



MANISTEE COUNTY 2018 RECYCLING EVENTS

Manistee County Household Hazardous Waste Event

Dispose of your household hazardous waste (HHW) every year on the third Saturday of August at the Manistee Road Commission.

Manistee Road Commission
8946 Chippewa Highway (US-31 and 9 Mile Rd)
Bear Lake, MI 49614

What is Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)?

HHW is any product labeled: toxic, poison, combustible, corrosive, flammable or irritant that needs to be disposed of.

Why a collection day?

Proper disposal of HHW is important to prevent the spread of chemicals in our soil, air and water which helps protect our environment from pollution and our bodies from illness or even death. Improper disposal of HHW can include pouring them down the drain, on the ground, into storm sewers, or in some cases putting them out with the regular trash.

Who can participate?

All residents of Manistee County can participate. Items will only be accepted on August 18th during scheduled hours, 9 am to 2 pm. The drop-off event is free to residents, but a \$5 suggested donation will be gratefully accepted to help keep the program running!

What should I take?

A typical household can accumulate many hazardous products from around your house, garage, workshop, and shed. Dispose of any unused, unwanted or outdated cleaners, pesticides, medications, electronics and more!

For more information visit the Manistee Conservation District website ManisteeCD2.org

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Manistee County residents will have two opportunities this fall to properly dispose of their unwanted standard passenger and light duty truck tires made possible by a Michigan Department of Environmental Quality Scrap Tire Cleanup Grant.

Who: Manistee County residents ONLY

ID required – valid Michigan Driver’s License, State Issued ID, recent utility/tax bill

What: Standard passenger and light duty truck tires ONLY

Must be clean and off the rim

Fee of \$1 per tire

When: September 22nd and October 13th

10:00am to 2:00pm

Where: Manistee County Fairgrounds

7587 1st Street, Onkama

Why: Tires are banned from landfill disposal, act as breeding grounds for mosquitos, are a fire safety hazard and are a blight to the nature beauty of our county

Volunteers are needed to help staff the events. If you are interested in volunteering please contact Manistee County Recycles at 855.2Go.Zero (855.246.9376) or kaela@iriswastediversion.com.

Recycle Rama Northwest Michigan

The first annual Recycle Rama Northwest Michigan event will be held on September 29th at Manistee High School from 10:00 am – 2:00 pm. The purpose of the event is to provide a convenient, no-cost and low-cost drop-off day where various materials will be collected for recycling or reuse. In one location and in one day a variety of Collection Partners will be on site to collect “hard to recycle” and “in good condition” reuse materials for free or a small fee. This event is open to everyone in the Northwest Michigan region.

Hard to recycle materials including electronics, mattresses and box springs, foam and appliances will all be accepted at the event. Unwanted items such as winter coats and boots, books, baby diapers, eyeglasses, twin & full beds, kitchen table and chairs, couches, refrigerators, stoves, washers and dryers that are in good and working condition will also be accepted to support the missions of area service organizations.

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