

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE DISPOSAL OF WATER BASED LATEX PAINT

Latex paint is non-hazardous and should not be brought to our Household Hazardous Waste Collections.

It can be disposed of in the regular trash, provided it is first dried out. Following these simple steps, you can dispose of latex paint in the trash year round.



FIRST check the label for an indication that the paint is latex or cleans up with soap & water



SECOND gather the following materials: cardboard box; strong plastic trash bag; kitty litter or sand

NOW FOLLOW THESE SIMPLE STEPS:



5. When the paint is dry, pull the end of the trash bag together and secure tightly



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3. Open trash bag within confines of the box



6. Add more kitty litter/sand as needed. Stir/mix the paint with the kitty litter/sand



9. Discard the bag in the trash



4. Place a small amount of kitty litter or sand in the bottom of the bag



7. Wait for the kitty litter to absorb the paint. This may take hours or days, depending on weather



10. Allow the residue inside the paint can to harden and dispose of the can in the trash