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## Feedback sought on GreenCart expansion

The Region wants to hear from local residents regarding the Halton-wide expansion of the GreenCart program and is holding a public information centre this Thursday to do so.

The drop-in session on the GreenCart initiative — which collects household food waste and composts it, turning it into material for use in landscaping, agriculture and restoration projects — will run from 5 to 8 p.m. at the Milton Sports Centre.

The meeting will provide residents with an update on the program and offer an opportunity for input on the following options:

- The GreenCart program or other alternative technologies
- GreenCart implementation in the urban area, rural hamlets and/or rural areas

- Bi-weekly garbage collection in combination with GreenCart and weekly Blue Box pick-up

- Bag limit reductions in combination with GreenCart and weekly blue box pick-up (with bag tag option).

"Halton Region is committed to consulting with the public on initiatives that will impact our residents," said Regional Chair Gary Carr. "We encourage residents to get involved as your input is invaluable to regional council on important issues such as expanding the GreenCart program."

Those who can't make it to the public information centre can submit comments by e-mail to [greenkart@halton.ca](mailto:greenkart@halton.ca) or by calling (905) 825-6000.

A region-wide telephone survey was also conducted to determine attitudes regarding the program.

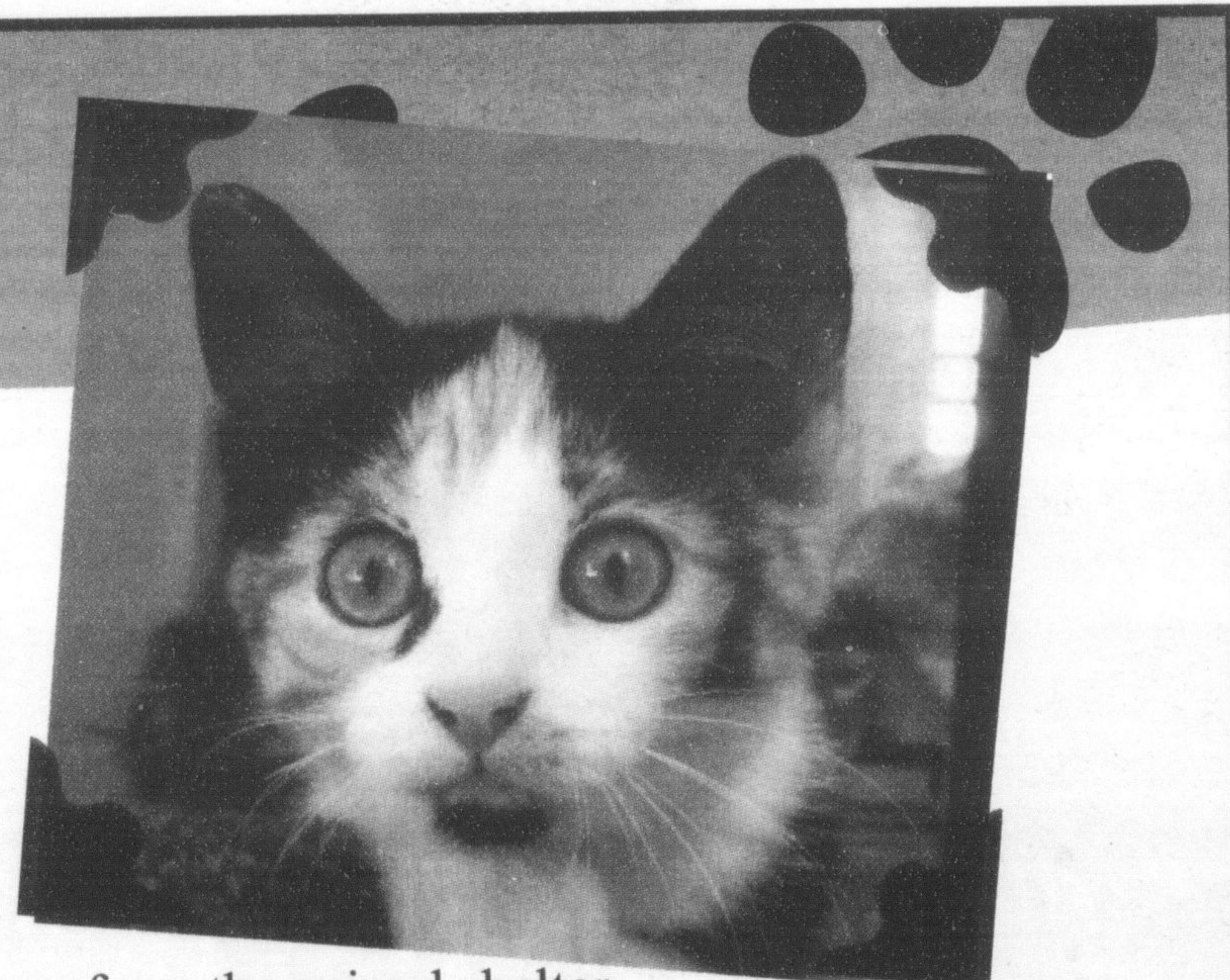
The GreenCart program has been piloted for a year in more than 5,000 homes throughout Halton. After one year, the initiative has diverted 721,350 pounds of food waste out of the landfill — that's equivalent to 61,400 bags of garbage. Instead, the materials were sent to be composted.

The pilot areas were selected based on a range of demographics in the region, including established areas, new areas, high-density areas and a rural area.

The expansion of the GreenCart program is identified as a component in the 2006-10 Solid Waste Management Strategy to help achieve 60 per cent diversion of waste from the landfill, thereby extending the life of the Region's landfill site.

# PET Profile

## Ren's PETS Depot



FEATURING  
**DAISY**

Hi my name is Daisy. I am a 9 month old Calico DSH. My mom adopted me from the animal shelter and showed me the Ren's high life! Now I am the spoiled princess that every cat deserves to be. Being a young vivacious kitten I live to play. I love my Cosmic Cat Fur Mice, so realistic and fun to toss. But variety as they say is the spice of life so I also enjoy my Spot Cat Springs. You never know which way they'll go next! When it's time for a royal treat, my mom gives me Whiskas Temptations cat treats. With so many different flavours I can have a different one everyday of the week! Now living this life hasn't gone to my head. I help my mom out with all the foster kitties and tell them about what a great place Ren's is so they can tell their future parents where all the good stuff is. And now you know too!

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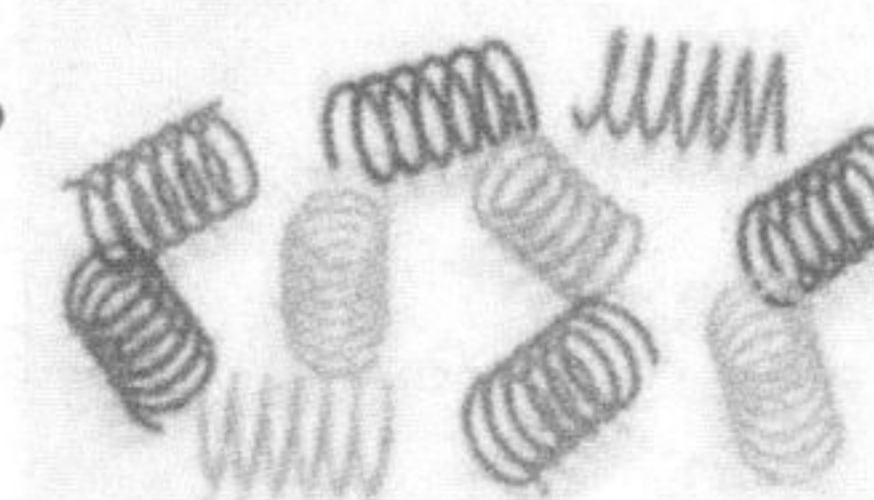
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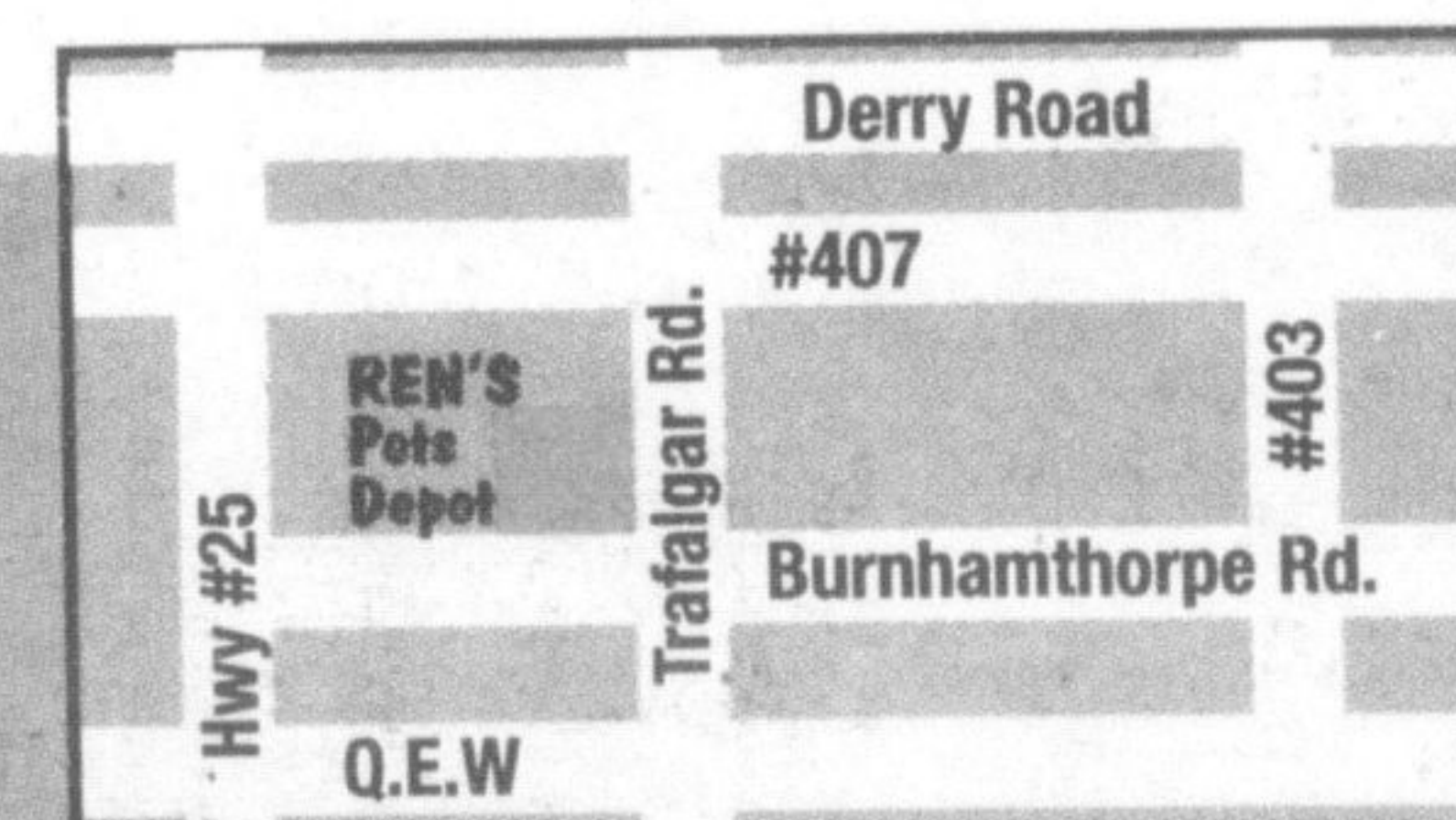


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