



Mississippi Mills 2048

Our Community, Our Future



Solid Waste Management Strategy Update

- Review current services that Mississippi Mills provides internally or through external contracts
- Review Waste Management Policy and program trends in similar municipalities and for Best Practices
- Perform a needs assessment over the 25-year planning period
 - Include results of recent curbside waste audit to plan for future diversion program
- Develop short, mid, and long-term options for waste management to satisfy the needs of the Municipality.

Current Services:

- Curbside Recycling & Curbside Garbage Collection
- Seasonal Curbside Leaf and Yard Waste Collection
- Seasonal Curbside Christmas Tree Pickup
- Recycling Depots (Pakenham and Howie Road)
- Annual Dump Passes
- Household Hazardous Waste Depot Partnership with Carleton Place

Project Timeline

- ① Kick-off Public Info Session
- ② Legislative Review
- ③ Needs Assessment
- ④ Options Assessment
- ⑤ Implementation Plan

Recycling Program Transition

The recycling program in Ontario is transitioning from a shared industry funding model to a full producer responsibility model where producers are operationally and financially responsible.

As of July 1, 2023, Mississippi Mills has transitioned the recycling program over to Circular Materials who is the not-for-profit Producer Responsibility Organization who is the program administrator on behalf of the Province. Mississippi Mills no longer administers the recycling program due to this.

Beginning 2026, Circular Materials will be implementing a new common recycling collection system for all of Ontario.