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RE: Garbage and Recycle Information

The County of Wellington curb/roadside garbage collection and blue box program is not yet available in your area. For your convenience we would like to provide you with the following waste management options:

1. Private Garbage Disposal Companies

Bennett's Waste Disposal

4 Sims Gate
Georgetown, ON L7G 1B8
(905) 873-4808

Murray Lake

Residence: (519) 856-0681

Wasteco – Guelph Location

235 Curtis Drive
Guelph, Ontario N1K 1Y3
(519) 836-1610
Toll Free: 1-877-422-9522
Website: <http://www.wastecogroup.com/>

2. County of Wellington – Landfill Sites and Transfer Stations

There are two landfill sites and five transfer stations in the County of Wellington. A list of addresses, telephone numbers, hours of operation and fees are attached for your convenience. For more information, please contact the County of Wellington Solid Waste Services Department by calling (519) 837-2601.

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3. City of Guelph Waste Resource Innovation Centre

The Waste Resource Innovation Centre consists of a public drop-off area, transfer station and Household Hazardous Waste Depot. A list of addresses, telephone numbers, hours of operation and fees are attached for your convenience. For more information, please contact the City of Guelph Waste Resource Innovation Centre by calling (519) 767-0598.

Anyone witnessing illegal dumping activities should note the licence plate number and report this information to the Township of Guelph/Eramosa's Public Works Department by calling (519) 856-9596 extension 120. Citizens should **not** attempt to stop dumping.

Waste Resource Innovation Centre Hours of Operation (formerly Wet-Dry Recycling Centre)

Hours of Operation (click here for holiday hours)		
Administration Office	110 Dunlop Drive, Guelph (519) 767-0598 Click here for directions	Mon - Fri 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. <i>closed weekends & holidays</i>
Public Drop-Off Area	110 Dunlop Drive, Guelph (519) 767-0598 Click here for directions	Mon - Fri 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Sat 8:30 a.m. - 3:45 p.m. <i>closed Sun</i> Click here for holiday hours Click here for tipping fees
Transfer Station	80 Dunlop Drive, Guelph (519) 767-0598 Click here for directions	Mon - Fri 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. <i>closed Sat and Sun</i> Click here for holiday hours
Household Hazardous Waste Depot	110 Dunlop Drive, Guelph (519) 767-0598 Click here for directions	Tues-Fri 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Sat 8:30 a.m. - 3:45 p.m. <i>closed Sun & Mon</i> Click here for holiday hours



LANDFILL SITE & TRANSFER STATION SERVICES

County of Wellington* residents and businesses may use any County landfill site or transfer station.
 Customers with large loads are required to use the Aberfoyle Landfill Site or the Riverstown Landfill Site.
 (*Waste originating from within the City of Guelph will not be accepted - Certificate of Approval condition, Ministry of Environment)

HOURS OF OPERATION	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
LANDFILL SITES (large or small loads)						
Aberfoyle ** 6922 Concession 4, Township of Puslinch	closed	8am - 4pm	8am - 4pm	8am - 4pm	8am - 4pm	8am - 4pm
Riverstown ** 7254 Sideroad 5 West, Township of Wellington North	closed	8am - 4pm	8am - 4pm	8am - 4pm	8am - 4pm	8am - 4pm
TRANSFER STATIONS (small loads only)						
Belwood ** 8585 Wellington Rd 19, Township of Centre Wellington	closed	closed	9am - 4pm	closed	9am - 4pm	8am - 4pm
Elora 6549 Gerrie Rd, Township of Centre Wellington	closed	9am - 4pm	closed	9am - 4pm	closed	8am - 4pm
Harriston ** 5668 Highway 23 (formerly Hwy. 89), Town of Minto	closed	9am - 4pm	closed	9am - 4pm	closed	8am - 4pm
Hillsburgh 5830 Eighth Line, Town of Erin	closed	closed	closed	9am - 4pm	closed	8am - 4pm
Rothsay 8495 Wellington Rd 7, Township of Mapleton	closed	closed	9am - 4pm	closed	9am - 4pm	8am - 4pm
**Sites with weigh scales (Hours subject to change) Waste Facilities are Closed on Statutory Holidays						

FEES

(Fees subject to change)

Disposal fees must be paid at the time of disposal. County waste facilities will accept payment by cash or cheque (two pieces of I.D. required). Please be advised that Non-Sufficient Fund (NSF) cheques will be charged a \$35 administration fee.

Bagged Waste

\$1 per bag (or the equivalent).



General Waste - Sites with Weigh Scales

\$70 per metric tonne.
Scaled loads are charged a \$10 minimum.

General Waste - Sites without Weigh Scales

\$15 per carload.
\$30 per pickup truck or trailer load.

Bulky items

General waste fees apply and flat fees may apply to specific items (e.g., furniture).

Wood & Brush

Wood & brush are accepted only at the Aberfoyle, Belwood, Harriston, Hillsburgh and Riverstown waste facilities. General waste fees apply.

Reuse Centres

Reuse Centres at the Aberfoyle & Riverstown Landfill Sites and the Belwood Transfer Station provide a chance for items that would otherwise be landfilled to have a second life. Contact SWS to find out how to participate in this programme. General waste fees apply.

Scrap Metal

Items that are primarily metal (such as swing sets) which can be recycled. General waste fees apply.

Blue Box Materials (see page 2)

No charge.



Tires (maximum 4 per load)

\$2 per passenger tire (≤16").
\$5 per oversize tire (>16").
\$10 per tractor tire.



Large Appliances

\$10 each (for appliances without Freon, and for appliances where Freon has been removed and tagged by a MOE certified technician).

\$25 each (for appliances where Freon has not been removed and tagged by a MOE certified technician).



Selected Household Hazardous Waste

Residential drop-off service for motor oil & oil filters, antifreeze, automobile & household batteries, propane cylinders and aerosol cans at the Aberfoyle, Belwood, Elora, Harriston, and Riverstown waste facilities. (Other HHW materials cannot be accepted.)

There is no charge and limits apply - contact SWS for more information.

Balewrap

Linear low density polyethylene film balewrap that is white on both sides is accepted for recycling at Riverstown Landfill Site at no charge. Contact SWS for proper preparation instructions.

REGULATIONS

- All waste loads must meet Ontario MOE Reg. 347 requirements.
- No scavenging.
- Banned waste:
 - Non-County
 - Hazardous
 - Liquids
- Loads should be secured and tarped.
- Wastes that must be separated:
 - Wood/Brush
 - Metal
 - Tires
 - White Goods
 - Blue Box Materials
- Attendants have the authority to:
 - Inspect loads
 - Refuse loads
 - Redirect loads
 - Verify origin of load
- For safety, at any time, children under 12 years of age are not allowed to unload waste or exit from the vehicle and animals are not permitted to exit the vehicle.

Please refer to By-law No. 4547-03 for a more comprehensive list of requirements.

BLUE BOX PROGRAMME

All County landfill sites and transfer stations have dedicated bins to collect blue box recyclables in three streams:

- ① Containers ② Paper Products and ③ Old Corrugated Cardboard.

① CONTAINERS

Only Container packaging that **previously contained** food & beverage, health & beauty, or household cleaning & laundry products (see the unacceptable item list below).
 ⇒ **REMEMBER TO EMPTY AND RINSE ALL CONTAINERS.**
 ⇒ Remove plastic screw-top lids, spray tops and foil, and dispose of in the garbage. Metal lids and lids from tubs can be recycled.

Rigid Plastic Containers

(Bottles, Jars, Jugs, Tubs & Lids, etc.)
 previously containing products such as pop, water, ketchup, mustard, mayonnaise, shampoo, detergent, lotion, kitty litter, salad dressing, household cleaners, liquor, vegetable oil, non-prescription remedies, ice cream, margarine, yogurt, etc. Also includes clear egg cartons, frozen food trays, cookie trays, rigid clear & coloured take-out containers, and berry/fruit baskets.



Clear and coloured Glass Bottles & Jars

previously containing products such as pickles, mayonnaise, salad dressing, pop, juice, wine, beer, etc.



Tin Cans and Aluminum Cans, Foil & Pie Plates

previously containing products such as tuna, vegetables, pet food, soup, pop, coffee, and pasta. Also includes disposable baking pans, fruit cups, etc.



(Please do not place unacceptable items in the recycling bins!)
EXAMPLES OF UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS

Empty motor oil & pesticide containers, empty paint cans, styrofoam, meat trays, plastic bags and film plastic, reusable plastic food containers, coffee cups, planting pots/trays, toys, plates, cutlery, hangers, drinking glasses, laundry baskets, pyrex, ceramics, mirrors, window glass, light bulbs, milk/juice cartons, pots & pans, prescription medicine bottles/tubes (except #2 HDPE plastic bottles), chip/cookie bags, wooden fruit crates, frozen food or waxy/coated packaging, wrapping paper & gift bags, and any type of paper with lamination or other materials attached. *If you are unsure how to properly dispose of any item, please contact SWS or ask the site attendant.*

② PAPER PRODUCTS

- Newspapers
- Magazines
- Catalogues
- Directories
- Phone Books
- Paper Egg Cartons
- Paper Take-out Trays



Boxboard
 Acceptable boxboard packaging includes cereal boxes, paper towel rolls, pop boxes, cigarette packages, toothpaste and soap boxes, tissue boxes, etc.

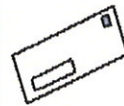


Preparation

- ✓ Flatten and stuff in an unflattened boxboard box.
- ✓ Remove plastic or metallic liners, food residue, and plastic wrap and place in the garbage.

Household/Office Paper

Acceptable fine papers include computer paper, envelopes, soft/hard covered books, index cards, file folders, bound reports, white paper bags, sticky notes, flyers & junk mail, cards, etc.

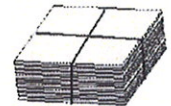


Preparation

- ✓ Remove hard covers, plastic/metal spines, remove plastic wrap and other foreign materials (staples ok) and place in the garbage.
- ✓ Shred confidential documents.

③ OLD CORRUGATED CARDBOARD

Includes clean pizza boxes and brown paper bags, and packaging boxes with a wavy layer between two layers of liner board.



- ✓ Corrugated cardboard must be flattened.



Place your blue box materials loose in the bins.
 (Remove all plastic bags)



OTHER SERVICES

BLUE BOXES

- ⇒ Each household and business is entitled to two blue boxes at no charge. Use two blue boxes to separate your Containers from your Paper Products.
- ⇒ If you have a damaged blue box, exchange it at a County waste facility and it will be recycled/reused.

COMPOSTERS FOR SALE

Earth Machine Composters are sold year-round at all County waste facilities at cost for \$30.



USER PAY BAGS FOR SALE

Wellington County yellow user pay bags (for urban garbage collection) are sold at all waste facilities.



PLEASE DISPOSE OF SHARPS SAFELY!

Sharps include any material with a jagged, sharp or pointed edge that is capable of cutting or puncturing (e.g., medical needles, lancets and broken glass).



DO NOT PLACE Sharp Objects in your garbage or with your blue box recyclables.

Contact SWS or ask the site attendant for information on how to safely dispose of medical and non-medical sharps.

CONTACT SOLID WASTE SERVICES (SWS)



For information 24 hours every day:
 visit www.wellington.ca
 or call the semi-automated phone system



(see phone numbers listed in the box at right)

Phone: (519) 837-2601
 Toll-Free: 1-800-663-0750, ext. 220
 Email: wasteinfo@wellington.ca
 Fax: (519) 837-8138



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