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In conjunction with Earth Day, the Alexander County Household Hazardous Waste/Shred It Day will take place **Saturday, April 27**, in the **County Administration building parking lot**. The purpose of this event is to give county residents an opportunity to dispose of environmentally harmful materials (that are found around the home) and personal documents in a safe and environmentally friendly manner. Listed below are some of the items that can be disposed of at the HHW/Shred It Day.

-Household Cleaners, including drain openers, toilet bowl cleaners, oven cleaners, and disinfectants;

-Paint Products, such as latex and oil based paint, solvents, thinners, shellacs, varnishes, wood preservatives, and sealers;

-Pesticides which include herbicides, insecticides, and fungicides in the forms of aerosols, liquids, granular, etc.

-Miscellaneous items such as acids, bases, kerosene, household batteries, photographic chemicals, fluorescent bulbs, electronics, aerosol cans, pool chemicals, propane gas cylinders and metallic mercury.

-Any type of personal documents for shredding. Material will be shredded on site, in front of you.

The HHW/Shred It Day is a free service for the residents of Alexander County only, **businesses will not be allowed**, with the exception of farmers. Farmers are welcome to dispose of pesticides, including herbicides, insecticides, and fungicides in aerosol, liquid, or granular form, free of charge.

Sponsors for the HHW/Shred It Day are Alexander County Government, Alexander County Cooperative Extension Service, and the United States Department of Agriculture. The Alexander County Administration Office is located beside the Senior Center off Liledoun Rd. **Operating hours will be 9:00a.m. until 1:00p.m. Saturday April 27.** For additional information please contact the Alexander County Solid Waste/Recycling Department @ 632-1101 or Cooperative Extension @ 632-4451