



GRAND TARGHEE RESORT

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GRAND TARGHEE HOSTS SUCCESSFUL HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION DAY

Nearly 350 gallons of liquid, flammable materials, 100 lbs. of solid hazardous and electronic waste, 10 gallons of used motor oil and 2 gallons of used anti-freeze were collected last Monday at Grand Targhee's first ever Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) collection day. "Our goal was to offer employees and the Resort the opportunity to divert hazardous chemicals and materials from entering the landfill; this is consistent with our Sustainability Charter," said Christina Thomure, Director of Sustainable Operations. Most of the items will go to the HHW collection facility in Jackson.

In conjunction with this program, employees were also encouraged to bring in their incandescent light bulbs and exchange them for compact fluorescent bulbs, courtesy of Fall River Electric. Over 100 bulbs were handed out. "Each bulb is 80% more efficient than an incandescent, and lasts six times as long" said Thomure.

Contact Grand Targhee Resort for a brochure on their sustainable operations or download at www.grandtarghee.com. Grand Targhee is a full-service, year-round resort located in Alta, Wyoming. Situated on the western slope of the Teton Mountains, Grand Targhee is located in the Caribou-Targhee National forest, and adjacent to the Jedediah Smith Wilderness Area. Famous for abundant snowfall, Grand Targhee offers a multitude of activities for the entire family. Grand Targhee will reopen for summer operation on Saturday, June 2 and offers year-round lodging in their Teton Valley lodging units. Visit www.grandtarghee.com. for a complete listing of summer activities, events and music festivals.