

Special Waste Drop-off Day

To make the recycling of household hazardous waste and electronic waste more convenient for residents, Halton Region holds Special Waste Drop-off Days throughout the year. Special Waste Drop-off Days are for Halton residents only. No commercial waste.

Date	Location
Saturday, April 26, 2014 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.	Robert C. Austin Operations Centre 11620 Trafalgar Road, Georgetown part of Town of Halton Hills Earth Day event

Halton residents may drop off the following household materials free of charge:

Household Hazardous Waste



✓ Acceptable materials

- acids (rust remover)
- aerosol cans (full or partially full)
- automotive liquids (antifreeze, motor oil and filters)
- batteries (household & car)
- bleach
- cosmetics & pharmaceuticals
- fluorescent lights (compact bulbs & tubes)
- fertilizers
- fuels (must leave container)
- garden chemicals
- household cleaners
- medications
- mercury containing devices
- paint (full or partially full)
- pesticides
- pool chemicals
- propane tanks & other pressurized containers
- solvents
- stains
- varsol

✗ Unacceptable materials

- needles, syringes and lancets
- asbestos
- commercial and industrial hazardous waste
- PCBs
- radioactive waste
- bio-medical waste
- explosives and ammunition

Electronic waste



✓ Acceptable materials

- computers
- stereos
- phones
- TVs
- VCRs
- DVD players
- computer monitors
- printers
- cell phones
- cameras
- computer batteries

✗ Unacceptable materials

- appliances
- vacuums
- scrap metal

✗ Other unacceptable materials

- Commercial waste, tires, reuse materials (clothing, etc.), and scrap metal. If you are unsure whether an item will be accepted at a Special Waste Drop-off Day, contact Halton Region by dialing 311.

Visit Halton.ca/hhw for information about year round drop off options for household hazardous waste.

Visit Halton.ca/ewaste for information about year round drop off options for electronic waste.

Please contact us as soon as possible if you have any accessibility needs at Halton Region events or meetings.

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Compost Giveaway

Monday, May 5 to Saturday, May 10, 2014

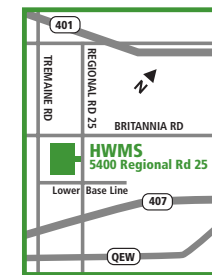
8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Halton Waste Management Site
5400 Regional Road 25,
Milton

Thanks to the participation of Halton residents, approximately 34,000 tonnes of yard waste was composted last year and turned into rich, garden-friendly compost.

Halton residents are invited to pick up some of this compost as a "thank you" for diverting this usable material away from the landfill, thereby extending its life!

- All Halton households are welcome to collect a maximum of seven bags (or equivalent) of compost.
- Please bring your own containers (garbage bags, yard waste bags, reusable containers, trailer, etc.) and shovel.



- Residents are responsible for shoveling and bagging their own compost.
- Non-perishable food items or cash donations will be gratefully accepted on behalf of Halton area Food Banks.

Helpful Hint:

When applying compost to your gardens, ensure you blend it with topsoil or another gardening fill. Recommended application for best growing results is a 60/40 split (60 per cent topsoil and 40 per cent compost).

#HaltonCompost @HaltonRecycles

Spring cleaning? We can help!

Bring your old batteries, paint, compact fluorescent light bulbs, pesticides and cleaners to the Household Hazardous Waste Depot at the Halton Waste Management Site.

Maximum 20 litres per visit. No commercial loads accepted. For a list of acceptable materials and helpful hints, visit Halton.ca/hhw.



Thanking doctors during Physician Appreciation Week

Every year, Halton Region and our local hospitals, celebrate Halton's physicians and recognize their contributions during the annual Halton Physician Appreciation Week (April 28 to May 2). Thanks to our doctors, Halton is a healthy and safe community, and a great place to live. For more than a decade, Halton's Physician Recruitment program has marketed Halton to current and prospective physicians to help ensure every resident has access to a family doctor. For a list of family doctors accepting patients across Halton, visit Halton.ca/newphysicians.



Gary Carr
Regional Chair

Meetings at Halton Region

1151 Bronte Rd., Oakville L6M 3L1

- April 29 9:30 a.m.** Health & Social Services Cmte. - **cancelled**
- April 30 9:30 a.m.** Planning & Public Works Cmte. - **cancelled**
- April 30 1:30 p.m.** Admin & Finance Cmte. - **cancelled**

Meetings can be viewed at Halton.ca/meetings.

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