The Falmouth Transfer station has been recently established as a paint drop-off facility. This program is for Falmouth residents using the transfer station and will begin October 1, 2015.

Maine's paint stewardship law was passed in 2013 and requires manufacturers of paint to implement a post-consumer management program. This program will help recover and recycle used paint and paint products.

Acceptable Containers vs. Unacceptable Containers

Acceptable

- **The Program Product must be in its original container**
- **The container is labeled as containing one of the designated Program Products listed below**
- **The container must be in good condition and not leaking**
- **The container must be 5 gallons in size or smaller**

Not Acceptable

- **The container is not original (e.g., paint was transferred into a jar)**
- **The container does not have an original label**
- **The container is leaking or has no lid**
- **The container is larger than 5 gallon**
- **The container is empty**

Program Products and Non-Program Products

Acceptable Products (Program Products)

- **Interior and exterior paints: latex, acrylic, water-based, alkyd, oil-based, enamel (including textured coatings)**
- **Deck coatings and 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**

Unacceptable Products (Non-Program Products)

- **Paint thinner, 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**