

Ministerial Order # 2023-006

Prescribing Sorting and Packaging Requirements with respect to Solid Waste Collection and Disposal Services in a Rural District

Kent Regional Service Commission

Under subsection 176.41(2) of the *Local Governance Act*, the Minister of Local Government prescribes the following sorting and packaging requirements with respect to solid waste collection and disposal services for the Kent rural district served by the Kent Regional Service Commission.

Sorting and Packaging Requirements

Definitions:

“green waste” means organic waste as described by Kent Regional Service Commission.

“blue waste” means recyclable materials as described by Kent Regional Service Commission.

“clear waste” means solid waste or garbage as described by Kent Regional Service Commission.

1. A person who disposes of solid waste through a solid waste collection and disposal service provided by the Minister shall ensure that all solid waste that is placed for collection at curbside or roadside:
 - a) If green waste, is contained in a green transparent plastic bag, which may be placed in a reusable container that does not weigh more than 23 kilograms when filled or exceed 1m × 0.6m × 0.6m,
 - b) If blue waste,
 - i) is contained in a blue transparent plastic bag, which may be placed in a reusable container that does not weigh more than 23 kilograms when filled or exceed 1m x 0.6m x 0.6m, or
 - ii) is securely bundled into a package that does not weigh more than 23 kilograms or exceed 1m × 0.6m × 0.6m if it cannot be packaged in accordance with subparagraph (i),
 - c) if clear waste,
 - i) is contained in a clear transparent plastic bag, which may be placed in a reusable container that does not weigh more than 23 kilograms when filled or exceed 1m x 0.6m x 0.6m, or

- ii) is securely bundled into a package that does not weigh more than 23 kilograms or exceed 1m × 0.6m × 0.6m if it cannot be packaged in accordance with subparagraph (i).
- 2. Loose waste in boxes or reusable containers, or otherwise improperly bagged, will not be collected.
- 3. No person shall dispose of more than 45 kilograms or more than 15 bags of solid waste in accordance with paragraphs 1(a), 1(b), or 1(c) on any collection day.
- 4. Despite section 3:
 - a) on a clear waste collection day, a person may dispose of a maximum of 70 kilograms of silage wrap bundled in accordance with subparagraph 1(c)(ii), and
 - b) a person may dispose of more than 45 kilograms of solid waste on a special collection day, as set out in section 7 of Regulation 2018-72, the *Solid Waste Collection and Disposal Services Regulation – Local Governance Act*.

This Ministerial Order is effective upon the date of signature. Upon the effective date, the previous Ministerial Order 2019-006 is rescinded.



Minister of Local Government

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