



Ottawa Valley Waste Recovery Centre

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Laurentian Valley Curbside Collection

Residents asked to be patient with new contract

Pembroke, ON: A new curbside collection contract started for Laurentian Valley on April 4th. As with anything new, there have been some delays and residents are asked to be patient as the Township continues to work with the new contractor, Canadian Waste Management to work out all the details.

“Changes in collection days and routing have caused delays.” States Steve Bennett, Laurentian Valley Councillor and Chairman of the Ottawa Valley Waste Management Board. **“The contractor is getting use to the routes and quantities of material set-out and working hard to tweak their collection methods to provide a more efficient service. We are asking residents to be patient and to keep following the collection schedules provided to them by OVWRC.”**

Residents need to refer to their collection schedule to ensure they are setting their material out by 5:00 am on the proper collection day. The collection schedule also details what material is to be collected and other special collections that happen throughout the year.

The Township of Laurentian Valley, the Ottawa Valley Waste Recovery Centre and Canadian Waste Management have all been working together to resolve some of the collection concerns of residents.

“Everyone has been very understanding of the changes and delays.” Comments Sue Campbell, General Manager, Ottawa Valley Waste Recovery Centre. **“We are in constant contact with the Township and Canadian Waste and are all working together to ensure residents receive the best service possible.”**

If residents have a question regarding collection they are asked to contact the Township of Laurentian Valley Municipal Office at 613-735-6291.