



Garbage Service By-law for the Nashwaak Rural Community

Purpose

1. The purpose of this by-law is to establish regulations and requirements for the collection and disposal of garbage within the Nashwaak Rural Community.

Definitions

In this by-law:

- (a) "Garbage" means any domestic or residential waste, including but not limited to food waste, paper, cardboard, glass, metal, and plastics;
- (b) "Municipality" means the Nashwaak Rural Community;
- (c) "Person" includes an individual, corporation, partnership, association, or organization;
- (d) "Property" means land, building, structure, or premises.
- (e) "Residential" means any property with 4 or less residential or seasonal units.

Collection and Disposal of Garbage

- (a) The Municipality shall provide a garbage collection and disposal service for all residential properties within its boundaries.
- (b) Garbage shall be collected from each property at least once a week.
- (c) No person shall place or leave any garbage on any public property or on any property other than their own without the express permission of the owner of the property.
- (d) No person shall burn or bury any garbage within the Municipality.

Separation and Recycling of Garbage

- (a) No person shall mix garbage with recyclable materials.
- (b) No person shall place any hazardous or toxic materials, including but not limited to batteries, chemicals, paint, and electronics, in the garbage container or bag.
- (c) The Capital Region Service Commission provides a separate collection service for recycling and for hazardous or toxic materials.

Fees and Charges

- (a) The Municipality may charge fees for garbage collection and disposal services.

(b) The fees charged shall be reasonable and reflect the actual costs incurred by the Municipality in providing the services.

Offences and Penalties

- (a) Any person who contravenes any provision of this by-law commits an offence.
- (b) Every person who commits an offence under this by-law is liable, upon summary conviction, to a fine not exceeding \$10,000 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or to both.
- (c) Every day that an offence continues shall constitute a separate offence.

Severability

If any provision of this by-law is found to be invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall remain in full force and effect.

Repeal

Any by-law or part of a by-law that is inconsistent with this by-law is hereby repealed.

Effective Date

This by-law shall come into force and take effect on the date of its final passing.

Date of First Reading: May 15, 2024

Date of Second Reading: May 15, 2024

Date of Third Reading: July 17, 2024

Passed by the Council of the Nashwaak Rural Community on July 17 2024

Signed:

Mayor 

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