



Township of Stirling-Rawdon



Why do I have to use clear bags?

Recyclables such as cans, plastic bottles & containers are still going into the landfill. The reason for clear bags is to keep items that can be recycled out of the household garbage bags and therefore out of the landfill.

Where do I buy clear bags?

Local stores are stocking clear and tinted garbage bags— small and large sizes.

What about privacy?

One solid colour 'kitchen catcher size' bag is permitted in each clear bag, these can be used for personal hygiene items.

Do I still have to use Bag Tags?

Yes— bag tags still apply. Every clear bag of household garbage left for curbside pickup or taken to the landfill must have a red Stirling-Rawdon bag tag affixed.

What if I don't use a clear bag?

Solid colour bags will not be picked up at curbside and will not be taken at the landfill site.

What if I have recyclables in my clear bag?

Clear bags that have recyclables in them will not be picked up. If you normally take your household garbage to the waste site, you will be given the option of removing the recyclables from your clear bag, or alternatively a \$10.00 fee will apply.

What can I put in my clear bag?

Household garbage only — everything that is not recyclable and not hazardous or electronic waste.

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