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Steve Nass

County Board Chairman

The Jefferson County Clean Sweep Program serves the residents of Jefferson County. The annual program has proven successful in helping to keep hazardous waste out of the landfill. Without a Clean Sweep Program, the citizens of Jefferson County have no way to properly dispose of hazardous household chemicals.

2025 highlights include:

- Two successful Clean Sweep events; Spring in Jefferson and Fall in Watertown
 - 42,790 pounds of hazardous household waste, 8,218 pounds of agricultural waste, 5,184 pounds of small business waste and 469 tires collected
 - Partnering with Walworth County, which offers two events that Jefferson County residents may attend
- Three Electronic & Appliance Recycling Events; two in Jefferson and one in Lake Mills
 - 96,767 pounds of electronic waste collected & recycled
 - 12,148 pounds of appliances collected & recycled
- Two Unused Prescription Drug Take-Back Events; Spring in Fort Atkinson and Fall in Lake Mills
 - 2,438 pounds of pharmaceuticals collected
 - Maintained 10 drug drop-off boxes at local police & Jefferson County Sheriff Departments

In 2026, we will continue to:

- Offer two Clean Sweep events for hazardous waste disposal
- Continue our inter-county partnership with Walworth County
- Develop new partnerships with Waukesha & Dane Counties to provide additional collection opportunities
- Provide three Electronic & Appliance Recycling Events
- Coordinate 10 drug drop-off boxes throughout the county
- Host Spring & Fall drug take-back events
- Educate the public on recycling best practices through flyers, ads and attendance at community events
- Develop community partnerships to further recycling education
- Increase participation by local businesses and farms at our hazardous waste collection events

The Jefferson County Clean Sweep Program is an essential service for residents, agricultural communities and small businesses within the County. The program provides proper disposal for hazardous waste chemicals, recycling events for electronics and appliances and drop-off sites for pharmaceutical drugs. Providing proper disposal methods for these items ensures a cleaner, safer community and environment. These programs are funded by grants, individual and corporate contributions and host fees from Waste Management Deer Track Park Landfill. Grant funding and host fees continue to decrease.

We are thankful for the contributions received from Jefferson County towns, cities, villages, businesses and residents. The City of Watertown is a generous supporter of the program. We deeply appreciate the support received from our donors and their continued commitment to this important program. Thank you in advance for considering a donation to the Clean Sweep Program.

We are always open to new ideas and recycling strategies. Please contact Sustainable Waste Programs Coordinator Kim Buchholz at (920) 674-7430 or kimb@jeffersoncountywi.gov with any questions, concerns or ideas regarding Jefferson County's Clean Sweep and Recycling programs.

Respectfully,

Steve Nass, Chairperson
Jefferson County Board of Supervisors

Joan Callen, Chair
Solid Waste & Air Quality Committee



2026 Clean Sweep Contribution Sheet



The Jefferson County Clean Sweep Program appreciates your contributions to help safely and properly dispose of chemicals, unwanted or expired pharmaceuticals, electronics and appliances. The Clean Sweep and recycling programs offer resources for the appropriate disposal of hazardous substances to keep them out of the community and surrounding environment. By working together as a community, we provide Jefferson County residents and businesses the means to safely dispose of hazardous waste materials. We are grateful for your support. Thank you in advance for your consideration and continued support.

Please fill out your contact information below and return it with your contribution to:

Clean Sweep Program
Jefferson County Courthouse
311 South Center Avenue – Room C1040
Jefferson, WI 53549

For questions, please contact Kim Buchholz at (920) 674-7430 or kimb@jeffersoncountywi.gov

Contact Name _____

Town, City, Village or Business Name _____

Address _____

City _____ **Zip** _____

Email _____ **Phone** _____

Please circle:

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\$250	\$300	\$350	\$400	\$500	\$600
\$700	\$800	\$900	\$1,000	\$1,500	\$2,500
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Thank you for your support!