

Oil and Oil Filters

Used motor oil never wears out. Contaminants can be removed through a refining process. This refining takes 70% less energy than the 42 gallons of high-quality crude oil it takes to produce 2½ quarts of new oil.

One quart of oil disposed of improperly, can pollute 250,000 gallons of drinking water.

**RECYCLING... THE ONLY
RIGHT SOLUTION!**

Used motor oil and filters can be recycled! Oil can be used as a replacement fuel or re-refined. Filters are recycled into new metal products.

**DO NOT
BURN OR MIX OIL WITH ANY OTHER PRODUCT.
RECYCLE USED OIL and FILTERS!**

It is illegal to:

- pour used oil on the ground
- pour used oil down a drain or sewer
- put used oil in the trash
- apply used oil to roads for dust suppression

Retailers who sell motor oil are required to post a sign or provide a telephone number identifying the location of the closest collection site for used oil.

**SIMPLE STEPS TO RESPONSIBLE
USED OIL AND USED OIL
FILTER RECYCLING**

1. Drain your used oil into a clean plastic container that can be sealed.
2. Use milk jugs, oil bottles or water bottles with a lid.
3. Drain used oil filters into an appropriate storage container.
4. Place oil filter into a leak proof container (coffee can with lid or plastic bag).
5. Bring used oil and oil filters to be recycled.

**Faribault COUNTY BUSINESSES THAT
ACCEPT USED OIL AND FILTERS**

	<u>Easton, MN</u>	
Sonnek's Service (oil only)		(507) 787-2256
	<u>Elmore, MN</u>	
Jerry's Tire and Service		(507) 943-3557
	<u>Blue Earth, MN</u>	
Blue Earth Auto & Truck		(507) 526-3996
	<u>Wells, MN</u>	
Neubauer Oil(oil only)		(507) 553-5242
Schroeder Electric		(507) 520-0707
	<u>Winnebago, MN</u>	
John's Auto Service		(507) 893-3540
Check the phone book for additional listings		

***A fee is charged for oil filters.**

**RURAL / FARM
RECYCLING OPTIONS**

Rural / farm residents can dispose of used oil and oil filters through a licensed hauler / reclaimer. **A fee is charged for oil filters.**

C & D Oil Co., Mapleton, MN (507) 524-3126

Hoffman Filter Service, St. James, MN (507) 375-5812

J & D Waste Oil Inc., St. James, MN (507) 375-5107

US Filters, Ormsby, MN (507) 375-4507

Empty Oil Containers

Oil containers are **NOT RECYCLABLE** and should be placed with regular garbage.

For more information or questions call: Prairieland Solid Waste Coordinator (507) 776-3232