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## **Celebrate Frugal February with Yolo County's Reuse Program & More Free Paint** (Extra Free Paint Available on Fridays in February)

(Woodland, CA) – The Yolo County Planning & Public Works Division of Integrated Waste Management is host to a reuse program which makes paint and other reusable products available to the public, free of charge. The program is an extension of the Household Hazardous Waste Drop Off Program, open to the public every Friday and Saturday, 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Yolo County Central Landfill (44090 County Road 28H between Woodland and Davis). During the month of February, the reuse program will provide additional free paint on Fridays.

“Our entire Household Hazardous Waste Program has been a hit. At the moment though, our reuse program shelves run-eth over with paint,” said John Bencomo, Director of Planning & Public Works. “Typically we offer 10 gallons of paint per household, but in February, we are expanding that offer to 25 gallons of paint free of charge. Don’t miss this Frugal February opportunity to help reduce waste.”

Patrons of Yolo County’s Reuse Program may take up to 25 gallons of paint per household on Fridays in February for spring cleaning projects such as painting an old shed or refreshing a rental. A variety of paint is available in numerous colors and types. The reuse program is part of the Household Hazardous Waste Drop Off Program which accepts such items: as batteries; fluorescent bulbs or tubes; used motor oil and filters; cleaning supplies; lighter fluid; antifreeze; aerosols; garden pesticides and herbicides; latex or oil based paints; solvents; poisons; mercury thermostats; old medicines and containerized syringes.

These programs are sponsored by the Yolo County Department of Planning & Public Works Division of Integrated Waste Management. For more information on the reuse program and proper disposal of household hazardous waste, call (530) 666-8856 or visit: [www.yolocounty.org](http://www.yolocounty.org).

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