

# PaintCare Eligibility Guide

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### PaintCare Eligibility Guidelines

**The purpose of this document is to outline both eligible and non-eligible program materials for the Household Hazardous Waste Community.**

**PaintCare Eligible Categories Include:**

- Interior and exterior architectural paints: latex, acrylic, water-based, alkyd, oil-based, enamel (including textured coatings)
- Deck coatings, floor paints (including elastomeric)
- Primers, sealers, undercoaters
- Stains
- Shellacs, lacquers, varnishes, urethanes (single component)
- Waterproofing concrete/masonry/wood sealers and repellents (not tar or bitumen-based)
- Metal coatings, rust preventatives
- Field and lawn paints

**NON-Eligible Categories Include:**

- Paint thinners, mineral spirits, solvents
- Aerosol paints (spray cans)
- Auto and marine paints
- Art and craft paints
- Caulking compounds, epoxies, glues, adhesives
- Paint additives, colorants, tints, resins
- Wood preservatives (containing pesticides)
- Roof patch and repair
- Asphalt, tar and bitumen-based products
- 2-component coatings
- Deck cleaners
- Traffic and road marking paints
- Industrial Maintenance (IM) coatings
- Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) (shop application) paints and finishes

Examples of Eligible Products:

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Interior and exterior architectural paints: latex, acrylic, water-based, alkyd, oil-based, enamel (including textured coatings)		
Deck coatings, floor paints (including elastomeric)		
Primers, sealers, undercoaters		
Stains		
Shellacs, lacquers, varnishes, urethanes (single component)		
Waterproofing concrete/masonry/wood sealers and repellents (not tar or bitumen-based) <i>“Unless they are labeled for professional use only or industrial use only.”</i>		
Metal coatings, rust preventatives		
Field and lawn paints		

Examples of NON-Eligible Products:

Category:	Eligible?	Examples
Paint thinners, mineral spirits, solvents	✗	
Aerosol paints (spray cans)	✗	
Auto and marine paints	✗	
Art and craft paints	✗	
Caulking compounds, epoxies, glues, adhesives	✗	
Paint additives, colorants, tints, resins	✗	
Wood preservatives (containing pesticides)	✗	
Roof patch and repair	✗	

Asphalt, tar and bitumen-based products		
2-component coatings		
Deck cleaners		
Traffic and road marking paints		
Industrial Maintenance (IM) coatings		
Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) (shop application) paints and finishes		<p>This designation is used for manufacturers at factories and furniture shops. It is more applicable to the Large Volume Pickup (LVP) based within PaintCare. These would be undistinguishable in the HHW Program.</p>

**Requirements Specific to HHW Programs**

HHW programs have been granted some special provisions by PaintCare, but they also have some additional requirements.

Requirements:

- Material **MUST** be sorted per Hazard Class. (Latex separated from Oil Based)
- Veolia also requires that all program eligible Paint be sorted via their Shipping Categories (SEE HAZCAT FOR DETAILS)
- HHW Facilities are required to carefully sort out non-program material so that it is not shipped on a PaintCare Waste Profile or shipped on a PaintCare Approval.
- There is also reporting requirements administered by PaintCare. (FOR MORE DETAILS CONSULT YOUR PAINTCARE REPRESENTATIVE)

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### Special Provisions for HHW's:

- HHW's can determine if a container with no label is PaintCare Eligible based on the knowledge gained during the collection process.
- If in doubt of eligibility on any material, please do not hesitate to contact your Veolia Representative and we can facilitate in gathering the proper information. (PICTURES ARE REQUIRED ON ANY INQUIRIES)
- HHW's can pack pints and half pints of PaintCare eligible LATEX paint with their cubic yard boxes. (THESE CONTAINERS SHOULD BE EITHER BOXED WITHIN THE CUBIC YARD BOX, OR STACKED SO THEY ARE EASILY REMOVED AT THE END FACILITY)
- Paint that is in its non-original container can be classified as PaintCare Eligible if the HHW personnel gains information during the collection process that ensures it is program eligible.

### For More Information:

If you have any questions that you would like to ask Veolia in regards to our services and involvement with PaintCare, Jamison Reginek CHMM is the Account Manager for this program and can be reached at the contact information below:

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