

May 21st, 2024

Premier's Office Room 281 Legislative Building, Queen's Park Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

ATTENTION: Hon. Doug Ford

Dear Premier Ford,

RE: Resolution – Request to the Province to Amend the Blue Box Regulation

Please be advised that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Lanark Highlands passed the following resolution at their regular meeting held April 23rd, 2024:

Moved by Councillor Summers

Seconded by Councillor Kelso

THAT, the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Lanark Highlands supports the resolution of the Town of Coburg regarding the request to the Province to amend the blue box regulation;

AND THAT, a copy of the support letter be sent to the Premier of Ontario, AMO and member municipalities.

Resolved

Sincerely,

Amanda Noil

Amanda Noël, Clerk/Acting CAO

Encls.

c.c. AMO

All Ontario Municipalities



The Corporation of the Town of Cobourg

Resolution

Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario Premier of Ontario Legislative Building Queen's Park Toronto ON M7A 1A1 Town of Cobourg 55 King Street West, Cobourg, ON, K9A 2M2 clerk@cobourg.ca Town of Cobourg

Delivered via email

doug.fordco@pc.ola.org premier@ontario.ca April 8, 2024

RE: Correspondence from the Township of Perry regarding a Request to the Province to Amend the Blue Box Regulation

Please be advised that the Town of Cobourg Council, at its meeting held on March 27, 2024, passed the following resolution:

THAT Council receive the correspondence from the Township of Perry regarding a Request to the Province to Amend the Blue Box Regulation for information purposes; and

FURTHER THAT Council support the recommendation of the Township of Perry and send a copy of the support letter to the Premier of Ontario, AMO and member municipalities.

Sincerely,

Kristina Lepik

Deputy Clerk/Manager, Legislative Services

Enclosure.

cc. AMO

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February 26, 2024

Via Email

The Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario Premier's Office Room 281, Legislative Building, Queen's Park Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Dear Premier Ford,

RE: Request to the Province to Amend Blue Box Regulation for 'Ineligible' Sources

At their last regular meeting on Wednesday February 21, 2024, the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Perry supported the following:

"Resolution #2024-52 Moved by: Paul Sowrey Seconded by: Jim Cushman

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 include 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;

Be it resolved that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Perry 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 further 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 Graydon Smith, MPP Parry Sound-Muskoka, and to all Ontario Municipalities.

Carried."

Your attention to this matter is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Beth Morton

Clerk-Administrator

BM/ec

c.c. Honourable Andrea Khanjin, Minister of Environment, Conservation and Parks Honourable Graydon Smith, MPP Parry Sound-Muskoka All Ontario Municipalities