

# Fall Clean-up Collection Event

Date: Saturday, October 16, 2010

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

**Due to limited capacity, may close early!**

Place: Copperas Branch Park  
I-35E & Highland Village Rd.

The City of Highland Village is sponsoring the Fall Clean-up Collection Event. This event is an opportunity for Highland Village residents to dispose of the following – and at no cost to you!

- Hazardous Waste
- Tree & Lawn Clippings
- Paper to be Shredded
- Electronics & Batteries (All Types)
- Scrap Metal
- Miscellaneous “Stuff” you don’t want anymore - but someone else might.
- **Please BRING THIS NOTICE or your DRIVER’S LICENSE showing a HIGHLAND VILLAGE address, to be admitted to the collection site.** For additional information, contact the Highland Village Park & Recreation department at (972) 317-7430.

The average household has three to ten gallons of materials that are hazardous to humans or the environment. These products should never be disposed of by pouring down the drain, on the ground, into the storm drain, or into the trash, as they can contaminate surface water, septic tanks, or even the wastewater treatment system. There is no need to bring your latex paint, you can let those cans dry out and dispose of them in your household trash. We must take responsibility for taking care of this globe we call home. The City wants to help you do the right thing for our environment!

# Fall Clean-up Collection Information

For your safety and to make the collection of materials more efficient, we request that you take these precautions prior to bringing materials to the collection site:

- ✓ If a product is still usable, try to give it to someone who can use it. It is only “waste” when it cannot be used!
- ✓ Please bring liquid paint sorted by type (oil-based, lead-based, etc.) **Latex paint is to be dried out and disposed of in the household trash.**
- ✓ Please keep chemicals in their original containers. Place broken or leaking containers inside a second container of like materials (e.g., glass for corrosives, metal for flammables) and label properly.
- ✓ If container has no label and its contents are known, please place a label on the container clearly stating the contents.
- ✓ DO NOT transport chemicals in the passenger compartment of your vehicle. Put them in the trunk or bed of your truck.

**This is RESIDENTIAL COLLECTION ONLY  
NO COMMERCIAL WASTE WILL BE ACCEPTED**

ACCEPTED MATERIALS:	NOT ACCEPTED MATERIALS:
Acids Aerosol cans All Batteries Antifreeze Brake Fluid Craft Chemicals Hobby Chemicals Degreasers Drain Cleaners Fertilizer Fluorescent Light Gasoline Herbicides	Household Chemicals Motor Oil Paints/Stains Paint Thinners Pest Strips Pesticides Pharmaceuticals Photo Chemicals Pool Chemicals Oil Filters Solvents Transmission Fluid Varnishes
	<b>Ammunition</b> <b>Explosives</b> <b>Propane/Butane Cylinders</b> <b>Medical Waste</b> <b>Radioactive Material (smoke detectors)</b> <b>Tires</b> <b>Waste Generated by Businesses</b>

**NOTE:** Due to space limitations of the trailer, please limit total weight of hazardous waste items to 50 pounds. ALL RESIDENTS MUST BRING THIS NOTICE OR YOUR DRIVER’S LICENSE, SHOWING A HIGHLAND VILLAGE ADDRESS, TO GAIN ENTRY TO THE COLLECTION SITE. In the event of rain and event is cancelled, the collection will be on the following Saturday. **THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION**