

## Council Members

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Wednesday, August 7, 2024

**Re: Resolution - Ineligible Sources Recycling - Town of South  
Bruce Peninsula**

Dear Premier Ford, Minister Khanjin, and Mr. Byers

At its meeting of August 7, 2024, the Council of the Township of  
Whitewater Region adopted the following resolution:

**That Council of the Township of Whitewater Region support  
the request from the Town of South Bruce Peninsula that the  
province amend Ontario Regulation 391/21: Blue Box, so that  
producers are responsible for the end-of-life management of  
recycling products from all sources.**


Carried - Resolution #2024-5151

Sincerely,

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April 29, 2024

The Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario  
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The Honourable Andrea Khanjin, Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks  
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Dear Premier Ford, Minister Khanjin, and Mr. Byers,

At the April 2, 2024, Town of South Bruce Peninsula Council meeting, the following resolution was passed:

### **R-111-2024**

**Whereas** under Ontario Regulation 391/21: Blue Box, producers are fully accountable and financially responsible for their products and packaging once they reach their end of life and are disposed of, for 'eligible' sources only;

**And whereas** 'ineligible' sources which producers are not responsible for including businesses, places of worship, daycares, campgrounds, public-facing and internal areas of municipal-owned buildings and not-for-profit organizations, such as shelters and food banks;

**And whereas** should a municipality continue to provide services to the 'ineligible' sources, the municipality will be required to oversee the collection, transportation, and processing of the recycling, assuming 100% of the costs;

**Therefore be it resolved that** the Council of the Corporation of the Town of South Bruce Peninsula hereby request that the province amend Ontario Regulation 391/21: Blue Box, so that producers are responsible for the end-of-life management of recycling products from all sources;

**And that** Council hereby request the support of all Ontario municipalities;

**And further that** this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario, the Honourable Andrea Khanjin, Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks, the Honourable Rick Byers, MPP Bruce-Grey-Owen Sound, and to all Ontario municipalities.

I trust you find this satisfactory; however, should you have any questions or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'B. Collins'.

Brianna Collins, P.Eng.  
Director of Public Works

cc: All Ontario municipalities