

Discover ways
in which you can
properly dispose
of paint in Ottawa,
Sandusky and
Seneca Counties.



Option 1

Allow the paint to dry by removing the lid and allowing liquids to evaporate. This works well for small quantities of paint (an inch or two in the bottom of the can).

## Option 2

Latex paint can also be solidified by mixing in an equal amount of an absorbent material and allowing it to dry. Use

allowing it to dry. cat litter, sawdust, plaster of paris, oil dry, or a paint hardener found at a local hardware

store.



Pour thin layers (about 1 inch of paint) into a cardboard box lined with plastic. Allow the paint to dry one layer at a time until all paint has hardened.

### Option 4

When the paint is completely dry it can be discarded with your regular trash. Leave the lid off the container so

trash. Leave the lid off the container so your waste hauler knows the can is empty.

# Option 5

Donate or exchange your left over paint.



## DO NOT

- Dump paint on the ground or into storm sewers.
- Pour the paint can contents down the drain.
- Throw paint cans with liquid remaining in your trash. The cans will become compacted and leak onto the street.

# RECYCLING COLLECTIONS

The OSS Solid Waste District conducts a Household Hazardous Waste Collection for the residents of Ottawa, Sandusky and Seneca Counties. This collection is held twice each year, once in the spring & again in the fall. For collection details visit

www.recycleoss.org.

This collection allows local residents an opportunity to dispose their paint and additional household hazardous wastes properly in a safe environment. This collection is NOT OPEN to BUSINESSES.

#### **Event:**

### **Household Hazardous Waste**

### Location:

Ottawa County Fairgrounds 163 W. St. Rt. 163, Oak Harbor

Sandusky Co. Fairgrounds, N. parking lot, 712 North St., Fremont

Seneca Co. Fairgrounds, South lot, Township Road 594., Tiffin



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