



The Regional Municipality of Halton

Victoria Day Holiday Waste Collection Notice

Please Note Collection Day Changes

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
21 Victoria Day 	22 	23 	24 	25 	26

Due to Victoria Day, waste collection services the week of May 21st will take place the day after your regular collection day.

Please place your waste at the curb by 7:00 a.m. on your scheduled collection day.



Please check your 2007 "Curb Appeal" Waste Management Calendar for details in your area or the Region's Waste Management website at www.halton.ca/waste.

Halton Waste Management Site will be closed on Monday, May 21

Regular Operating Hours
Open Monday to Saturday
8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

5400 Regional Road 25, Milton

Yard Waste

- Yard waste materials will be collected **every other week** on the same day as your Blue Box until December 7.
- Use only paper yard waste bags, or labelled, reusable, rigid containers with no lids. Do not use plastic bags, cardboard boxes or Blue Boxes for yard waste collection.
- Yard waste labels for reusable containers are available at no charge from Halton Region.
- Containers must be no larger than 125 L (27 imperial gallons) or 23 kg (50 lbs).
- Acceptable materials include yard and garden trimmings; pumpkins; fallen fruit from trees and tree trimmings.
- Grass clippings will not be collected with yard waste or garbage. Please "grasscycle" by leaving grass clippings on your lawn.
- Brush must be tied in bundles no larger than 1.2 m (4 ft) by 0.6 m (2 ft) wide, with branches a maximum of 7.5 cm (3 inches in diameter).

Important information about key waste programs now available online

Two important programs from Halton's Solid Waste Management Strategy – Energy From Waste's business case and the GreenCart program – are going to be discussed at the May 23 Planning and Public Works Committee meeting at 6:30 p.m. at the Halton Regional Centre, 1151 Bronte Road in Oakville. Residents are welcome to come and share their thoughts with the committee by contacting the Clerks department at 905-825-6000 to register. To make sure people have enough time to read the background information for these two initiatives, we've posted the information on our website at www.halton.ca. After the May 23 committee meeting, the two programs will be discussed at the May 30 Regional Council meeting at 9:30 a.m. at the Halton Regional Centre in Oakville.



Gary Carr
Regional Chair

Halton Regional Meeting Schedule

May 21 - Offices closed for Victoria Day
May 23, 1:30 p.m. - Administration & Finance Committee

May 23, 4:00 p.m. - Planning & Public Works Committee - EFW/GreenCart at 6:30 p.m.

Town hands over \$23,000 in grants

A committee of council has approved close to \$23,000 in grants to area groups for mainly tourist-related events.

Community Affairs Committee, a five-councillor committee, approved grants to:

- \$750, Georgetown BIA for marketing and promotion
- \$1,500, Village Festival and car show for the delivery and pickup of equipment
- \$750, Halton-Peel Highland Games for marketing and promotion and \$2,038.78 for the delivery and pickup of equipment
- \$750, Acton BIA for marketing and promotion
- \$2,007.38, A Taste of Acton and Leathertown Festival for the delivery and pickup of equipment
- \$503.30, Canada Day concert, for waiving of park fees.

The committee approved the first installment of a Chamber of Commerce request for \$28,440 to

offset costs for tourism. The chamber will receive \$14,220, but the committee will consider at a future meeting whether to pay the remaining amount.

The committee denied the Farmers' Market request for \$150—the waiving of food licence fees.

Halton Region Health Department will also receive \$398.81, equivalent to waiving of fees for the flu clinics.

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Halton Hills council supported a City of Vaughan resolution calling on the provincial government to provide property tax relief to seniors by rebating either the education portion of the residential property taxes or a portion of the rental expenses. Councillor Joan Robson, who asked for the endorsement, said she has tried to get tax relief for seniors many times to no avail, "but one more try won't do any harm."

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