

**MOHAWKS OF THE BAY  
OF QUINTE**

**CURBSIDE WASTE  
AND  
RECYCLING COLLECTION**

**POLICY**

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<b>TABLE OF COMPLETION AND REVISIONS</b>
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## **INTRODUCTION**

The purpose of this policy is to provide guidelines for homeowners, lessees, renters and non profit organizations participating in the curbside collection program.

1.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- a. The curbside collection program is available to all homeowners, lessees, renters and non profit organizations located on the Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory.

2.

**CURBSIDE COLLECTION  
OPERATIONS**

- a. Every Monday is designated for East Route waste collection as outlined in Schedule A.
- b. Every Tuesday is designated for West Route waste collection as outlined in Schedule A.
- c. Household waste is to be put in regular size garbage bags, tightly sealed and not weigh more than 50 lbs.
- d. Garbage bags at the curb must have an MBQ bag tag.
- e. Garbage bags are to be placed at the curbside as designated by 8:00 am the morning of pickup.

3.

**WASTE**

- a. Acceptable material will be general household waste as defined by the Ministry of the Environment.
- b. The following are considered unacceptable materials and are not included in the curbside collection program:
  - i. Construction material, automobile components or parts, animal carcasses, boulders, tree stumps, and other bulky or weighty articles not normally included in household waste.
  - ii. Waste which the Ministry of Environment designates may not be collected, transported or disposed.
  - iii. Liquid industrial waste, sewage, and other hazardous wastes. Refer Schedule C.

- c. The above is not considered an exhaustive list of unacceptable material. Therefore, Tyendingaga Mohawk Council reserves the right at their discretion to accept or deny any material for inclusion in the curbside collection program.

4.

**BAG TAGS**

- a. Bag tags can be purchased at the designated local retailers at a cost of \$1.50 and can only be purchased by the sheet (10 bag tags per sheet).
- b. The bag tag should be looped around the neck of the bag and have it meet at the end producing a little "flag". The Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte logo should be displayed on one side and the bag tag number on the other side. It must be clearly visible to the collector or MBQ may refuse collection.

5.

**RECYCLABLES**

- a. Recycling collection is free of charge.
- b. Acceptable recycling materials are outlined in schedule B.
- c. Every Thursday is designated for East route recyclable collection as outlined in Schedule A.
- d. Every Friday is designated for West route recyclable collection as outlined in Schedule A.
- e. Each week will alternate in type of recyclable pickup as per coloured coded schedule.
- f. One week will be for paper fibers and containers and the next week shall be for paper fibers and clear glass.
- g. Paper fibers are defined as, paper, box board and cardboard (broken down).
- h. Containers are defined as, cans and plastics (can be mixed together)
- i. Recyclable boxes are to be placed at the curbside by 8:00 am the morning of pickup.

6.

**HOLIDAYS**

- a. No collections will be made on the following holidays:

New Year's Day	Labour Day
Good Friday	Thanksgiving Day
Victoria Day	Christmas Day
Canada Day	Civic Holiday
Remembrance Day	National Aboriginal Day

- b. Notification of alternative pick up dates shall be distributed in advance of the statutory holidays.

7.

**HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS  
WASTE**

- a. Household Hazardous Waste items are not included in the curbside collection program. Household hazardous waste as outlined in Schedule C shall be deposited at the Waste Depot in the designated shed located on Airport Road.

8.

**DISPOSAL OF METAL ITEMS**

- a. Metal items are not included in the curbside collection program. For example, refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, humidifiers, dehumidifiers, stoves, washers, dryers, dishwashers, microwaves, barbecues and electronic items. These items may be disposed of at the Waste Depot located on the Airport Road in the designated bin at no charge.

9.

**TIRES**

- a. Tires may be disposed of at the Waste Depot located on the Airport Road for a fee of \$3.00 per tire.

10.

**ACCEPTANCE**

- a. Duly accepted by a quorum of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council this 4 day of January, 2008.

  
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R. Donald Maracle, Chief

## **SCHEDULE “A” COLLECTION ROUTES**

The designated curbside collection routes are as follows:

### **West**

Atsia Court  
Beach Road  
Billy Brew’s Road  
Brant Street  
Brock Street  
Cannery Road  
Dundas Street  
Eli’s Lane North  
Eli’s Lane South

Iona’s Road  
Mark’s Road  
Milltown Road  
Norway’s Road  
Old Hwy 2 North  
Old York Road  
Queen Street  
Ridge Road  
Shannonville Road  
Snookie’s Road  
Tom’s Road  
Upper Slash  
Wyman’s Road  
York Road  
Young Street

### **East**

Airport Road  
Bayshore Road  
Bell’s Road  
Cedar Glenn Road  
Church Lane North  
Church Lane South  
Clarence Road  
Depot Road  
Deserontyon Drive  
Deyoronseh Drive  
Ferry Lane  
Gordon Road  
Gussy’s Lane  
Gypsy Lane  
Hickory Road  
Homeland Drive  
Huron Brant Drive  
Huron Brant Drive North  
Hwy 49  
Johnson’s Lane  
Lower Slash Road  
Mowbray’s Road  
North Street  
Old Hwy 2 South  
Oronhyatikha Court  
Sero’s Road

**SCHEDULE B  
DEFINED RECYCLING MATERIALS**

<b>Metal Cans &amp; Foil</b>	<b>Empty Aerosol Cans and Styrofoam</b>	<b>Plastic Containers</b>	<b>Bottles and Jars</b>
<p>Rinse cans. Place lids in a can, pinch closed and put loose in blue bin.</p> <p><b>DO NOT PUT ALUMINUM CANS INSIDE TIN ONES.</b></p> <p>Include clean aluminum foil and pie plates. Flattened cans save space!</p> <p>NO pots, cigarette or butter wrappers or scrap metal.</p>	<p>Make sure metal containers are empty.</p> <p>NO paint cans, or plastic paint cans, propane cylinders or other hazardous waste shall be recycled.</p>	<p>Discard tops and rinse containers for soft drinks, detergents, juice, bleach, shampoo, dairy products as well as clear and foam plastic cups, trays and packaging. Flatten soft drink containers and replace lids.</p> <p>All plastics with the numbers 1 to 6 on the bottom are OK. No blister or bubblepacks, prescription bottles or toys.</p>	<p>Remove and rinse caps and lids. Metal lids can be recycled with cans. Leave loose in the blue bin. Don't bag them.</p> <p>No other types of glass such as kitchenware, ceramics, dishes, drinking glasses, window glass, light bulbs or mirrors.</p>
<b>Boxboard and Mixed Paper</b>	<b>Plastic Bags</b>	<b>Corrugated Cardboard</b>	<b>Newspapers and Magazines</b>
<p>Bundle junk mail and office paper separately from Boxboard.</p> <p>Flatten and stuff boxboard into a large box.</p> <p>Boxboard includes cereal, shoe and detergent boxes as well as rinsed milk and juice cartons, paper bags, sugar &amp; flour bags, cardboard tubes, books (hard-cover &amp; paperback), egg cartons and other clean paper packaging.</p> <p>No drink boxes, tissue, paper towel or laminated paper. Do not put paper loose in blue bin.</p>	<p>Stuff clean, dry plastic bags into a plastic bag and tie handles. Include rinsed milk pouches, grocery, bread, dry cleaning, frozen vegetable and blue newspaper bags as well as outer wrapper from toilet and hand tissues. Remove food residue, stickers and receipts. No meat, cheese or stretch wrap, cereal box liners or chip bags.</p>	<p>Flatten and bundle corrugated cardboard boxes.</p> <p>Only broken down boxes will be collected.</p> <p>No waxed boxes.</p>	<p>Place newspapers, inserts, phone books, magazines and catalogues in a plastic bag next to your blue bin.</p> <p>No soiled newspaper.</p> <p>Keep boxboard and mixed paper separate, not mixed with newspaper and magazines.</p>

**SCHEDULE C  
DEFINED HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE**

The following items are considered Household Hazardous Waste and shall not be included in the curbside collection program:

Kitchen	Bathroom	Garage	Garden Shed	Workshop
Abrasive powders, ammonia-based cleaners, chlorine bleach, disinfectants, drain decloggers, floor & furniture polish, oven cleaners, metal cleaners/polish, window, glass cleaners	Aftershave, perfume, depilatories, hair lotions, dyes, medicines, nail polish, remover, shoe polish	Transmission fluid, batteries, antifreeze, brake fluids, body filler, auto spray paint, car wax, fuel ( kerosene, diesel), windshield washer	Fertilizers, pesticides, rat & mouse poison, roach tanks ( up to 20 lb. tanks), pool chemicals	glues and cements, paints (latex & alkyd max. 20 4 litre cans or 420 litre pails), paint strippers, rust remover, stains, finishes, thinners & turpentine, wood preservatives, mothballs, flea collars & sprays
Laundry	General			
Chlorine bleach, stain removers	Air purifiers, batteries (dry cell), butane lighters and cylinders, lighter fluid			

**Household hazardous materials should be deposited at the HHW garage.**