

**THIS ADVERTISEMENT IS OF PARTICULAR INTEREST TO MARKHAM and PICKERING TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS**

**Introducing a unique new system of  
Garbage Collection by Spademan**

# **GARBAGE AWARENESS BAGS**

In order to provide a more efficient and equitable service, effective April 1, 1971 we are starting a completely new pay as you go garbage removal program; our entire household service will be handled in disposable plastic bags. Here's how it works!

The customer purchases the bags from our distributors for \$30 each (tax included) and we provide the pickup and removal of the bags at no extra cost. **YOU PAY FOR THE SERVICE WITH THE BAG.** Bags are available in bundles of ten.

As customary, filled bags should be tied with ties provided, and placed at the curb or roadside in plain view so the truck can pick them up. Our bags are marked for easy identification. **MATERIAL NOT IN OUR BAG WILL NOT BE TAKEN.**

For furniture, used appliances and those items unsuitable to be placed in bags, please phone the office to arrange for special pick-up.

This system offers these advantages:

1. You will be paying only for the garbage you put out. By cutting down on the volume you can cut the cost of garbage removal.
2. Be aware of the disposal problem and help to protect the environment by reducing the amount of waste.
3. You will have control of the cost of your garbage removal: **NEVER BEFORE HAS THE CUSTOMER KNOWN THE ACTUAL COST OF HIS DISPOSAL.**
4. No cans to carry back in; no lost lids.
5. Efficient and equitable operation. The cost of garbage collection will be directly related to the volume of garbage generated.

### **FACTS YOU SHOULD KNOW**

The average household is putting out 5 lbs. of garbage per person per day. This is increasing.

60% of household garbage is paper and could be recycled.

Write your Member of Parliament about a newsprint recycling plant in Ontario. It would be to your advantage. More jobs would be created in handling waste paper than in building more pulp and paper mills, and they would be permanent year round jobs.

Presently there is no guarantee that newsprint can be resold.

It is possible to take your own garbage to the dump.

### **THINGS YOU CAN DO**

Improve your image.

Reduce your amount of garbage

Be environmentally concerned — use returnable bottles, etc.

Keep your community Clean — there are three reasons for this.

Love, Pride and Necessity — **CANADA IS WATCHING YOU.**

Bags may be purchased at the following distributors:

- Crothers Pharmacy Ltd., 74 Wellington St., Markham
- Graham's Store, 266 Main St. N., Markham
- Green's Pharmacy, 122 Main St. N., Markham
- Mac's Milk, 55 Wellington St. W., Markham
- Markham Pharmacy Co. Ltd., 102 Main St. N., Markham
- Mac's Milk, 454 Markham Road, Richmond Hill
- Mac's Milk, No. 7 Highway, Unionville

- Ringwood General Store, Ringwood
- Brougham Post Office, Brougham
- Whitevale General Store, Whitevale
- Mac's Milk, 18 Harwood Ave. North, Ajax
- Corner Food Store, Claremont
- Greenwood General Store, Greenwood
- Baxendales, Green River
- Wade's General Store, Locust Hill
- Box Grove Store, Box Grove
- Cherrywood Store, Cherrywood

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