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# Household Hazardous Waste Grant Program

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# Purpose of HHW Grants

- To reduce the amount of HHW disposed in solid waste landfills
- Examples of HHW include paint, batteries, and chemicals, i.e. hazardous waste, not solid waste, disposed by households

# Eligible Applicants for HHW Grants

- All California cities, counties, local agencies
- Indian Reservations and Rancherias
- Direct responsibility for HHW management
- Individual jurisdiction or regional

# Eligible HHW Grant Activities

- Planning, design, construction and/or expansion of HHW permanent collection facilities
- Temporary or mobile collection
- Public education
- EPR and retail take back
- Sharps collection allowed under SB 1305 (not an HHW)
- Pharmaceutical waste not eligible

# Status of HHW Funding

- FY 09/10 (Cycle 18) awards made in July 2009, \$1.5 M for 7 awardees (down from \$5M)
- Funding for FY 10/11 unknown, depends on state budget and IWMA

# Summary of Active HHW Grants

Cycle 18- just awarded

Cycle 17- \$ 5 M, (08/09), 18 grants

Cycle 16F- \$4.8 M, (07/08)

- Examples: County of Los Angeles Sharps Collection and;
- City of Folsom, Sharps Collection, Universal Waste, and Safer Alternative Pesticides

# For more information on HHW Grants and Programs

<http://www.ciwmb.ca.gov/HHW/Grants>

Grants database to generate reports  
based on county and cycles

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Local Government Household  
Hazardous Waste Elements