# Reduce Waste and Save Money

# THINK: B.U.D.



# Buy Only What You Need

Get the right kind in the right amount

It might seem like a better deal to buy a gallon of paint instead of a quart, but if you end up throwing out half of that gallon, you haven't saved yourself any money. Plan ahead when buying paint, cleaners and automotive products to get the right kind in the right amount.



### Use It All Up

Use it or give it to a friend

It's easy to get bored with personal care products and household cleaners and want to try something new. When you feel like getting rid of your shampoo or cleaner, check with your friends or family to see if they would be able to use it.



# Dispose of it Safely

Bring it to an Event Day

Always dispose of hazardous waste at one of the Township's Hazardous Waste Event days. Never place personal care products, paint, automotive fluids or cleaners in your garbage bag.



### **Try Less Hazardous Options**

Look for real ingredients

As you use up your supply of household cleaners, try switching to natural cleaners like vinegar or baking soda. These are not only multi-purpose, but can be purchased at a significant savings. If buying cleaners, look for real ingredients you know.



#### What is Hazardous?

www.mindenhills.ca/landfill

For a list of products considered hazardous waste in the Township of Minden Hills, please check out our website or call 705–286–1260.