

By-law 114-2025 of The Corporation of the City of Oshawa

Being a by-law to further amend the Waste Collection By-law 90-2024, as amended,

Whereas the Council of the Corporation of the City of Oshawa considers it desirable to further amend the Waste Collection By-law 90-2024, as amended ("Waste Collection By-law") to expand the Large Item Collection program;

Therefore it is enacted as a by-law of The Corporation of the City of Oshawa as follows:

- 1. That the words "Director, Operations Services" be replaced with the words "Director, Community and Environmental Services" throughout the Waste Collection By-law; and,
- 2. That Section 2 be amended to delete the definition of "Bag Tag" in its entirety and replace it with the following:
 - "Bag Tag" means an approved tag, as defined under the Fees and Charges Bylaw, distributed by the City for sale to be affixed on all Residual Waste Bags exceeding the bag limit."
- 3. That Section 2 be amended to delete the definition of "Bulky Items" in its entirety.
- 4. That Section 2 be amended to delete the definition of "General Fees and Charges By-Law" in its entirety and replace it with the following:
 - "Fees and Charges By-Law" means the Fees and Charges By-law 109-2024, as amended, as may be further amended from time to time or its successor legislation.
- 5. That Section 2 be amended to add the definition of "Large Item" with the following:
 - "Large Item" means items that do not fit in a standard residual waste bag, including, but not limited to, furniture, rugs, carpets, sofas, mattresses, barbecues, small appliances, audio-visual equipment, television sets, microwave ovens and White Goods."
- 6. That Section 2 be amended to delete the definition of "Multi-residential Property" in its entirety and replace it with the following:
 - "Multi-residential Property" means an apartment building, condominium complex, townhouse complex, co-op complex or other similar residential complex containing nine or more self-contained Dwelling Units.'
- 7. That Section 2 be amended to delete the definition of "Residential Waste" in its entirety and replace it with the following:
 - "Residential Waste" means waste that is discarded for collection that originates from a Dwelling Unit and includes, but is not limited to, Large Items, Yard Waste, Household Organics, Residual Waste and Blue Box Material.'
- 8. That Section 2 be amended to delete the definition of "Special Collection" in its entirety and replace it with the following:
 - "Large Item Collection" means the prescheduled collection of Large Items and/or White Goods."

- 9. That Section 2 be amended to delete the definition of "Waste" in its entirety and replace it with the following:
 - "Waste" means anything discarded for collection from any source, and includes Blue Box Material, Household Organics, Yard Waste, Residual Waste and Large Items, and White Goods.'
- 10. That the Heading set out in Section 9.5 be amended to delete the words "White Goods/Bulky Items" and replaced with the words, "Large Item Collection".
- 11. That Section 9.5.1 be amended to delete the words "Bulky Items or White Goods" and replaced with the words, "Large Item".
- 12. Section 9.5.2 be amended to delete the words "subject to a fee as determined by City Council as set out in General Fees and Charges By law".
- 13. That Section 9.5.2 (ii) be amended to delete the words "Bulky Items" and replaced with the words, "Large Items".
- 14. That Section 10.1.3 be replaced with the following:
 - "10.1.3 Notwithstanding subsection 9.5.2, Persons residing in a Multiresidential Property shall only Set Out Large Items where the Owner of the Multi-residential Property has arranged a coordinated multiresidential collection date with the City's Waste Services.
- 15. That Schedule "B" to By-law 90-2024 be amended to delete the following bullet point:
 - "Waste weighing more than 20 kilograms (44 pounds) except Bulky Items and White Goods that may exceed 20 kilograms and have been set out according to"

and replaced with the following bullet point:

 "Waste weighing more than 20 kilograms (44 pounds) except Large Items that may exceed 20 kilograms".

By-law passed this twenty-seventh day	of October, 2025.
Mayor	City Clerk

Schedule "A" to By-law 90-2024:

Household Organic Waste

Includes but is not limited to:

- 1) Food wastes including all fruits and vegetables (cooked, raw, whole, peelings, seeds or pits), corn cobs and husks, all fish and fish products (cooked or raw), tea bags, bones, all meat and meat products (cooked or raw), all shellfish and shellfish products (cooked or raw), all poultry and poultry products (cooked or raw), seasonings and spices, frozen foods, baked goods, pasta, coffee grounds and paper coffee filters.
- 2) Plate scrapings including all food leftovers, gravies and sauces.
- 3) Baking wastes including muffins, grease or lard, fat, flour, eggs and eggshells, margarine, spices, cake, cookies, sugar, cereals, oatmeal and oats.
- 4) Dairy products including yogurt, sour cream, butter, all cheese, ice cream and cream.
- 5) Paper fibre wastes including moulded pulp paper egg cartons and beverage trays, paper towels, facial tissues, napkins/serviettes, paper plates and paper cups (no lids), parchment paper, soiled paper food containers and wraps (such as frozen food boxes, pizza boxes, fast food boxes and wraps, special event paper food containers, muffin/cupcake liners (non-foiled), butcher paper, paper tablecloths.
- 6) Diapers and sanitary waste including diapers of all sizes, incontinence products and feminine hygiene products.
- 7) Pet waste and bedding as defined in this By-law.
- 8) Other wastes including hair, sawdust, wood shavings, wooden stir sticks, wooden cutlery, dryer lint, house plants with or without soil, flowers, cold fireplace ash, wooden toothpicks, garden fruit (such as crab apples), pet food, dried decorative fruits and vegetables, natural wreaths, natural garland, cotton balls and any other waste deemed household organic waste by the Region.

Household Organic Waste does not include:

- Aluminum foil
- Blue Box material
- Biomedical Waste
- Christmas trees
- Cigarette butts
- Coffee cups
- Cotton swabs
- Dead animals
- Disposable clothes dryer sheets
- Disposable wipes
- Garbage/Refuse Material
- Glass of any kind
- Grass clippings
- Hazardous and Special Products
- Hot fireplace ash
- Metal of any kind
- Plastic or plastic coated products of any kind
- Plastic-like packaging labelled as compostable
- Sod
- · Synthetic corks
- Topsoil
- Treated wood
- Vacuum bags and contents
- Wax cartons or paper
- Wire or metal ties
- Yard waste

Schedule "B" to By-law 90-2024

Unacceptable Waste

Includes but is not limited to:

- Agricultural waste
- Ammunition
- Automotive or motorized equipment parts including tires, engines and frames
- Batteries, unless household batteries designated for curbside collection on days specified by the City
- Biomedical waste
- Broken porcelain bathroom fixtures not packaged in a cardboard box and weighing more than 20 kilograms (44 pounds)
- Carpeting that is not rolled or bundled appropriately (bundles exceeding 76cm (30") in length, 36 cm (14") in width and height, and weighing more than 20 kilograms (44 pounds))
- Dead animals
- Designated waste that has been banned from landfill or for which reasonable alternative disposal methods are available, as determined by the City
- Electric Vehicle Batteries for electric bicycles, scooters, automobiles or trucks
- Explosives
- Garbage over the garbage bag limit of (4) four items that are not tagged
- Grass clippings
- Hazardous and Special Products
- Hot ashes or any other waste capable of starting fires
- Household organics in plastic bags
- Industrial, commercial or institutional waste from properties not approved to receive municipal waste collection
- Liquid waste
- Manure or waste from any animal except for Pet Waste as defined in this By-law
- Railroad ties
- Sharps or any item that may pose a safety hazard to City staff or the contractor
- Sliding glass doors
- Sludge
- Swimming pools
- Tires
- Tree stumps and branches with a diameter greater than 10 cm (4 inches)
- Waste frozen to approved receptacles that is not easily removed by shaking
- Waste generated as a result of construction, demolition or renovations, including but not limited to soil, sod, plaster, drywall, masonry and tile, bricks, concrete or cinder blocks, paving stones, asphalt, wood, windows and window glass, shingles, asbestos, and urea formaldehyde
- Waste set out in such a manner as to pose a health and safety hazard to any person
- Waste weighing more than 20 kilograms (44 pounds) except Bulky Items and White Goods that may exceed 20 kilograms and have been set out according to
- Wood waste that is not securely tied or bundled appropriately (bundles exceeding more than 76 cm (30") in length, 36 cm (14") in width and height and weighing more than 20 kg (44 bounds))
- Yard waste in plastic bags
- · Any other material deemed as prohibited by the City

Schedule "C" to By-Law 90-2024

Service Levels - Residual Waste

Type of Establishment	Receptacle Type	Receptacle Location	Maximum Frequency of Collection	Remarks
Single family dwelling, duplex dwelling, semidetached dwelling, apartment flat, street townhouse, apartment building or townhouse complex with less than 9 dwelling units	Maximum of 4 Residual Waste Bags per dwelling unit	Aligned along the street curb or edge of pavement	One every other week	
Church, educational building, clubhouse, public assembly hall, and other establishments not otherwise provided for	Maximum of 8 Residual Waste Bags per institution	Aligned along the street curb or edge of pavement	One per week	
Clubhouse, public assembly hall, hospital, medical clinic and/or pharmacy when part of a commercial complex	Bulk Containers as prescribed by the Director, Operations Services	On private property	One per week	See note 1
Multi-Residential building with 9 or more dwelling units and includes the residential component of a commercial complex	Bulk Containers as prescribed by the Director, Operations Services	On private property	Two per week	See notes 1 and 3
Commercial establishment/ complex receiving City service up to and including May 28, 1979	Maximum of 16 bags OR Maximum of three 1 ½ cubic yard standard Bulk Containers or equivalent container capacity	Aligned along the street curb or edge of pavement OR On private property	Two per week	See notes 1 and 2
Commercial establishment/ complex fronting on streets shown in Schedule "E" to this By-law	Maximum of 16 Residual Waste Bags	Aligned along the street curb or edge of pavement	Three per week	See note 2
Commercial establishment, commercial complex, or commercial component of a commercial complex requesting City service after May 28, 1979	Maximum of 16 bags OR Maximum one (1) 2, 3 or 4 cubic yard Bulk Container	Aligned along the street curb or edge of pavement OR On private property	One per week	See notes 1, 2 and 3

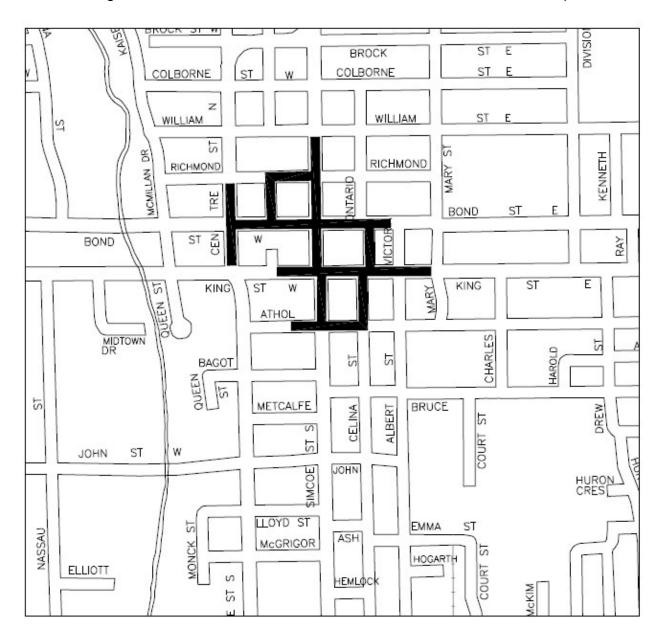
Note 1 Reference should be made to the City's Guidelines for Municipal Waste Collection Services.

Note 2 Should a commercial establishment or complex require a higher level of service than provided by the City as noted in this Schedule the commercial establishment or complex shall be fully responsible for the collection of all its Waste. However, in cases where 1 ½ cubic yard bulk containers were used on May 28, 1979, the City may provide additional service to the Owner of such commercial establishments and complexes for a fee to be determined by City Council.

Note 3 In determining the level of service for a commercial complex with 9 or more dwelling units, the residential and commercial components can only be considered separately where waste from both components is stored and Set Out separately. If the waste from both components cannot be stored and controlled separately, then the level of service pertaining to a commercial establishment shall apply to the entire complex.

Schedule "D" to By-Law 90-2024

The following streets will receive curbside Residual Waste collection 3 times per week.



Schedule "E" To By-Law 90-2024

The following Multi-residential Properties, which contain 9 or more dwelling units, shall receive the levels of service which are presently being provided by the City and, therefore, shall be exempt from the provisions as set out in Schedule "C" to this By-law on the condition that the owner upgrades, where practical, and maintains the existing waste collection facilities in accordance with this By-law to the satisfaction of the Director, Operations Services.

- 50 Adelaide Ave.
- 291 Adelaide Ave. W.
- 309 Adelaide Ave. W.
- 319 Adelaide Ave. W.
- 329 Adelaide Ave. W.
- 85 Bloor St. W
- 676 Dnipro Blvd.
- 321 Elgin St. W
- 351 Elgin Ct.
- 323 Gibb St.
- 330 Gibb St.
- 333 Gibb St.
- 922 Glen St.
- 24 Lasalle Ct.
- 308 Malaga Rd.
- 416 Malaga Rd.
- 424 Malaga Rd.
- 432 Malaga Rd.
- 440 Malaga Rd.
- 448 Malaga Rd.
- 291 Marland Ave.
- 290 Mary St.
- 300 Mary St.
- 280 Montrave Ave.
- 290 Montrave Ave.
- 300 Montrave Ave.
- 303 Montrave Ave
- 308 Montrave Ave.
- 119 Nonquon Rd.
- 140 Nonquon Rd.
- 191 Nonquon Rd.
- 835 Oxford St.
- 885 Oxford St.
- 110 Park Rd. N.
- 124 Park Rd. N.
- 200 Park Rd. N.
- 208 Park Rd. N.
- 1265 Pentland St.
- 1266 Pentland St.
- 9 Quebec St.
- 50 Richmond St. E.
- 41 Russett Ave.
- 276 Saguenay Ave.
- 286 Saguenay Ave.
- 296 Saguenay Ave.
- 305 Saguenay Ave.315 Saguenay Ave.
- 316 Saguenay Ave.
- 325 Saguenay Ave.
- 326 Saguenay Ave.
- 335 Saguenay Ave.
- 281 Simcoe St. S
- 291 Simcoe St. S

- 658 Simcoe St. N. 1221 Simcoe St. N.
- 650 Simcoe St. N
- 55 William St. E