

Household Hazardous Waste Collection Oct. 24

The 2026 **Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day** will be held on **Saturday, October 24** from **9 AM to 1 PM** in **Public Works Parking Lot 4 at 4 Young Lane**. No registration will be required, Newmarket Residents must only provide proof of residence. It is important to note that there will be a **limit** of waste per residence. Approved hazardous materials will be accepted **up to 10 gallons** or **20 pounds** per residence.

The following items may be brought for disposal:

Oil Based Paints, Strippers & Varnishes; Paint Thinners, Solvents, & Stains; Wood Preservatives (Except Penta); Waste Fuels Kerosene, Gasoline; Poisons, Insecticides, Fungicides; Furniture, Floor, & Metal Polishes; Photo Chemicals, Chemistry Sets; Mercury (Thermometers, Switches); Solvent Adhesives; Chemical Fertilizers; Driveway Sealer; Fiberglass Resins; Septic Tank Degreasers; Aerosol Cans (Not Empty); Rug & Upholstery Cleaner; Swimming Pool Chemicals; Antifreeze, Engine Degreasers; Transmission Fluid, Car Wax; No Pest Strips, Flea Powder; Weed Killer, Mothballs; Rubber Cement, Airplane Glue; Oven, Toilet Bowl & Drain Cleaners; and Charcoal Lighter Fluid

Any inquires may be directed to the Newmarket Public Works Department at **(603) 659-3093 ext. 1800** between the hours of **8 AM to 2 PM**.

Newmarket Newsletter – Meeting Recap & What's Ahead

This week at Town Hall

Planning Board (Oct 13). The board approved a boundary line adjustment at 401 Wadleigh Falls Road that moves a shared gravel drive onto one lot. It continued two items to November 10: Seacoast Materials' excavation permit renewal, pending a joint site visit with the Conservation Commission, and a proposed three-unit townhouse at 37 Exeter Road. The board also heard that the school district is studying an athletic facility with a stadium and two fields on the Carpenter property behind Riverbend.

Transportation Committee (Oct 14). The committee chose the Spring Street and Zion Hill neighborhood as its focus for street planning. A wayfinding survey drew 61 responses. Residents asked for better signs to parks, parking, the Riverwalk and the Rec Center, in a traditional, historic style. Residents also raised construction safety on Bennett Way and missing street name signs on Main Street. One committee seat is open.

School Board (Oct 15). Thursday's agenda focused on the budget: financial reports, October enrollment and projections, and a vote on a December art trip to the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston. The board meets next on November 5.

Saturday: School budget workshop

The School Board presents its first draft of the 2027-28 budget on **Saturday, October 17, at 9:00 AM in the JSHS Library**. Tax cap discussion follows, with a Town Council presentation on October 21 and a public hearing on October 27.

Around town

Sat, Oct. 17: School Board Budget Workshop, 9:00 AM, JSHS Library

Mon, Oct. 19: [Zoning Board of Adjustment](#)

Wed, Oct. 21: [Town Council Meeting](#)

Sat, Oct. 24: [The Annual Halloween Haunt](#)

Mon, Oct. 26: [Budget Committee Meeting](#)

Tues, Oct. 27: Public hearing on the HS1300 tax cap

Wed, Oct. 28: [Energy & Environment Advisory Committee](#)

Where to watch

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