



HAZMOBILE AT THE WAIPUKURAU TRANSFER STATION THIS WEEKEND

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CHB District Council is pleased to be part of the Spring Fling promotions, giving local residents the opportunity to dispose of their hazardous waste and e-waste for free this weekend.

Central Hawke's Bay residents with unwanted paints, oil, batteries and dangerous chemicals lying around on their properties can dispose of them safely at the Hazmobile. The Hazmobile will in operation at the Waipukurau Transfer Station between 10am and 2pm on Saturday 9th September and will also be accepting e-waste including old tv's, computers, printers and electronic equipment. All received items will be recycled where possible.

As part of Project Thrive the strong message came through from conversations with various communities about "A proud and prosperous district with strong communities, and connected citizens, who respect and celebrate nature".

The Hazmobile is a great opportunity for waste to be disposed of in an environmentally friendly fashion and safeguards our environment as well as creating safer homes in our district. Removing hazardous chemicals from the waste system prevents them leaching into our rivers and into the environment and causing other problems.

With over 30 standouts events on offer as part of the Spring Fling, it's a great time to have a spring clean and for everyone to tidy up their properties and showcase our beautiful district to visitors.

As part of the Spring Fling Blooming Deals, Council is also offering local residents the opportunity to dispose of their greenwaste for free at participating transfer stations this weekend. Saturday 9 September at the Waipukurau Transfer Station and on Sunday 10 September at Waipawa, Takapau and Porangahau Transfer Stations.

Council encourages residents to look on the council website www.chbdc.govt.nz to see what items are accepted at the Hazmobile and present proof of address when offloading their unwanted items.

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