

## Food Safety and Pesticide Safety: Resource Guide

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### Masks:

**Masks should only be used one time, and need to be made for use while spraying chemicals. Example of acceptable mask to use while measuring and spraying chemicals: 3M particulate respirator 8271 P95**



Single use, dual-strap mask from 3M with exhale valve

\$2.60 each

Where to buy:

<http://www.gemplers.com> 1-800-382-8473

<http://www.shop3m.com/> 1-800-234-8068

### Aprons:

**Aprons should be vinyl or nitrile and washable. Example of acceptable apron: Gempler's 35 mil nitrile apron. Apron should be washed (by hand) after use.**



Gempler's PVC apron 18 mil

\$5.95 each

Where to buy:

<http://www.gemplers.com> 1-800-382-8473

## **Gloves:**

Gloves should be at least 15 mils thick. Wash gloves by washing your hands with the gloves on. Gloves can be used many times.



Unlined nitrile gloves. 15 mil.

\$2.95 each

Where to buy:

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## **Disposal of Bottles Partially Filled with Chemicals**

Empty or partially-used chemical bottles should not be thrown in the garbage or household recycling container. You should bring the bottles to your county Household Hazardous Waste Collection center. Please contact your county for their hours of operation. You must be a resident of the county to drop off at their location. You will need to show ID when you drop off.

For more information: <http://www.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/living-green/living-green-citizen/household-hazardous-waste/list.html>

### **Washington County**

Environmental Center  
4039 Cottage Grove Dr  
Woodbury, MN 55129  
(651) 430-6655

### **Dakota County**

The Recycling Zone  
3365 Dodd Rd  
Eagan, MN 55121  
(952) 891-7548

### **Hennepin County**

South Hennepin Drop-off Center  
1400 W 96th St  
Bloomington, MN 55431  
(612) 348-3777

### **Ramsey County**

Bay West  
5 Empire Dr  
Saint Paul, MN 55103  
(651) 633-3279

### **Anoka County**

HHW Facility  
3230 101st Ave NE  
Blaine, MN 55449-6924  
(763) 323-5730