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Jason Brass is calling for garbage collection in rural Halton Hills, currently unavailable to those outside the urban boundary.

## 'I STILL CAN'T BELIEVE I DON'T HAVE GARBAGE PICKUP'

### RESIDENT CALLING FOR RURAL TRASH COLLECTION

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It's the last place in Halton Region that doesn't have residential garbage pickup, and Jason Brass wants something done about it.

The local man, who lives just outside Georgetown, recently appealed to regional council to implement the service in the rural areas of Halton Hills — a measure that he feels is long overdue. "In my opinion, this should've

been initiated years ago," he said. "I still can't believe I don't have garbage pickup at my house. It's a bit embarrassing, actually."

Currently, those who live in rural Halton Hills only receive curbside blue box and green cart collection. As such, they don't pay taxes for garbage pickup.

In the past, Halton Region has

surveyed those who live outside the urban boundaries to see how they feel about introducing garbage and bulk waste collection as well.

The latest survey was conducted a decade ago. According to regional staff, 41 per cent of

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