HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE
The following lists are the most common items accepted and not accepted at the Household Hazardous Waste Facility. If you have a question about a specific item, please call TacomaFIRST 311 or (253) 591-5418. When visiting the facility, customers must drive-up. No walk-up or self-service is allowed.

**YES**
- Acids and caustics
- Antifreeze
- Automotive products
- Automotive batteries (lead acid only)
- Flammable liquids
- Fluorescent bulbs and tubes
- Gasoline and fuel
- Glues
- Household cleaners
- Hypodermic needles and syringes (sealed in a rigid container)
- Insecticides
- Mercury thermometers/ thermostats
- Oil-based paints
- Pool chemicals
- Solvents

**NO**
- Containers larger than 5 gallons
- Ammunition and explosives
- Asbestos
- Commercial/business hazardous waste
- Contaminated soil
- Latex paint (water-based)
- Water-based stain
- Medical waste

DONATION AND REUSE OPTIONS
In order to reduce our shared environmental impact, the City of Tacoma’s goal is to divert 70% of our community’s solid waste from landfills by 2028. Items in good working condition can often be donated to a local organization for resale right here in Tacoma.

Or, repurpose, refurbish, repair, or reimagine items that you already have!

*A full list of donation sites and organizations is available at:*
WasteFree253.org