

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF RYERSON

BY- LAW # 20 -15

Being a by-law for establishing and maintaining a system for the collection, removal and disposal of garbage, recyclable materials, yard waste and other refuse.

WHEREAS, Section 11(2) of the Municipal Act, 2001, as amended, gives municipalities the authority to pass by-laws respecting matters within the spheres of jurisdiction as described in the Table to this Section.

AND WHEREAS, the Table in this Section lists waste management as a “sphere of jurisdiction” for lower tier municipalities.

AND WHEREAS, the Council of the Township of Ryerson deem it necessary to establish rules and regulations governing policies relating to the disposal of garbage and to implement a “Partial Pay-Per-Bag” system for residents and to implement tipping fees to cover costs associated with the disposal of garbage and other refuse.

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Township of Ryerson enacts as follows:

SECTION 1 - DEFINITIONS

1. “Bag/container” shall mean a non-returnable plastic bag or container which is for:
 - Residential Use: a capacity of not more than 128 litres, and dimensions not greater than 30" X 36"
 - Commercial Use: a capacity of not more than 205 litres, and dimensions not greater than 35" X 50".
2. “Biomedical waste” shall mean whether solid or liquid, including but not limited to, any animal or human organ or part thereof, bone, muscle, or animal or human tissue or part thereof, used bandages, poultices, dressings, vials or any other similar material or substance which contains or may contain pathogenic micro-organisms or which may be hazardous or dangerous;
3. “Commercial User” shall mean an owner/operator of a industrial, commercial or institutional facility/business (IC&I) entitled to place refuse into the Township of Armour, Township of Ryerson, and Village of Burk’s Falls (TRI R) Landfill/Recycling Site;
4. “Council” shall mean the Council of the Township of Ryerson;
5. “Domestic Waste” shall mean the waste produced by residents in their homes;
6. “Household Hazardous Waste” shall mean waste requiring special care as itemized in ‘Schedule A’ to this By-law;
7. “IC&I waste” shall mean waste produced by the industrial, commercial or institutional sector;
8. “Landfill/Recycling Site Manager” shall mean the person duly appointed and responsible for supervision and control of operations at the Landfill/Recycling Site;

9. "Non-Collectable Waste" shall mean the materials as described in 'Schedule B' that will not be picked up at the curbside;
10. "Recyclable" shall mean those classifications of waste capable of being diverted from the normal waste stream as specified in 'Schedule E';
11. "Refuse" shall mean the same as "waste";
12. "Salvaging" shall mean the process of finding items for the purpose of reuse;
13. "Scavenging" shall mean the process of finding items for the purpose of reuse;
14. "Special Area" shall mean an area at the Landfill/Recycling Site, designated for a particular purpose;
15. "Township" shall mean the Corporation of the Township of Ryerson;
16. "User" shall mean an owner of a residence or multi residential property, or a tenant of a residence or multi residential property entitled to place refuse into the Township of Armour, Township of Ryerson, and Village of Burk's Falls (TRI R) Landfill/Recycling Site;
17. "Waste" shall include domestic and solid non-hazardous, non-recyclable refuse and other wastes as designated and as approved by the Ministry of Environment;
18. "Unacceptable Waste" shall mean waste not accepted at the waste site as itemized in 'Schedule F' to this By-law.

SECTION 2 - "PARTIAL PAY-PER-BAG" and "TIPPING FEES"

1. "Users" will be provided with 50 bag tags per year, "Commercial Users" will be provided with 100 tags per year, additional bag tags will be available at the landfill site for the cost of \$ 1.00 per tag. "Commercial Users" tags will only be available at their municipal offices, also for the cost of \$ 1.00 per tag. The free tags will be mailed to the "users" and "commercial users" each year. Tags will be provided to new "users" during the year on the basis of 5 per month and to new "commercial users" on the basis of 10 per month. New "users" and "commercial users" will pick up their free tags from their municipal office upon confirmation of purchase of property.
2. "Users" of the landfill site using bins or bags larger than those identified herein, shall apply sufficient tags based on the following:

One tag	=	128 litres or less, and 23 kg or less, and dimensions of 30" X 36" or less
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3. "Commercial Users" of the landfill site using bins or bags larger than those identified herein, shall apply sufficient tags based on the following:

One tag	=	205 litres or less, and 28 kg or less, and dimensions of 35" X 50" or less
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4. Vacant land owners are not classified as "users" as defined in this by-law and will not be provided with free tags. Tags will be available for purchase at the landfill for the cost of \$ 1.00 per tag and proof of land ownership in

the form of a Landfill Identification Card will be required.

5. Tipping fees for building materials, tires, etc. shall be as prescribed in 'Schedule C' to this by-law. Tipping fees under \$ 50.00 will be paid in cash only.

SECTION 3 - SITE OPERATION

1. The Township of Armour, Township of Ryerson, and Village of Burk's Falls (TRI R Committee) operates a landfill/recycling site (hours of operation attached as 'Schedule D' to this By-law) described as follows:

141 Chetwynd Road, being Concession 8, Part Lot 8, 9 RP 42R5242 Part of Part 1, Township of Armour, District of Parry Sound.
2. The Landfill/Recycling Site shall be available for the depositing of waste produced within the Township of Armour, Township of Ryerson, and Village of Burk's Falls in accordance with this By-law.
3. No person shall enter and/or leave the Landfill/Recycling Site without:
 1. Showing their Landfill Identification Card to the Landfill/Recycling Site Attendant;
 2. Giving their name and address to the Landfill/Recycling Site Attendant upon request;
 3. Declaring the nature and origin of the waste if requested.
4. The landfill/recycling site shall only be used when an Attendant is on duty. The attendants will be on duty and the site open as outlined in 'Schedule D' to this By-law.
5. All waste material shall be transported to the Landfill/Recycling Site in a manner so as to prevent scattering or losing of waste while en route to the waste site.
6. All waste must be properly sorted eg. landfill, recyclable, and burnable and disposed in the designated areas, tipping fees may apply.
7. All metal and white goods will be accepted in the designated area at the landfill/recycling site and tipping fees shall apply.
8. Household Hazardous Waste as identified in 'Schedule A' to this by-law shall not be accepted at the landfill/recycling site. This waste must be disposed of at the Household and Hazardous Depot at the Strong site on such days designated and advertized for that purpose.
9. Other unacceptable items, in 'Schedule F' to this by-law will not be accepted at the landfill/recycling site.
10. Scavenging and salvaging will not be permitted at the Landfill/Recycling Site. This applies to the entire site and includes the scrap, white goods, electronics, and glass. Charities wishing to recover LCBO glass at the site must be approved by the Committee prior to collection.
11. All on-site health, sanitary and site operations shall be maintained in accordance with the current Ministry of the Environment and Certificates of Approval.
12. Regulations of the Ministry of Environment, the Environmental Protection

Act and Certificates of Approval shall be observed at all times.

13. The Township of Armour, Township of Ryerson, and Village of Burk's Falls (TRI R Committee) reserves the right to prohibit any person, firm or Corporation from using the landfill/recycling site.

SECTION 4 - GARBAGE COLLECTION

1. Every "user" including "commercial users" required to use or making use of regular garbage collection shall comply with the following:
 1. No "user" or "commercial user" shall mix or place out for garbage collection any material which is defined by the Township of Armour, Township of Ryerson, and Village of Burk's Falls as recyclable, hazardous or non-collectible.
 2. Collectible garbage placed out for collection shall be properly tagged as specified in Section 2.2 and 2.3 of this by-law.
 3. Collectible garbage placed out for collection at the prescribed location on the day of collection.

SECTION 5 - ENFORCEMENT, REPEAL AND ENACTMENT

1. That any person, firm or corporation who contravenes any of the provisions of this By-law, or attempts to unlawfully dispose of garbage without the purchase or payment of applicable fees will be guilty of an offence and upon conviction is liable to a fine not exceeding the sum of \$ 5,000.00, including costs for each offence and all such fines will be recoverable under the provisions of the Provincial Offences Act.
2. That all Schedules attached hereto form part of this By-law.
3. All previous By-laws and resolutions and parts of by-laws and resolutions inconsistent with the provisions of this by-law, are hereby repealed.
4. That this By-law shall come into force and effect upon passage of this by-law.

Read a first, second and third time, signed
and the seal of the Corporation affixed thereto
and finally passed in Council this
5th day of May, 2015.

Original signed by Glenn Miller

REEVE

Original signed by Judy Kosowan

CLERK

SCHEDULE "A" TO BY-LAW 20-15

UNACCEPTABLE WASTE - NON-COLLECTABLE WASTE

Items which will not be picked up at the curb or accepted at the site include the following:

Stumps
Recreational vehicles
Snow machines
Campers
Cement
Asphalt
Biomedical waste

Household Hazardous Waste – as listed below

Automotive

Antifreeze
Batteries
Brake Fluid
Car Wax
Degreaser
Fuel Additives
Gasoline
Motor Oil
Oil Filters
Washer Fluid

Gardening

Fertilizers
Fungicides
Herbicides
Insecticides
Rat Poison

Household

Aerosol Products
Cleaners
Ammonia
Bleach
Disinfectants
Fire Extinguishers
Lighter Fluid
Rust Remover
Upholstery Cleaner
Used Cooking Oil
Pharmaceuticals & Sharps

Paint & Solvents

Acetone
Lacquer
Latex & Oil Paint
Marine Paint
Strippers & Thinners
Varnish

SCHEDULE” “B” To By-law 20-15

LANDFILL/RECYCLING CENTRE - HOURS OF OPERATION

**SUMMER HOURS OF OPERATION
MAY 1ST TO AUGUST 31ST**

Monday	10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Tuesday	10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday	CLOSED
Thursday	10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Friday	10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Saturday	10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Sunday	10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The site will be open on the following Public Holidays during summer hours
Canada Day, Civic Holiday, Labour Day

**WINTER HOURS OF OPERATION
SEPTEMBER 1ST TO APRIL 30TH**

Monday	11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Tuesday	11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday	CLOSED
Thursday	11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Friday	11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Saturday	11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Sunday	11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The site will be closed on Public Holidays during winter hours watch for holiday hours
posted at municipal offices, site and local paper.

Schedule "C" to By-Law 20-15

Tipping Fees

Item

Construction & demolition materials – truck/trailer	\$ 0.40 per ft ³
Components containing Freon – refrigerator, freezer, air conditioners	\$ 25.00
Pre-drained and tagged components	\$ 5.00

Bulky Items – Furniture

Carpet, rug	\$ 7.00
Chair, loveseat, table etc.	\$ 7.00
Mattress, box spring, sofa/chesterfield	\$10.00
Agricultural Shrink Wrap & Bale String – pick-up/trailer load	\$10.00
Yard Waste & Brush – grass clippings, leaves, brush	\$0.40 per ft ³

Demolitions – Commercial Projects

40 yard container	\$ 1, 000.00
20 yard container	\$ 500.00
Tri Axle	\$ 600.00
Tandem truck	\$ 500.00

All Tires – On or Off Rims: Free Disposal

Electronics – anything with a cord: Free Disposal

Automobile parts free of contaminants: Free Disposal

PLEASE NOTE: This is not an all-inclusive listing. If items do not fall under categories listed above, they may be 'specialty items' which may or may not be accepted. Contact the Landfill Administer for clarification.

GATE ATTENDANT TO DETERMINE LOAD SIZE & FEE APPLIED

SCHEDULE “D” to By-law 20-15

BLUE BOX & DIVERSION

Blue Box Materials

NEWSPAPER, BOOKS, MAGAZINES, CATALOGUES	newspaper, flyers, junk mail, cards, office paper, hard & soft cover books, magazines, catalogues, shredded paper
CORRUGATED CARDBOARD & BOXBOARD	any colour of cardboard, cracker boxes, tissue boxes, pasta boxes, cereal boxes, cookie & snack boxes, cigarette packages, egg cartons, take out trays
PLASTIC JUGS, TUBS, BOTTLES	water & pop bottles, clear clamshell plastic (strawberry container), prescription bottles, cookie trays, margarine tubs & lids, yogurt tubs & lids, hair and body care bottles empty & dry paint cans
ALUMINUM & TIN CANS	beverage cans, soup cans, tuna & processed meat cans, aluminum trays, plates & foil empty dry paint cans
CLEAR & COLOURED GLASS	glass jars & bottles, Please remove metal lid and place with aluminum & tin
FILM PLASTIC	Grocery bags, plastic packaging, case wrap, chip bags, fruit & snack wrappers, shrink & bubble wrap,

Diversion Programs

TIRES	Passenger & light truck, agricultural, industrial, off road
ELECTRONICS - ANYTHING WITH A CORD	Answering machines, cell phones, computers, keyboards, mice, laptops, monitors, printers, photocopiers, scanners, typewriters, telephones, televisions, audio/video players, cameras, digital frames, radios, receivers, speakers, turntables, microwaves, power tools, toasters, coffeemakers, small appliances
LIGHT BULBS & TUBES	Fluorescent tubes, CFL’s (curlies), HID, metal halide, mercury vapor, high & low pressure sodium lamps, floods, LED’s,
BATTERIES	Disposal & rechargeable – nickel-metal hydride, nickel-zinc, alkaline, lithium, carbon zinc, nickel-cadmium, Power tool chargers/batteries