

## **COUNTY OF YOLO**

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## **Hazardous Waste Facility Observes the Thanksgiving Holiday**

(Woodland, CA) – In observance of the Thanksgiving holiday, the collection of household hazardous waste will not occur at the Yolo County Central Landfill's Hazardous Waste Facility on Friday, November 28.

With the exception of this date, the Yolo County Division of Integrated Waste Management holds weekly collection of household hazardous waste at the landfill, located at 44090 County Road 28H in Woodland, every Friday and Saturday, 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The facility will be open the Friday and Saturday directly following both the Christmas and New Year's Day holidays.

During the holidays many generate more waste and are busier than normal. To encourage residents to properly dispose of their household hazardous waste, the Division of Integrated Waste Management will be handing out 2015 Recycling Calendars to all residents bringing in hazardous waste after Christmas.

Seniors, 65 years of age or older, or those with a disability who are unable to bring household hazardous waste to the facility, can contact the Division of Integrated Waste at (530) 666-8856 to request collection of batteries, fluorescent bulbs, expired medications, sharps, paint, etc. at their home.

Yolo County also provides a reuse program which is open to the public during the same hours as the Household Hazardous Waste collection program. The reuse program makes household cleaning supplies, lawn, garden and automotive products, and household paint available to residents at no charge. Often, products are dropped off at the facility simply because they are no longer needed. These products have original labels and are nearly full.

Household Hazardous Waste events are sponsored by the Yolo County Department of Planning, Public Works & Environmental Services, Division of Integrated Waste Management. For more information on proper disposal of household hazardous waste, call (530) 666-8856, visit: <a href="www.yolocounty.org">www.yolocounty.org</a> (select landfill icon) or connect with the Household Hazardous Waste program on Facebook at <a href="https://www.facebook.com/yolohhw">https://www.facebook.com/yolohhw</a>.