

Requested by Representative SMITH DB

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
HOUSE BILL 2955**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, after the first semicolon delete the
2 rest of the line and delete line 3 and insert “and prescribing an effective
3 date.

4 “Whereas access to household hazardous waste collection positively im-
5 pacts our environment; and

6 “Whereas information is needed to identify communities not currently
7 served by household hazardous waste collection services and the sizes of
8 their population centers; and

9 “Whereas the safe disposal of pesticides is a primary concern, with dis-
10 posal of household paint and pharmaceuticals currently serviced through
11 other programs; now, therefore,”.

12 Delete lines 5 through 25 and delete pages 2 through 9 and insert:

13 **“SECTION 1. (1)(a) The Department of Environmental Quality shall**
14 **identify counties in this state that lack a permanent household haz-**
15 **ardous waste collection depot and that do not hold periodic collection**
16 **events for household hazardous waste; and**

17 **“(b) Within the counties identified under paragraph (a) of this**
18 **subsection, the department shall identify any county that contains all**
19 **or part of a city with a population of 25,000 or greater.**

20 **“(2) The department, in consultation with the State Department of**
21 **Agriculture and local governments, shall study and evaluate options**

1 for providing household pesticide waste disposal services to counties
2 identified under subsection (1) of this section through:

3 “(a) Expanding the State Department of Agriculture’s waste pesti-
4 cide collection program to provide:

5 “(A) At least one household pesticide waste collection event every
6 year in counties described in subsection (1) of this section that contain
7 all or part of a city with a population of 25,000 or greater; and

8 “(B) At least one household pesticide waste collection event every
9 two years in counties described in subsection (1) of this section that
10 do not contain all or part of a city with a population of 25,000 or
11 greater; or

12 “(b) Expanding periodic collection events for household hazardous
13 waste to provide:

14 “(A) At least one collection event for household hazardous waste
15 every year in counties described in subsection (1) of this section that
16 contain all or part of a city with a population of 25,000 or greater; and

17 “(B) At least one collection event for household hazardous waste
18 every two years in counties described in subsection (1) of this section
19 that do not contain all or part of a city with a population of 25,000 or
20 greater.

21 “(3) No later than September 15, 2022, the Department of Environ-
22 mental Quality shall provide the results of the study conducted under
23 subsections (1) and (2) of this section to the interim committees of the
24 Legislative Assembly related to the environment in the manner pro-
25 vided under ORS 192.245.

26 “SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2021 Act is repealed on January 2,
27 2023.

28 “SECTION 3. This 2021 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the
29 date on which the 2021 regular session of the Eighty-first Legislative
30 Assembly adjourns sine die.”.

