

# Changing the way we help you dispose of hazardous household waste - tell us what you think



**North Yorkshire County Council is seeking the views of residents about how we can help you dispose of hazardous household waste in the future.**

At present residents are unable to dispose of hazardous wastes at our 20 Household Waste Recycling Centres (HWRCs). Instead the council provides a home collection service, free of charge, for hazardous waste such as white spirit, some paints and paint cleaners; weed killers and pesticide; brake fluid and anti-freeze.

We now need to look at other ways of helping residents dispose of hazardous household waste.

We are asking for your views in a consultation starting on 10 July 2017. The consultation asks questions around a number of potential options for future hazardous household waste disposal services, including:

- accepting hazardous household waste at the county's HWRCs to enable residents to dispose of it at their convenience,
- charging for home collection services for some or all types of hazardous household waste,
- ceasing to provide a home collection service for some or all types of hazardous household waste.

**Responses need  
to be with us by  
2 October 2017**

The consultation will run until 2 October 2017  
and anyone wanting to take part can do so online  
at [www.northyorks.gov.uk/hhwconsultation](http://www.northyorks.gov.uk/hhwconsultation)

Alternative format versions of the questionnaire are available on request from the County Council's customer service centre on **01609 780780** or by emailing [customer.services@northyorks.gov.uk](mailto:customer.services@northyorks.gov.uk)