

TOWN OF LAFLECHE

BYLAW NO. 538-25

A BYLAW TO ESTABLISH MANDATORY RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL RECYCLING AND WASTE COLLECTION SERVICES

The Council of the Town of Lafleche, in the Province of Saskatchewan, enacts as follows:

1. The purpose of this Bylaw is to set the regulations and fees for recycling and waste collection services for residential and commercial properties within the Town of Lafleche. This Bylaw shall be cited as "The Waste Management Bylaw."

DEFINITIONS

2. For the purpose of this Bylaw:
 - a) "Carts" refers to the 96-gallon containers provided by the contractor, blue carts for recycling and grey carts for waste collection;
 - b) "Bins" refers to the large capacity containers provided by the contractor used for commercial waste collection;
 - c) "Waste" means unwanted household refuse or commercial refuse and does not include recycling, compost material, demolition material or hazardous material;
 - d) "Owner" means the registered owner of the property as indicated by Information Services Corporation and on the municipal tax and utility rolls;
 - e) "Town" means the Town of Lafleche;
 - f) "Council" means the Council for the Town of Lafleche;
 - g) "CAO" means the Chief Administrative Officer for the Town of Lafleche;
 - h) "Contractor" means the individual or corporation retained by the Town of Lafleche for recycling and waste collection services;
 - i) "Collection day" means the day upon which the contractor shall provide recycling and waste collection pick-up to occupied properties — recycling and waste collection schedules will alternate for carts only resulting in a bi-weekly service for each;
 - j) "Occupied Properties" shall mean a parcel of land in the Town of Lafleche where a residence or business is situated, as deemed by the Chief Administrative Officer;
 - k) "Municipal nuisance ground" refers to the Town of Lafleche and R.M. of Wood River transfer station located at NW 35-08-05 W3.

RECYCLING

3. Residential recycling services are mandatory for all occupied properties in Town, and will be provided by the contractor with a blue cart, identified with a unique serial number associated with the property it is provided to.
4. Commercial recycling services are mandatory for all commercial properties where a utility account is created, not including tax exempt properties unless requested by the property owner.
5. If a cart is not provided to a commercial property by the contractor, the commercial property must arrange for recycling services with regularly scheduled pick-ups by a service provider, and file this information with the Town.

WASTE COLLECTION

6. Residential waste collection services are mandatory for all occupied properties in Town, and will be provided by the contractor with a grey cart, identified with a unique serial number associated with the property it is provided to.
7. Residential waste accumulation (including pet waste) to be collected by the contractor must be put in a plastic or similar bag, to reduce the likelihood of waste spoiling in the cart. Bagging prevents loose material from blowing away when being emptied. Double bag when necessary.
8. Commercial waste collection services are mandatory for all commercial properties in Town. Where waste accumulation is perceived to exceed a cart, the contractor will supply either one additional cart or a bin, upon review with the owner. The fees charged for this service, as provided in Schedule 'B,' will be charged to the owner and included in the Town's bi-monthly utility billing.
9. Any waste once collected by the contractor, is considered the property of the contractor to do with as it sees fit. The contractor reserves the right to return to the owner any waste that has been collected.
10. Where a property is not designated as occupied and waste collection services are not provided, the owner will be responsible for waste disposal to the municipal nuisance ground.

GENERAL

11. Owners shall separate all recycling materials, to be deposited in the blue carts as provided, from their waste, to be deposited in the grey carts as provided.
12. Owners are responsible for the general cleanliness of the carts and bins as provided by the contractor.
13. The recycling and waste collection schedule shall be provided by the contractor and available online and at the Town Office. Carts must be placed at the curb as per the contractor's schedule, on collection day. All bins provided for commercial use will follow a schedule as decided by the owner and the contractor.
 - a) Carts shall be placed at the curb no earlier than 8:00 p.m. the night before collection day and no later than 7:00 a.m. the morning of collection day.
 - b) Carts shall be removed from the curb no later than 8:00 p.m. on the day of collection.
14. All carts and bins remain the property of the contractor and shall not be used for any other purpose than waste collection, or be moved from the property as assigned. If a replacement cart, or bin, is required, the property owner will be responsible for all fees charged by the contractor.
15. No person shall place solid waste or other material in a cart or bin located anywhere in Town unless they are the owner of the property to which the contractor has provided to.
16. Schedule 'C' provides the list of acceptable and non-acceptable items for the recycling and waste collection carts.

RATES & FEES

17. The Town shall charge rates as set out in Schedule 'A' and 'B' and will be charged to the owner on the same account as the water and sewer service, or utility invoice, every two months.

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18. Where the owner fails to make payment on the utility account for recycling and waste collection services the Town may add the unpaid fees to the tax roll, for the property, pursuant to Section 405 of *The Municipalities Act*.

OFFENCES & PENALTIES


19. If any person fails, neglects or refuses to comply with this Bylaw, Council, at the expense of the owner, may carry remedial action in default and the local governing authority may recover expenses incurred by action in any court of competent jurisdiction or through municipal taxes.

REPEAL BYLAWS

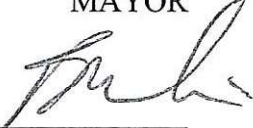
20. That Bylaw No. 492-17 and Bylaw No. 521-23 are hereby repealed.

Read a third time and adopted this 15th day of October, 2025.






MAYOR



ADMINISTRATOR



CERTIFIED A TRUE COPY OF THE BYLAW
ADOPTED BY THE RESOLUTIONS OF THE COUNCIL
ON THE 15th DAY OF October
A.D. 2025



TOWN ADMINISTRATOR

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Schedule 'A' to Bylaw No. 538-25

The following bi-weekly recycling service fees will be invoiced every second month:

1. Residential Recycling Fee - \$18.00 per month per recycling cart.
2. Commercial Recycling Fee - \$18.00 per month per recycling cart.



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Schedule 'B' to Bylaw No. 538-25

The following bi-weekly waste collection service fees will be invoiced every second month:

1. Residential Waste Collection Fee - \$15.00 per month per cart.
2. Commercial Waste Collection Fee - \$15.00 per month per cart.

The following waste collection service fees will be invoiced every second month:

3. Commercial Waste Collection Fee for Monthly Service - \$45.00 per month per 3 yard bin.
4. Commercial Waste Collection Fee for Monthly Service - \$60.00 per month per 4 yard bin.
5. Commercial Waste Collection Fee for Monthly Service - \$90.00 per month per 6 yard bin.
6. Commercial Waste Collection Fee for Bi-weekly Service - \$90.00 per month per 3 yard bin.
7. Commercial Waste Collection Fee for Bi-weekly Service - \$120.00 per month per 4 yard bin.
8. Commercial Waste Collection Fee for Bi-weekly Service - \$180.00 per month per 6 yard bin.
9. Commercial Waste Collection Fee for Weekly Service - \$120.00 per month per 3 yard bin.
10. Commercial Waste Collection Fee for Weekly Service - \$150.00 per month per 4 yard bin.
11. Commercial Waste Collection Fee for Weekly Service - \$360.00 per month per 6 yard bin.



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Schedule 'C' to Bylaw No. 538-25

The following list of acceptable items can be recycled, as per the contractor:

1. Cardboard, boxboard, office paper, newsprint, magazines, catalogues;
2. Plastic containers, plastic milk jugs, milk and juice cartons;
3. Tin, aluminum and glass.

The following list of items *cannot* be recycled, as per the contractor:

1. No clamshell type food containers labelled #1;
2. No oil containers or chemical jugs;
3. No lightbulbs;
4. No plastic bags and stretch wrap (single use plastics);
5. No wood and scrap metal;
6. No Styrofoam and plastic utensils;
7. No hoses and rubber items;
8. No toys, clothing and diapers;
9. No food and garbage.

The following list of acceptable items can be disposed of in the waste collection *carts only*, as per the contractor:

1. Bagged, household waste;
2. Small, lightweight items;
3. Pet waste (double bagged);
4. Any other material as approved by the Contractor.

The following list of items *cannot* be disposed of in the waste collection *carts only*, as per the contractor:

1. No chemical jugs;
2. No paint cans;
3. No hazardous waste material;
4. No batteries;
5. No construction material.

