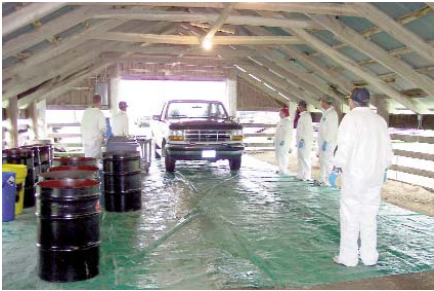


PROJECT SPOTLIGHT | SOLID WASTE ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM (SWAP) GRANT - WAYNE-RINGGOLD-DECATUR LANDFILL - GRAND RIVER, IOWA

SCOPE OF PROJECT

The residents of the Wayne-Ringgold-Decatur Solid Waste Commission planning area did not currently have a convenient means to properly dispose of household hazardous material (HHM). Through the vision planning/comprehensive plan update process, the commission determined that the possibility of a HHM satellite facility located at the landfill should be reviewed. However, while this review was underway, a program to collect the HHM from residents was needed.



IMPLEMENTATION

BARKER LEMAR developed a project plan and applied for a grant from the state for the commission. The state awarded the grant to the commission in 2003.

BARKER LEMAR developed educational and event promotion materials for the commission. **BARKER LEMAR** also served as a liaison between the commission and the state. This allowed each of the three counties to focus their energies on site preparation and management.

BARKER LEMAR staff was on hand during the Toxic Cleanup Day event to assist with management of all project activities.

SERVICES

Grant writing; event promotional material; educational material; site/event map development; event activity development.

TIMELINE

Project Start Date: July 2003

Project Completed: October 2003

