerosols	\$2.19/lb.		
Cooking Oil	\$5.69/gal. \$0.63/lb.	Non-PCB Capacitors/Ballasts	\$1.13/lb.
Fire Extinguisher	\$15.63/lb.	PCB Capacitors/Ballasts	\$1.80/lb.
Flammable Liquids (for consolidation)	\$9.30/gal. \$1.09/lb.	Propane Tanks	\$1.58/lb.
Flammable Liquids/Solids (for lab pack)	\$13.71/gal. \$1.61/lb.	Fluorescent Lights (straight)	\$0.20/foot
		Fluorescent Lights (broken)	\$1.80/lb.
Flares	\$6.99/lb.	Fluorescent Lights (CFL/U-tube/Circular)	\$0.58/lb.
Organic Peroxides	\$48.43/lb.	HID / Mercury / Metal Halide Lights	\$1.38/lb.
Water Reactive	\$32.43/lb.		
Spontaneous Combustible	\$64.23/lb.	Mercury	\$21.03/lb.
Non-RCRA Solids	\$1.44/lb.	Reactive Cyanide	\$64.23/lb.

Unacceptable Materials*

Biohazardous waste • Sharps • Medications • Cyanides • Reactive waste • Radioactive waste • Infectious waste • Explosives • Fireworks • Airbags • Asbestos • Treated wood • Cylinders (except propane and handheld aerosols)

**Unknown Substances may be accepted for an additional fee once identified and classified. We reserve the right to refuse any substances and materials. Call (916) 737-4870 to inquire about this process.*

Who Can Participate?

Any organization or commercial entity, including but not limited to businesses, non-profit groups, schools, churches, tribal nations, government agencies, property management, and independent contractors, that meet all of the following criteria:

1. Waste is generated within Sacramento County

All delivered household hazardous waste must be from within Sacramento County.

2. Qualify as a Very Small Quantity Generator (VSQG)

Qualify as a VSQG as defined in the California Health and Safety Code, section 25218.1 and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations part 262.13.

3. Have a Hazardous Waste ID Number

Participants in the VSQG program must have a hazardous waste ID number (State ID or EPA ID #). If you only generate universal waste or latex paint, you DO NOT need an ID #. Visit <http://www.dtsc.ca.gov/IDManifest/index.cfm> or use the QR Code to obtain an ID number. For questions, call DTSC at 1-800-61-TOXIC (86942).



How to Participate

1. Inventory

Collect all your waste and its corresponding MSDS sheet (if available). Determine the quantities of each waste stream. These should be measured by pounds, gallons, each, or feet depending on the method charged in the price table.

2. Package and Secure Containers

Mark all containers with your company name and contents if they are not already labeled. If you have multiple small containers containing the same waste, you can put them in a labelled box. Containers must be in good condition and properly sealed. If the lid is not secured, tape it down. If the container is rusty or cracked, transfer the contents or package the entire container within a larger container that is in good condition. DO NOT MIX different wastes in the same container.

If you have empty containers (non-pourable) they can be disposed in your regular garbage (remove lids). If they are empty pesticide containers, contact Sacramento County Environmental Management Department at (916)-875-8550 or (916)-875-8400.

3. Call for an appointment at (916)-737-4870

The HHW is unable to accept VSQG material without an appointment.

Quantity Limits

The facility does not accept containers larger than 5 gallons or quantities larger than 27 gallons or 220 lbs. If you do bring more than 27 gallons or 220 pounds, anything in excess will be sent back with you.

Registering with Sacramento County

Your business may need to register with the county if storing hazardous waste on-site. To find out if your business needs to register, call the Sacramento County Environmental Management Department at (916)-875-8550 or (916)-875-8400.

Keep in mind that it is always a good idea to try and reduce the amount of hazardous waste that you generate. This may be possible by changing a process, purchasing materials as you need them so there is less excess, or finding an environmentally safe product instead of a hazardous material.