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Montco Household Hazardous Waste Recycling Event Slated for Saturday, June 28, 2014

Ambler, PA (May 16, 2014) – The third of six recycling dates for the collection of household hazardous waste sponsored by Montgomery County will take place Saturday, June 28, at Temple University-Ambler Campus (enter at 1431 East Butler Avenue) Ambler, PA 19002, between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. It is important to note that electronic equipment will not be collected at household hazardous waste recycling events.

The remaining household hazardous waste recycling events are:

SUNDAY, July 20

Abington Junior High School (enter from Tyler Road)

970 Highland Avenue
Abington, PA 19001

Saturday, September 20

Spring-Ford 9th Grade Center

400 South Lewis Road
Royersford, PA 19468

SUNDAY, October 19

Lower Merion Transfer Station

1300 North Woodbine Avenue
Penn Valley, PA 19072

All events will take place between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.

The following items are not acceptable at either the electronics or the household hazardous waste collection sites:

- **Latex Paint** – NOT Hazardous (Throw in trash after it is dried out completely.)
- **Alkaline Batteries** – NOT Hazardous (Throw in trash if made after 1996.)
- **Large Appliances/White Goods** – Contact your township or trash/ recycling hauler to schedule a pick up or call the Montgomery County Recycling Hotline at 610-278-3618.
- **Explosives & Ammunition** – Contact your local police department or the Montgomery County Bomb Squad at 610-278-3331.
- **Infectious or Medical Waste**
- **Radioactive Waste**
- **Asbestos**
- **Air Conditioners, De/Humidifiers, Refrigerators** – Contact your township or trash/recycling hauler to schedule a pick up or call 610-278-3618 for more information. For working refrigerators contact PECO at 1-888-5-PECO-SAVE.
- **Smoke Detectors** – Send back to the manufacturer. Check the back of the item for more information OR throw in trash.

For more information on the collection events, please go to www.montgomerycountyclecyles.org. The specific document on the household hazardous waste events is at:

<http://www.montcopa.org/DocumentCenter/View/6719>. The specific document on the electronics events is at: <http://www.montcopa.org/DocumentCenter/View/6718>.