



## LOCKHEED MARTIN HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE DAY

# LOCKHEED MARTIN WILL NOT BE COLLECTING LATEX PAINT THIS YEAR.

**LATEX PAINT IS NON-HAZARDOUS AND MAY BE REUSED, DONATED, DRIED OR SOLIDIFIED AND DISCARDED IN THE STANDARD TRASH COLLECTION THROUGH YOUR WASTE HAULER.**

**To manage Latex Paint, do the following:**

If at all possible, for paint that is still good and useable, please try to use it, give it to someone who can use it, or donate it to a local charity organization that may be in need, such as Habitat for Humanity or local church organizations.

If paint must be disposed of, then please follow these guidelines:

- For small quantities (containers less than ½ full), put the paint outside on a dry day(s) and leave the lid off until it dries up. Place the paint can in the trash container.
- For larger quantities (containers ½ full or greater):
  - Do not attempt to dry the paint by leaving the lid off, as a dry film will cover the wet paint underneath it and the paint will not harden.
  - Mix the paint inside the container(s) with a solid material (see below), and when the mixture has dried, place the paint can(s) in the trash container. Materials that are effective in solidifying paint include:
    - Kitty Litter
    - Clay absorbent ("Speedi-dri", "Oil-dri", etc.)
    - Latex Paint Hardener – available at your local home center or hardware store. One 4-oz. packet typically hardens 3/4ths gallon of paint.
    - Sawdust
    - Dry Dirt.
    - Do not use sand or vermiculite as these materials will not fully absorb the paint.



Lockheed Martin appreciates your cooperation with this effort.  
Please call 856-722-3310 if you have any questions.