

Garbage User Fee Program

Effective November 1st, 2009 owners of residential units over commercial requiring City Garbage collection service will be subject to garbage fees in the form of bins subscription or through the purchase of City issued garbage tags or yellow bags. A Solid Waste account will be set up on existing Water Bills to reflect the type of service selected (Bin or bag) and will also document and allow application of rebate that form part of the fee structure. Owners can opt for private collection however there will be no rebate. Owners who do not contact the City by November 1st, 2009 will automatically default to the Bag option.

There are no fees for collection of recyclables and organics.

Owners (or authorised property managers acting on behalf of the owners) can order Garbage , Recycling and Green bins by calling 416-392-2467.

Bins may be shared for common use amongst occupants. If there is no storage space for Bins, City issued Garbage Bag tags or Yellow Bags (available at Canadian Tire store for purchase \$3.10 per yellow bag or yellow tag) may be used for set out of garbage. In this case recycling can be set out in clear plastic bags. Green Bins may be ordered only if storage space is available.

This program was approved by Council at it's meeting held on August 5th and 6th 2009.

November 1st Changes to Night Time Garbage Collection Schedules

Effective November 1st, 2009 all garbage, recycling and organics will be collected on the same night. Daytime schedule will remain unchanged.

Collections will be once per week on either Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday night. The five or six night per week commercial organics collection operation will continue as a pay for service program.

Set out times for garbage, recyclables and organics being changed to no earlier than 6.00 pm and no later than 9.00 pm .

Separate communications to owners and occupants will be as follows:

Residential units above commercial will receive a calender and notice letter by mail.

To all business occupants it is being hand delivered.

All mail outs and hand delivery to occur last two weeks of October.