

Residents let day go to hazardous waste

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Farmington-area residents in increased numbers spruced up and cleaned up this year at the Household Hazardous Waste Day May 21 at the 47th District Courthouse.

For the first year, Southfield residents were invited to attend, according to Karen Birkholz, Farmington Hills recycling coordinator.

Household Hazardous Waste Day has been a mainstay in Farmington/Farmington Hills for four years.

The twice-a-year event will change to once a year this fall when Southfield reciprocates by inviting Farmington/Farmington Hills residents to its similar scheduled event.

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*Karen Birkholz
Hills recycling coordinator*

kholz said. "There were 500 cars this year. We had 900 cars our first year."

Some 787 participants carted unwanted goods to be disposed of safely compared with 509 participants last year. There were 496 Hills residents, up from 381. Farmington residents numbered 130, two more than last year.

And 161 Southfield residents took the drive here to drop off their goods.

In all, 5,398 gallons of hazardous waste were collected compared to 2,782 gallons last year.

Here's the breakdown, as provided by Chemical Waste Management, of Southfield, with the 1994 number listed first followed by the 1993 amount listed in gallons in parentheses:

- Car batteries, 160 (55).
- Motor oil, 840 gallons (340).
- Household batteries, 200 (50).
- Asbestos containing waste, 140 (30).
- Mercury, 5 gallons for both years.
- Oil-based paint, antifreeze, gasoline, 1,170 gallons (600).
- Aerosols, 560 gallons (445).
- Paint thinners, adhesives, etc., 455 gallons (330).
- Pesticides, fertilizers, acids, household cleaners, 1,328 gallons (922).



Bad stuff: Workers, dressed for the occasion, check drums of hazardous waste in back of the 47th District Courthouse in Farmington.

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