



PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, The Wabash County Solid Waste Management District hosts annual events to collect and safely dispose of hazardous material, including expired pharmaceuticals; and
- WHEREAS, Pharmaceuticals should not be thrown in the trash, flushed down the drain, or burned in the open; and
- WHEREAS, Pharmaceuticals can be an accidental health threat, contaminate the environment, damage sewage treatment plants or septic systems, or be scavenged from trash receptacles; and
- WHEREAS, The Wabash County Solid Waste Management District is partnering with Wabash County Commissioners, Wabash County Sheriff's Dept., AARP Indiana, Wabash County AARP Chapter 2866, City of Wabash, Community Services of North Manchester, Family Physicians of North Manchester, North Manchester Police Dept., Town of LaFontaine, Wabash County Council on Aging, Wabash County Hospital, and Wabash Police Dept.

Now, Therefore, We, the Wabash County Board of Commissioners, do hereby proclaim the last full week of September as

*Eliminate Expired Drugs Environmentally Week*

PROCLAIMED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2003  
THE WABASH COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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