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Hazardous Waste Facility in Willington Opening July 18, 2020

June 25, 2020 – The Regional Chemical Waste Drop-Off Facility, located at 57 Hancock Road in Willington, serves 15 towns in eastern Connecticut – Andover, Ashford, Bolton, Chaplin, Columbia, Coventry, Eastford, Ellington, Hampton, Mansfield, Scotland, Tolland, Union, Willington and Windham. Normally the facility opens in April of each year to receive residential and small business hazardous waste, but because of COVID-19, the opening has been delayed. For the 2020 season, the facility will be open on the following Saturdays from 9 am to 2 pm for residential hazardous waste disposal: July 18, August 1 & 15, September 19, October 3 & 17 and November 7.

To use the facility, residents must follow these guidelines:

1. One person per car.
2. Face mask required.
3. All waste must be in the trunk or rear compartment of the vehicle (NONE in passenger area). Your truck, hatch or tailgate should be unlocked or open.
4. Remain in the car with windows up while being waited on. Hold driver's license up to the window. (The license must reflect a member town.)
5. Containers will not be returned.
6. Aerosol paint or empty aerosol containers will not be accepted. (Other hazardous aerosols, such as bug spray or oven cleaner, will be accepted).
7. All materials should be in their original containers or clearly marked.
8. MidNEROC management will be available on open Saturdays from 8 am to 2 pm at 860-965-1910 to answer any questions.

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About the Town of Mansfield

Mansfield is a vibrant, diverse, and caring community that offers its residents and visitors unique cultural, recreational, and educational opportunities. Known for its

excellent public schools, community-wide events, inclusive and efficient government, parks and preserves, protected open spaces, and agriculture, the town is home to the main campus of the University of Connecticut. Principles of sustainability guide zoning and development, preserving the Town's historic character and providing for economic vitality. Come and enjoy the beauty and historic traditions that Mansfield has offered for more than 300 years.

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