

## How to Transport Items:

- ✓ All items must be in sealed containers. If leaking, wrap in a plastic bag and place in separate box.
- ✓ Tighten caps and lids.
- ✓ Leave materials in the original labeled container if possible.
- ✓ Pack containers in sturdy, upright boxes and pad with newspapers.
- ✓ Sort and pack separately: paints, pesticides, cleaners.
- ✓ NEVER MIX CHEMICALS.
- ✓ Place materials in vehicle, preferably in the trunk. Taking care to keep the box from tipping over in the car.
- ✓ On arrival, please stay in your car. Trained staff will inspect and remove materials from your car for you.
- ✓ No smoking.

The AVCOG Regional Household Hazardous Waste Program is supported by USDA Rural Development and the following participating towns:

*Andover, Auburn, Bethel, Buckfield, Byron, Carrabassett Valley, Dixfield, Eustis, Farmington, Greenwood, Hanover, Jay, Kingfield, Leeds, Lewiston, Livermore, Livermore Falls, Mechanic Falls, Mexico, Minot, Newry, Norway, Otisfield, Oxford, Paris, Peru, Rangeley, Roxbury, Rumford, South Paris, Sumner, Weld, West Paris, Wilton, and Woodstock.*

***Thank you for your continued support!***

For more information please contact AVCOG at 783-9186



## 2023 Bethel Hazardous Waste Event

**Bethel Transfer Station**  
**1069 Mayville Rd. Bethel**  
**Sat. August 26**  
**9:00 am—12:00 pm**

**Open to participating towns only (unit limits nearby):**

(No Limit) Bethel, (No Limit) Greenwood, (No Limit) Hanover  
 (5) Newry, (2) Sumner, (4) West Paris,  
 (No Limit) Woodstock

**Additional 2023 HHW events open to residents:**

5/20	Lewiston Depot* 424 River Rd.	7/15	Lewiston Depot* 424 River Rd.	8/26	Bethel Transfer Station
6/10	NORSWB	7/22	Norway Transfer Station	9/9	Wilton Transfer Station
6/17	Lewiston Depot* 424 River Rd.	8/5	Rangeley Transfer Station	9/16	Lewiston Depot* 424 River Rd.
7/8	Carrabassett Valley	8/19	Lewiston Depot* 424 River Rd.	10/21	Lewiston Depot* 424 River Rd.

**\*Lewiston Depot hours (8 am — 11:45 am) - open to all residents**

**All others: (9 am—noon) - open to participating town residents only**

## What to bring to Bethel:

### Home:

- ✓ Aerosol Cans (not empty)
- ✓ Cleaners (Ammonia-based, Carpet/Floor/Upholstery, Drain Openers, Spot Treatment)
- ✓ Degreasers, Disinfectants
- ✓ Fire Extinguishers
- ✓ Flea control/Rat Poison
- ✓ Furniture/Metal Polish
- ✓ Smoke Detectors
- ✓ Thermostats/Thermometers

### Hobby:

- ✓ Artists' Paints/ Mediums
- ✓ Chemistry Sets
- ✓ Formalin/Formaldehyde
- ✓ Gun Cleaning Solvents
- ✓ Photography Chemicals
- ✓ Rubber Cement

### Automotive:

- ✓ Automotive fluids (Anti-freeze, Brake Fluid, Engine Degreaser, Fuel Additives, Hydraulic Oil Transmission Fluids)
- ✓ Auto Body Repair Products
- ✓ Battery Acid
- ✓ Car Wax w/ Solvents

### Lawn/Outdoor:

- ✓ Bug Sprays/Weed Killer
- ✓ Fertilizer with Pesticides
- ✓ Fungicide/Insecticide/ Pesticide
- ✓ Gas Cylinders (camping size)
- ✓ Pool/ Hot Tub Chemicals

*Generally, products labeled: Caution, Corrosive, Danger, Flammable, Toxic, Volatile, or Warning are accepted.*  
**Not sure about something? Call AVCOG at 783-9186**

### Garage:

- ✓ Driveway Sealer
- ✓ Fiberglass Epoxy
- ✓ Lighter Fluid
- ✓ Muriatic Acid
- ✓ Roofing Tar
- ✓ Waste Fuel (Gasoline, Kerosene, Diesel)

### Paint:

- ✓ Paint Home/Automotive/ Marine\*\*\*
- ✓ Thinners, Stains, Strippers
- ✓ Primers/Wood Preservatives
- ✓ Paint Brush Cleaning Solvents

\*\*\*Not accepted at the Lewiston Depot

## What **NOT** to bring to Bethel:

- X Asbestos: Contact Dept. of Environmental Protection  
1-800-452-1942
- X Biological Waste: Contact Local Hospital
- X Commercial/Industrial Waste
- X Ammunition/Explosives/ Fireworks & Prescription Drugs: Contact Local PD

**These items can be recycled year-round at Bethel:**

- X Batteries
- X Computers
- X Electronics
- X Lightbulbs
- X Televisions