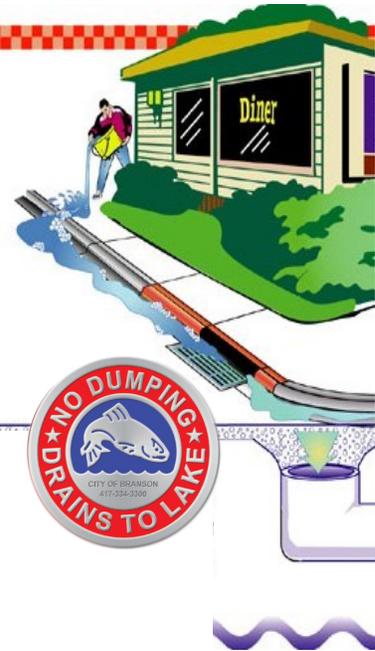


How do household chemicals affect our water?



Did You Know...

When you dispose of paint, cleaners or anything else down a storm drain or street gutter, it goes directly to the stream or lake nearest you.

Soap is for dishes
...Not for fishes



Remember:

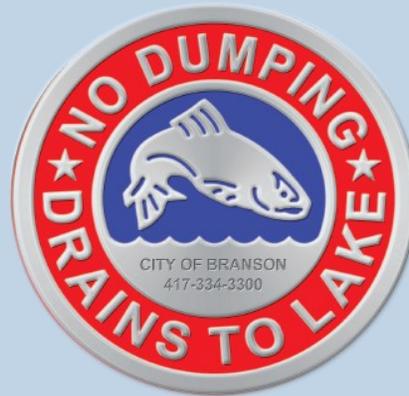
Never pour anything down a curb or storm drain that you wouldn't pour in a river.

HCC Collection Facility

601 Compton Dr. Branson, Missouri
*Located at the Branson Recycle Center
Open to all Taney County Residents*

BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

Call 417-377-8559

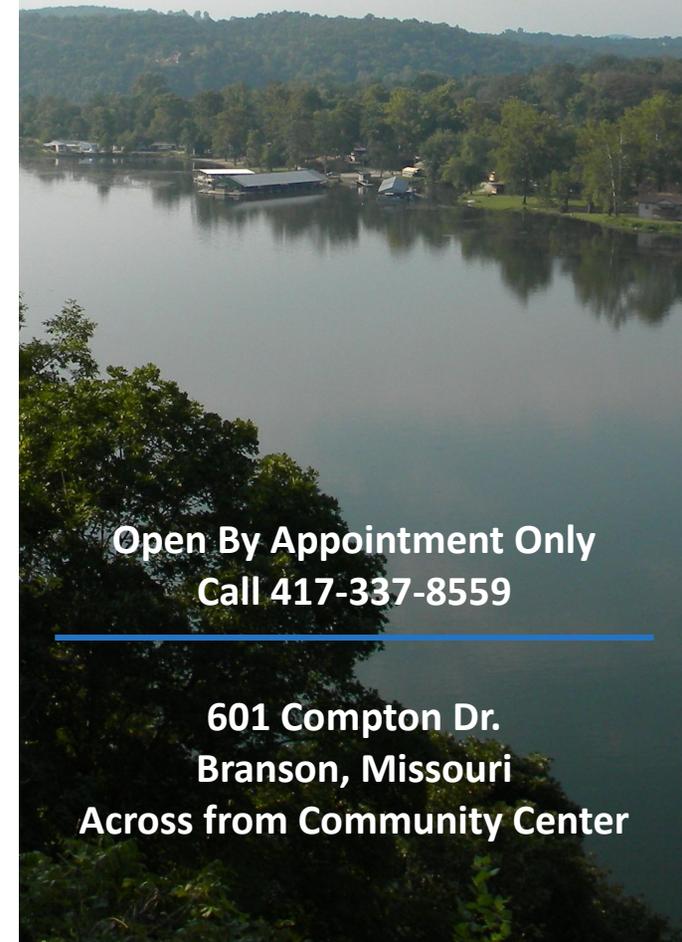


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And Recycle**

Household Chemical Collections: *The Water Connection*



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601 Compton Dr.
Branson, Missouri
Across from Community Center

Commonly Accepted Household

Chemical Products:

Acid	Lead
Adhesives and glues	Lighter fluid
Aerosol cans	Lubricating oils
Antifreeze	Mercury, thermometers
Art/hobby paints	Mothballs
Asphalt/roofing tar	Motor oil
Bases (chemicals)	Organic solvents
Batteries, NiCd and NiMH	Oven cleaner
Batteries, rechargeable and lead acid	Paint stripper: alkali-based, solvent-based, water-based
Bleach	Pesticides
Brake fluid	

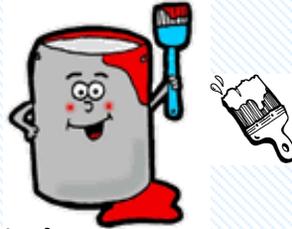
THESE ITEMS ARE ALSO AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC FOR REUSE

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Capacitors	Pet sprays/dips
Caulk	Photographic chemicals
Car wax/soaps/cleaners	Rodent poison
Disinfectants	Septic tank cleaners
Drain opener	Shoe polish/wax
Fabric dyes	Smoke/Co2 Detectors
Fertilizer	Soaps/Cleaning products
Fingernail polish/removers	Spot removers
Flea collars	Swimming pool/spa care
Fluorescent light bulbs	Toilet bowl cleaner
Fuel oil	Transmission fluid
Furniture polish/waxes	Tub/tile cleaner
Gas cylinders (propane)	Unknown substances
Gasoline	Varnish
Insecticides	Windshield wiper fluid
Insect repellants	Wood preservatives
Kerosene	Wood stain

How do I dispose of paint?

To reduce possible water contamination, dispose of excess paint properly:



Never pour paint or paint residue in a storm drain. It goes to our waterways.



OIL-based paints accepted by appointment only at Household Chemical Collections (HCC) located inside Branson Recycle Center



LATEX paint is non-toxic and should be dried to a solid, then disposed of in regular trash. Cat litter, sawdust or paint thickener (available at hardware stores) may be used to harden large amounts quickly.

Packaging and Transportation

- Keep products in original containers.
- Label materials not in original containers.
- If you are not sure of the product name, provide a description. Clearly label the container with the current date and **"UNKNOWN SUBSTANCE," "DANGER,"** and **"DO NOT OPEN."**
- If the product is in a rusting or breakable container, place it within a plastic container with a tight fitting lid and label the outside container.
- **Never mix products!**
- **Seal lids tightly!**

chemicals **NOT** accepted

- * Business waste, commercial waste, or profit/not-for-profit organization waste
- * Pharmaceuticals or sharps
- * Explosives/ammunition
- * Radioactive waste
- * Infectious waste
- * Laboratory chemicals

Did you know...

Automotive batteries, button batteries, and motor oil can also be recycled through various local businesses.

Remember...



- Only **HOUSEHOLD** chemicals are accepted. Small businesses should contact the Missouri Department of Natural Resources Technical Assistance Program (TAP) at 800-361-4827.

"How to Recycle Anything in Branson"

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