



Waste Disposal Policies

Most Commonly Asked Questions

1. Can we use the green or black garbage bags?
A: No. Only clear/tinted transparent bags will be accepted at the landfill site.
2. What about kitchen catchers or other small white bags of personal waste – do they go in a large clear bag?
A: YES
3. Where do we buy clear garbage bags?
A: Most retailers including Purcell's Freshmart, the Superstore, Canadian Tire, and Walmart. (Tinted transparent bags can also be used.)
4. What is the purpose of clear bags?
A: To encourage recycling, and educate residents on what items can be recycled, so as to put less material into our landfill site. This method is used by a number of other townships in Leeds and Grenville.
5. How are you enforcing the use of clear garbage bags?
A: Residents will be informed of the policy, and waste site staff will refuse to accept coloured bags.
6. How are you enforcing recycling, and what happens when they don't follow the rules?
A: Waste Site staff will start by informing residents about items which can be recycled and will be asked to remove recyclables from the clear bags and place in proper recycling bins.
7. How much are bag tags?
A: \$2.00 each
8. Who is enforcing these policies where curbside pickup takes place?
A: The Contractor