

Regional Clerk's Office  
CORPORATE SERVICES DEPARTMENT

**REVISED AGENDA**

**SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE**

Committee Room "A"  
Administrative Centre  
17250 Yonge Street  
Newmarket, Ontario

March 11, 2009

9:00 a.m.

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**DISCLOSURES OF INTERESTS**

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**A. DEPUTATION**

*(Subject to the Committee granting deputant status.)*

1. *Rebecca Beaton, Aurora Resident, and communication from Evelina MacEachern, Councillor, Town of Aurora, regarding 'Town of Aurora- One Day Household Hazardous Waste Event'.* **Attached**

**B. PRESENTATIONS**

1. None.

**C. COMMUNICATION**

1. Anita Moore, Town Clerk, Town of Newmarket, March 3, 2009 regarding 'Review of the *Waste Diversion Act* and the Blue Box Recycling Program'. **1**

**D. REPORTS SUBMITTED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES**

1. **Implementation of ISO14001 Environmental Management System for Solid Waste Management and the Integration of the Quality and Environmental Management Systems** **3**

February 26, 2009, recommending that:

1. The following report be received for information by Committee and Council.

**2. Orgaworld Contract Amendment Update**

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February 25, 2009, recommending that:

1. The Region enter into a contract with Orgaworld Canada Ltd. to provide transportation and treatment of up to an additional 30,000 tonnes per year of Source Separated Organic waste at a Base Processing Fee of \$114.43 per tonne as outlined in this report pursuant to the sole source provisions of the Purchasing By-law.
2. Regional Council authorize the Commissioner of Environmental Services to re-amend the contract with Orgaworld and to extend their contract term until June 18, 2022 as outlined in this report.
3. Regional Council authorize the Regional Chair and Regional Clerk to sign the necessary agreement, subject to review by Legal Services.

**3. Elimination of Plastic Bags from York Region's Source Separated Organics Program**

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February 26, 2009, recommending that:

1. Council authorize staff to implement a phased elimination of plastic bags in the Region's source separated organics program according to the strategy and timelines outlined in this report.
2. Council authorize staff to initiate this strategy by undertaking the Option 2 Region-wide pilot project described in this report.
3. Staff report back to Council on the result of the pilot project before the end of 2009 providing a basis for a decision regarding an implementation date for mandatory use of compostable Green Bin certified compostable bag liners Region-wide.

**4. Waste Diversion Ontario's 2007 Results and Reporting of Diversion 27**

February 26, 2009, recommending that:

1. Council acknowledge the critical role of York Region's residents, Local Municipalities, Committees, Councils and staff in achieving leadership status as number one in the category of Large Urban Municipalities in the Waste Diversion Ontario's 2007 datacall. Further, with the continued support of Council, all of these essential participants are encouraged to continue their efforts to build on this success and achieve even stronger results in the future consistent with the Region's long-term waste management objectives.
2. Council authorize staff to develop and implement a protocol for reporting of waste management performance data based on the standardized terminology and principles described herein taking into consideration the needs of the Region's Local Municipalities.

**OTHER BUSINESS**

**MOTION TO RESOLVE INTO PRIVATE SESSION  
TO CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING MATTER:**

5. Private report of the Commissioner of Environmental Services - Green Lane Transportation Contract Conclusion - Security of Municipal Property.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Note: There may be additional items considered that do not appear on this Agenda. Please refer to the Committee Report to Council for all items considered at this meeting. See also Regional Council Agendas, Minutes and Reports at: [www.york.ca](http://www.york.ca)