# 2026 BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY

# HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION EVENTS

## *Take your hazardous waste to a safer place!*

### PARAMUS

Bergen Community College
400 Paramus Road
*(Entry via Paramus Rd. ONLY)*

**SUNDAY**
April 19
June 7
October 18

**9:00 am - 3:00 pm**

### MAHWAH

Bergen County Campgaw Mountain Reservation
200 Campgaw Road *(Ski Area)*

**SATURDAY**
May 16
July 18
September 19

**9:00 am - 3:00 pm**

### MOONACHIE

Bergen County Utilities Authority
98 Empire Blvd.
*(Entry via Empire Blvd. ONLY)*

**SATURDAY**
March 7
November 14

**9:00 am - 3:00 pm**

*All collection sites open (rain or shine) at 9:00 a.m. and close promptly at 3:00 p.m.*

***FREE OF CHARGE FOR BERGEN COUNTY RESIDENTS ONLY - ID REQUIRED!***

***NO COMMERCIAL VEHICLES ALLOWED.***
*Absolutely no business or commercial waste will be accepted.*

**DO NOT BRING**
**electronics, paper for shredding, or tires to hazardous waste collections!!**

*Visit www.bcua.org for additional information.*

Recycle!
Printed on recycled paper.

***NO RETURNS. This includes gasoline and motor oil containers. Please plan accordingly.***

## ACCEPTABLE MATERIALS FOR WASTE COLLECTIONS

- Aerosol Cans
- Anti-Freeze
- Batteries (vehicle & rechargeable only)
- Blacktop sealers
- Bug spray
- Disinfectants
- Drain Cleaners
- Fertilizer
- Fire Extinguishers
- Fluorescent Light Bulbs
- Gasoline
- Glue
- Herbicides
- Insecticides
- Kerosene
- Lighter Fluid
- Mercury Switches
- Oil Filters (used)
- Paints & Varnishes - All Types
- Pesticides
- Photographic Chemicals
- Propane Gas Cylinders (1 lb. and 20 lb. only)
- Solvents & Thinners
- Thermostats
- Thermometers
- Used Motor Oil

**For a complete listing go to www.bcua.org**
**Materials not in original containers must be labeled.**

## UNACCEPTABLE MATERIALS FOR WASTE COLLECTIONS

- Any business or commercial generated waste
- Empty containers or hardened paint cans are garbage
- Alkaline batteries (AA, AAA, C, D, 9V) dispose in normal trash
- Unlabeled waste or containers with unknown contents
- Regulated medical waste, sharps, radioactive materials, and explosives
- Containers larger than five (5) gallons
- Any compressed cylinders (e.g. oxygen or acetylene)
- Pressure-treated lumber or railroad ties
- Computers, electronics, and tires are NOT accepted at waste collections.
- Smoke Detectors
- Construction/demolition debris

**If you need help in the disposal of unacceptable waste, please call 201-807-5825 or visit us at www.bcua.org**

## Directions to Collection Sites

### Directions to BERGEN COMMUNITY COLLEGE: 400 Paramus Rd., Paramus, NJ *(Entry via Paramus Rd. ONLY)*

***From the North (via Route 17)***
Turn right off Route 17 South onto Ridgewood Avenue (West) to Paramus Road. Turn left onto Paramus Road and continue approximately two miles to college; proceed around jug handle to main entrance.

***From the East***
Take Route 4 West to Paramus Road (Paramus Road is ¾ miles past Route 17 intersection.) Turn right onto Paramus Road and proceed north approximately two miles to Bergen Community College entrance on right.

***From the South (via Route 17)***
Take Route 17 North to Century Road exit, second exit to the right, proceed around cloverleaf over Route 17 onto Century Road (West). Continue to Paramus Road and turn right onto Paramus Road to college entrance on right.

***From the West***
Take Route 4 East to Paramus Road (exit under overpass). Turn right onto Paramus Road and proceed north for approximately two miles to college entrance on right.

### Directions to BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY: 98 Empire Blvd., Moonachie, NJ *(Entry via Empire Blvd., Moonachie ONLY. NO entry via Mehrhof Rd., Little Ferry)*

***Traveling Route 17 North***
Exit at Moonachie/Wood-Ridge exit. Make right at light onto Moonachie Ave. Pass Teterboro Airport (on your left) and continue going straight until road ends into BCUA facilities.

***Traveling Route 17 South***
Exit at Moonachie/Wood-Ridge exit. (Exit is by The Fiesta.) Make left at light onto Moonachie Avenue. Pass Teterboro Airport (on your left) and continue going straight until road ends into BCUA facilities.

### Directions to BERGEN COUNTY CAMPGAW MOUNTAIN RESERVATION: 200 Campgaw Rd., Mahwah, NJ *(Ski Area)*

***Traveling Route 17 North***
Take Route 202 (Morristown/Suffern) exit. Make left at stop sign. Pass Ramapo College on left. Make left onto Darlington Avenue; bear right at fork onto Campgaw Road. The Reservation is approximately 1.5 miles on the right.

***Traveling Route 208 West***
Take Rt. 202/Ramapo Valley Road North. Right onto Darlington Avenue, bear right at fork onto Campgaw Road. The Reservation is on the right.