

**Caulk and Caulking Tubes** – Caulk and caulking tubes should be separated from building materials. *Completely empty* tubes may be placed in the trash.

*Disposal* – Caulk can be disposed of at solid waste facilities **unless** it has these words on the label – “danger,” “warning,” “caution,” “flammable,” “combustible,” or “corrosive.” Residents should then bring it to a household hazardous waste collection site. See [Household Hazardous Waste Collection](#).

**Businesses:** Unless caulk is water soluble, it should be treated as hazardous waste. If the containers are completely empty, they may be thrown in the regular trash. Caulk should be taken to a Clean Shop or VSQG collection. See [Clean Shop Collections, Hazardous Waste, and VSQG](#).