TITLE: WASTE PAINT THINNER AND CLEANER DISPOSAL

Regulatory Citation: 6 NYCRR Part 367.2

Applicability: Waste paint thinner and cleaners generated by painting and solvent cleaning tasks in shop areas.

Purpose: Proper handling, storage and disposal of waste paint thinner, paint rollers and brushes and cleaners

Person or Department Responsible: Maintenance Supervisor

Schedule: As needed

Procedures: All waste paint thinners and solvent cleaners generated in the shop areas will be placed in a 2 gallon fire safety container labeled “Hazardous Waste” and “Waste Flammable Liquids” located in the Maintenance Shop, flammable storage cabinet. The container must be closed at all times unless adding waste. Once the container is full or every 6 months, the Director will make arrangements for pick up by the approved hazardous waste vendor. The waste shipping record will be signed by the Director of EHS or designee and kept in the EHS files.

Used solvent based paint rollers and brushes will be placed in covered waste fire safety container labeled, “Hazardous Waste” and “Solvent-based Paint Waste products”. The container will be transferred to Cogan, properly label as a hazardous waste and the label dated. The Director of EHS will arrange disposal with the College’s approved haz waste disposal vendor.

Final disposition of the waste and recordkeeping is handled by the Director of Environmental Health & Safety.

Record keeping: hazardous waste manifests

Record Location: EHS Office, environmental files

Current vendor: Precision Industrial

Contact: Director of Environmental Health and Safety (629-7163)
Exec Mgr Physical Plant (629-7427)
Assistant to Exec Mgr (629-7361)

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