



PaintCare Quick Reference Guide

FREE collection of Architectural Coatings:

- Interior/exterior: Latex, Acrylic, Water-Based, Oil-Based, Enamel
- Deck Coatings, Floor Paints
- Primers, Sealers
- Stains, Shellacs, Lacquers, Varnishes, Urethanes
- Waterproofing: Concrete, Masonry, Wood Sealers, and Repellents
- Metal Coatings, Rust Preventatives
- Field and Lawn Paints



Paint Can Size and Condition - (Never open the cans)

- 5-gallon containers or smaller.
- Original container with the original label that can be read.
- Sealed and not leaking.
- No empty cans. Cans with dry latex paint are accepted.

DO NOT collect the following products:

Paint thinners	Mineral spirits	Solvents	Aerosol (spray cans)
Auto/marine paint	Art and craft paints	Caulking compounds	Epoxies/glues/adhesives
Paint additives	Colorants	Tints and resins	Roof patch and repair
Asphalt/tar	Deck cleaners	2-compound coatings	Bitumen-based products
Wood preservatives (containing pesticides)	Traffic/road marking paint	Shop applied paints and finishes	Industrial maintenance (IM) coatings

STORAGE STANDARDS:

- Place all paint cans/collected products immediately in collection bins provided by PaintCare.
- Keep collection bin closed except when adding approved PaintCare products.
- Ensure the recycling contractor provides a label for each collection bin. On the collection bin label, write the date the first PaintCare product is placed in the bin. (Paint cannot be stored onsite for more than 1 year).
- Both indoor and outdoor collection bins must be placed on an impervious surface that allows for easy clean-up. Collection bins cannot be placed on dirt or gravel.
- All collection bins must be stored in a secure location. Only drop-off-site staff should have access to the collection bins and storage area. NEVER allow “self-serve” public access to the collection bins.



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Spill Cleanup Directions: Clean up any spill of program products immediately:

1. Isolate the area.
2. Use protective gear (continued).
3. Place leaking container upright in the spill kit bucket or plastic bag.
4. Place absorbent around the spill, then fill in towards the spill.
5. Place barriers around any storm drains.
6. Place contaminated absorbent material and protective gear in a bag or bucket with leaky container.
7. Seal bag or bucket and place in collection bin.
8. **Spill Reporting:** Document the date, location, amount, and type of program product spilled. Report any spill or release of two (2) gallons or more of oil-based paint to the environment to:
 - VT Agency of Natural Resources, Waste Management and Prevention Division.
 - Regular business hours: (802) 828-1138
 - Vermont Emergency Management 24/7: (800) 641-5005
 - PaintCare within 24 hours of any report

Hauler Name:

Clean Harbors

To order bin pick-up via phone:

Brittany Ditullio
(888) 932-2730

Ditullio.Brittany@cleanharbors.com

Vermont PaintCare Program Manager:

John Hurd
(802) 245-4821
jhurd@paint.org

Customer Information for PaintCare

Where to refer for non-program materials:

Solid Waste District or town – 802Recycles.com

PaintCare Customer Hotline: (855) 724-6809