

# MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE'S 2017 PESTICIDE CONTAINER RECYCLING COLLECTION DATES

## EASTERN SHORE

### Kent County - Chestertown

<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>TIME</u>
Nicholson Transfer Facility on Earl Nicholson Road	June 9 July 14 August 11 September 8	9:00 - 3:00 9:00 - 3:00 9:00 - 3:00 9:00 - 3:00

### Talbot County - Easton\*

<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>TIME</u>
MidShore Regional Solid Waste Facility on Barker's Landing Road	June 16 July 21 August 18 September 15	8:00 - 12:00 8:00 - 12:00 8:00 - 12:00 8:00 - 12:00

### Wicomico County - Salisbury

<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>TIME</u>
Newland Park Landfill on Brick Kiln Road	June 23 July 28 August 25 September 22	9:00 - 3:00 9:00 - 3:00 9:00 - 3:00 9:00 - 3:00

\* **Note** - Because of legal restraints, only residents from Caroline, Kent, Queen Anne's and Talbot counties are able to use the collection site in Easton. Lower Shore residents must use the collection site in Salisbury.

## CENTRAL MARYLAND

### Harford County - Street

<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>TIME</u>
Scarboro Landfill, 3241 Scarboro Road	June 2 July 7 August 4 September 1	9:00 - 3:00 9:00 - 3:00 9:00 - 3:00 9:00 - 3:00

### Harford County - White Hall

LOCATION  
The Mill of Black Horse  
4551 Norrisville Road

Facility will be accepting clean, empty containers from June 1 through September 30, during normal business hours. *Containers will be collected from their current customers, only. Call 410-329-6010 or 410-692-2200 for hours of operation and drop-off instructions.*

Containers must be cleaned (triple-rinsed or pressure-rinsed) according to label directions. *Please remember to remove lids and label booklets from the containers prior to drop-off.*

## WESTERN MARYLAND

### Frederick County - Frederick \*\*

<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>TIME</u>
Frederick County Landfill, 9031 Reich's Ford Road	June 20 July 18 August 22 September 19	9:00 - 3:00 9:00 - 3:00 9:00 - 3:00 9:00 - 3:00

### Washington County - Hagerstown

<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>TIME</u>
Martin's Elevator 13219 Maudgansville Road	June 6 July 5 August 8 September 5	9:00 - 3:00 9:00 - 3:00 9:00 - 3:00 9:00 - 3:00

\*\* **Note** - Frederick County has agreed to allow residents from outside Frederick County to submit empty pesticide containers for recycling, but NO TRASH from outside of the county will be accepted at the landfill under any terms.

## INSPECTION CHECKLIST

- All containers must be made from high density polyethylene (HDPE).
- The container must have held an EPA-registered pesticide or adjuvant, crop oil, etc.
- Pesticide containers must be properly rinsed (pressure-rinsed or triple-rinsed).**
- Caps and other non-HDPE parts, such as rubber linings and foil seals cannot be recycled.
- Stained containers are acceptable provided no material can be smeared or removed when touched by a rubber glove.
- Please remove lids and label booklets prior to recycling.***
- Any container up to 55 gallons will be accepted, if requirements above are met. All containers 30 gallons and over must be cut prior to recycling. IBC's will also be accepted (contact MDA for instructions).
- For any container over 55 gallons (except IBC's), contact MDA prior to recycling.



The Maryland Department of Agriculture (MDA) is offering the empty plastic pesticide container recycling program in 2017.

Maryland's pesticide container recycling program is a combined effort of state, county, and federal agencies and private industry working together to protect the environment. Rinsing and recycling empty pesticide containers will help to reduce the potential for contamination of ground water and the Chesapeake Bay while saving valuable landfill space.

A schedule of collection sites and dates is enclosed. **Triple-rinsed (or equivalent)**, clean, plastic, **pesticide** containers will be collected on the scheduled days and times at these sites. Containers acceptable for recycling will be chipped and transported by the contractor, under contract with the Ag Container Recycling Council (ACRC), for processing at an approved recycling facility.

To ensure a successful program, each individual container will be inspected by MDA personnel and only **triple-rinsed (or equivalent), clean, pesticide containers** will be accepted. Any container that is not clean will be returned to the owner, who will be responsible for disposing of the container in a legal manner.

Additional information on the rinsing of empty pesticide containers and recycling program can be obtained from the following MDA publications: *Rinsing & Recycling Empty Pesticide Containers*, and *Pesticide Information Sheet No. 7 - Pesticide Container Recycling Program*. For further information, contact the Maryland Department of Agriculture, Pesticide Regulation Section at 410-841-5710 or visit our website at [www.mda.maryland.gov](http://www.mda.maryland.gov).

The Maryland Department of Agriculture, Pesticide Regulation Section would like to thank all of its private cooperators and participants for making this a successful and worthwhile program. We would like to especially thank the Ag Container Recycling Council (ACRC) and USAg Recycling, Inc. Without their assistance and dedication, this program would not be possible.



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# Maryland's 2017 Pesticide Container Recycling Program



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