



Responsible Paint Disposal



LATEX PAINT IS NOT HAZARDOUS.

Please dispose of correctly or recycle year-round at Habitat Restore. Don't put cans with liquid latex paint or ANY oil paint in the garbage can.



Empty or dried up latex paint cans with the lids off can go into your garbage cart because Latex Paint is NOT Hazardous.

How to dry out latex paint for home disposal: IF there's an inch or less of paint in the can, remove lid and let paint dry out. If there's more than an inch of paint

left, mix paint with equal amount of cat litter, stir and let dry before placing in garbage cart.

OIL PAINT is **HAZARDOUS** and can be safely disposed of at Household Hazardous Materials Collection Day.

Habitat Restore will accept full or partially full cans of Latex Paint or Stain, and full cans of Oil Paint year round.

Call (225) 335-1895 for details..



OIL-BASED PAINT IS HAZARDOUS WASTE



Completely empty oil-based paint cans with the lids off can go into your garbage cart!

But...

Partially full or full cans of oil-based paint must be taken to a household hazardous collection site for proper disposal.

Do not put cans containing oil-based paint out in your cart for pick up.

- * Unlike latex paint, oil-based paint should not be dried out or solidified. **Oil-based paint is flammable whether wet or dry.**
- * Never put flammable products, such as oil-based paint or thinner, down any drain or into the garbage.



Visit www.brla.gov/recycle for information on proper disposal of paint and household hazardous materials year-round.