

Ministerial Order # 2023-009

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

Fundy 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 Fundy rural district served by the Fundy Regional Service Commission.

Sorting and Packaging Requirements

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 it is able to be composted, is packaged in a container supplied or approved by the Commission, or packaged in a manner approved by the Commission, or
 - b) if it is not able to be composted,
 - i) is contained in a bag, or cardboard box that is securely closed and that does not weigh more than 23 kilograms when filled or exceed 1.2m × 0.6m × 0.6m, or
 - ii) is securely bundled into a package that does not weigh more than 23 kilograms or exceed 1.2m × 0.6m × 0.6m if it cannot be packaged in accordance with subparagraph (i).
2. No person shall dispose of more than 50 kilograms of solid waste packaged or bundled in accordance with paragraph 1(a) and no person shall dispose of more than 45 kg of waste packaged or bundled in accordance with paragraph 1(b) on any collection day.
3. Despite section 2:
 - a) on any collection day, a person may dispose of a maximum of 70 kilograms of silage wrap bundled in accordance with subparagraph 1(b)(ii), and
 - b) a person may dispose of more than 50 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*.
4. No person shall use a plastic shopping bag for the purposes of subparagraph 1(b)(i).

5. Recyclable materials, as identified by the Fundy Regional Service Commission, shall be left curbside or roadside in the blue and green bins provided by the Commission, on collection day.

This Ministerial Order is effective upon the date of signature. Upon the effective date, the previous Ministerial Order 2021-002 is rescinded.



Minister of Local Government

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