

July 28, 2011



City Council Committee Report

To: Mayor & Council

**Fr: Richard Perchuk, Manager of Operations
Mike Mostow, Solid Waste & Fleet Supervisor**

Re: New Municipal Hazardous or Special Waste Services Agreement

Recommendation:

That Council of the City of Kenora give three readings to a bylaw to execute an agreement with Stewardship Ontario for funding for the Municipal Hazardous or Special Waste collection event for Phase 1 materials; and further

That the Mayor and Clerk be authorized to execute all related documents.

Background:

A new Municipal Hazardous or Special Waste program has been developed and implemented by Stewardship Ontario on behalf of Waste Diversion Ontario to increase the number of collection event days so people throughout Ontario have more opportunities to get rid of unwanted hazardous and special waste materials. Phase 1 of the program will collect the following: fertilizers, pesticides, solvents, antifreeze, lubricating oil, oil filters, paint, propane tanks, single use batteries.

Stewardship Ontario will pay the City a rate of \$1,100.00 per tonne for materials collected as per the agreement.

In order to secure funding the City is required to enter into an agreement with Stewardship Ontario for a term of eighteen months: July 1, 2011 to December 31, 2012 which includes the option for up to four one-year renewal periods.

Budget: N/A

Communication Plan/Notice By-law Requirements:

Resolution required.

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