

# Garbage Tag Program

Did you know 95 per cent of residents already place out three garbage bags or less every other week? That means, the vast majority of Halton residents don't need to participate in the Garbage Tag Program! This is an increase of 10 per cent since the program was implemented in April 2013.

By recycling and composting more, you will have less garbage. You may place three garbage bags/cans or less at the curb every other week. More than three garbage bags/cans require a "garbage tag," up to a total of six garbage bags/cans maximum (three untagged, three tagged). The maximum weight per garbage bag/can is 23 kg (50 lbs).

Garbage tags cost \$2 per tag and can only be purchased in sheets of five tags (\$10 per sheet). These \$2 garbage tags do not expire.

Garbage tags are available for purchase online or in person.

If you require garbage tags, you can begin using the \$2 garbage tags on **September 9, 2013**.

Your first garbage collection day after Christmas Day (December 25) will NOT require garbage tags; however, the six garbage bag/can limit will apply.



## How to Use Garbage Tags

1. Tie your garbage bag with a knot or twist tie.
2. Place the garbage tag around the neck of the garbage bag. Ensure the ends of the garbage tag are pressed together. Do NOT use the garbage tag as a twist tie.
3. If using a can, place the garbage tag around the neck of the top garbage bag so it can be seen when the lid is lifted. Do not overfill garbage cans.

Do **not** stick the garbage tag on the side of your garbage bag or garbage can lid.



## Conditions

- No refunds on purchased and/or unused garbage tags.
- Garbage tags cannot be used to dispose of garbage at the Halton Waste Management Site or private transfer station.
- Garbage tags are not required in apartment buildings or townhouse complexes with common pile garbage collection.
- Garbage tags cannot be used in Halton Hills collection areas 1 or 2, as these areas do not receive garbage collection from Halton Region.

## Where to purchase garbage tags

### Purchase online

Garbage tags can be purchased online at [www.halton.ca/garbagetags](http://www.halton.ca/garbagetags). They will be mailed to you.

### Purchase in person

Garbage tags can be purchased at select retail locations and municipal buildings during their regular operating hours.

### Burlington

Aldershot Public Library  
550 Plains Road East

Brant Hills Public Library  
2255 Brant Street

Burlington Central Public Library  
2331 New Street

Burlington City Hall  
426 Brant Street

Home Hardware Aldershot  
484 Plains Road East

Home Hardware Appleby  
5111 New Street

Kilbride Public Library  
6611 Pantown Street

New Appleby Public Library  
676 Appleby Line

Tansley Woods Public Library  
1996 Itabashi Way

### Halton Hills

Acton Public Library  
17 River Street Acton

Gellert Community Centre  
10241 Eighth Line  
Georgetown

Georgetown Public Library  
9 Church Street  
Georgetown

Halton Hills Civic Centre  
1 Halton Hills Drive  
Georgetown

Home Hardware Acton  
362 Queen Street  
Acton

United Lumber Home  
Hardware Building Centre  
333 Guelph Street  
Georgetown

### Milton

Cristello's Village Market  
35 Crawford Crescent  
Campbellville

Halton Waste Management  
Site (Scalehouse)  
5400 Regional Road 25

Home Hardware Building  
Centre Milton  
385 Steeles Avenue East

Milton Town Hall  
150 Mary Street

Milton Leisure Centre  
1100 Main Street East

Milton Public Library –  
Beaty Branch  
945 Fourth Line

Milton Public Library –  
Main Branch  
1010 Main Street East

Milton Sports Centre  
605 Santa Maria Boulevard

Turtle Gas Bar &  
Convenience Store  
11318 Guelph Line  
Brookville

### Oakville

Glen Abbey Community  
Centre  
1415 Third Line

Halton Regional Centre  
1151 Bronte Road

Home Hardware Maplegrove  
511 Maple Grove Drive

Iroquois Ridge Community  
Centre  
1051 Glenashton Drive

Oakville Public Library –  
Central Branch  
120 Navy Street

Oakville Town Hall  
1225 Trafalgar Road

Queen Elizabeth Park  
Community and Cultural  
Centre  
2302 Bridge Road

River Oaks Community  
Centre  
2400 Sixth Line

## Visit Halton Region at the Acton and Georgetown Fall Fairs!

Meet Regional Chair Gary Carr at the opening ceremonies and visit the Halton Region display at the Georgetown Fall Fair September 6-8 and at the Acton Fall Fair September 13-15. Regional staff will be available to answer questions and provide information about agricultural programs, well water testing, West Nile virus, recycling and waste, road safety and so much more.

Don't forget you can Access Halton anytime at [www.halton.ca](http://www.halton.ca) or by dialing 311.



Gary Carr  
Regional Chair

## Halton Regional Meeting Schedule

**Sep 11, 9:30 a.m.** Regional Council  
**Sep 24, 9:30 a.m.** Health & Social Services Cttee.  
**Sep 25, 9:30 a.m.** Planning & Public Works Cttee.  
**Sep 25, 1:30 p.m.** Administration & Finance Cttee.

Meetings can be viewed at  
[www.halton.ca/meetings](http://www.halton.ca/meetings)