

RECYCLING FOR COMMERCIAL PAINTERS IN EDMONTON

Alberta Recycling is pleased to announce that as of March 1, 2013 the City of Edmonton is accepting waste paint, paint containers and aerosol paint cans ('waste paint products') from commercial contractors at the Edmonton Waste Management Centre.

Only eligible waste paint products approved within Alberta's Paint Recycling Program will be accepted (see pages 2 & 3 for list of acceptable & unacceptable products).

Drop-off Instructions

1. The Edmonton Waste Management Centre is located at 13111 Meridian (1st) Street NE.
2. The waste paint products will be accepted during the following hours:
 - Mon/Fri 7:30 AM to 7:00 PM
 - Sat/Sun and Holidays 8 AM - 5:00 PM
3. No charges or limits will apply for loads containing waste paint products only. (No drums of bulked paint will be accepted).
4. Contractors are responsible for appropriate packaging and unloading of all materials.
5. For more information regarding the Edmonton Waste Management Centre please call The City of Edmonton's information line at 3-1-1.
6. For more details regarding the paint recycling program please check see the [Paint Recycling Program section](#) of Alberta Recycling's website.

Thank you

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Director of Operations

PAINT PRODUCTS ACCEPTED FOR RECYCLING

Please note the paint must be in its original containers - between 100 ml and 23 litres in size - and the containers must not be bulging or leaking:

- Empty paint cans & pails of eligible product
- Interior & Exterior latex, alkyd (oil) & solvent-based paints and stains
- Aerosol cans
- Concrete sealers & driveway (non-tar based) paints
- Enamels
- Interior & Exterior varnishes & single component urethanes
- Marine paint (non anti-fouling)
- Paint-based aerosols
- Porch, floor, fence, barn & deck paints and stains
- Pre-catalyzed and nitrocellulose lacquers
- Pre-catalyzed epoxies
- Primers, undercoats & water repellent sealers
- Rust & decorative metal paints
- Scenic, movie set paint
- Shellac and shellac-based products
- Stone effects coating
- Traffic marking paints
- Tree marking paint
- Water borne lacquers
- Wood finishing oils & stains

PAINT MATERIAL THAT WILL *NOT* BE ACCEPTED FOR RECYCLING

- Bulging or leaking containers
- All paints less than 100ml or greater than 23L in size
- Brushes, rags & rollers
- Chalk-based aerosol or liquid
- Colorants and tints (this refers to the pigments which are added to paint bases to give paint a color; paint which has been colored or tinted is applicable for the ADS)
- Corrosive products
- Deck cleaners
- Glues, fiberglass resins, adhesives & caulking compounds (aerosol or liquid)
- Ink-based aerosol or liquid
- Milk-based aerosol or liquid
- Non-aerosol automotive paints
- Non-aerosol craft & artist paints
- Paint specifically formulated for industrial application (please see [industrial paint definition](#) for more information)
- Roof patch tars & greases
- Solvents, thinners and mineral spirits
- Tar-based aerosol or liquid
- Two-part / multi component paints
- Wood preservatives (e.g. creosote)