

## **Appendix 2 - Local Area Municipality Council Resolutions**

### **1) Fort Erie:**

#### **a) Fort Erie Council Meeting of January 21, 2019:** Niagara Solid Waste Management Report IS-02-2019

##### **Resolution No. 6**

Moved by: Councillor Noyes

Seconded by: Councillor Dubanow

**That:** Council receives the “Region of Niagara 2021 Waste Collection Contract – Proposed Options and Fort Erie Enhanced Collection Services”, and further

**That:** Council endorses the eight (8) recommendations included within this report.

##### **Resolution No. 7**

Moved by: Councillor Dubanow

Seconded by: Councillor Butler

**That:** The second recommendation be amended by adding at the end: “to be included in the Region’s RFP as options”. (Carried)

Following the approval of the amendment, Recommendation No. 7 was voted on as amended, as follows:

**That:** Council receives the “Region of Niagara 2021 Waste Collection Contract – Proposed Options and Fort Erie Enhanced Collection Services”, and further

**That:** Council endorses the eight (8) recommendations included within this report to be included in the Region’s RFP as options. (Carried)

##### **Notice of Motion**

Councillor Butler gave notice she will be bringing forward a motion returnable February 11th, requesting the Region to consider bringing waste management in-house to the Region as opposed to contracting out.

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### **b) Town of Fort Erie Council meeting of February 11, 2019:**

Please be advised the Municipal Council of the Town of Fort Erie at its meeting of February 11, 2019 passed the following resolution:

**Whereas** The Regional Municipality of Niagara (the "Region") is looking to reduce costs by going to a bi-weekly service; and

**Whereas** the Region currently contracts out Waste Management Services to the private sector; and

**Whereas** the Region continues to encounter problems with the delivery of services from the private sector both currently and in the past; and

**Whereas** it would benefit the Region for Regional staff to bring a report forward to Regional Councillors of the benefits and cost savings, if any, associated with bringing in the Waste Management Program in-house prior to establishing an RFP to be released for contractual services;

**Now therefore be it resolved,**

**That:** The Town of Fort Erie hereby requests The Regional Municipality of Niagara to prepare a report for Regional Council that speaks to the benefits and cost savings, if any, associated with bringing the Waste Management Contracts in-house; and further

**That:** This resolution be sent to all Local Municipalities within The Regional Municipality of Niagara, and the CAO, Clerk, Chair and Councillors of The Regional Municipality of Niagara.

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### **2) Grimsby:**

#### **a) Grimsby Public Works Committee Meeting of December 12, 2018:**

Public Works Committee Minutes, December 12, 2018 C-18-229

DPW18-42 - Region of Niagara 2020 Waste Collection Contract - Proposed Changes and Grimsby Enhanced Collection Services

**PW18-57**

Moved by Councillor R. Vaine;

Seconded by Councillor R. Freake;

Resolved that Report DPW18-42 dated December 4, 2018 regarding 'Region of Niagara 2020 Waste Collection Contract - Proposed Changes and Grimsby Enhanced Collection Services' be received and that the eight (8) recommendations included within this report hereby be endorsed and forwarded to Town Council for approval.

**CARRIED**

#### **b) Grimsby Council Meeting of December 17, 2018:**

Moved by Councillor Dunstall;

Seconded by Councillor Bothwell;

Resolved that the Public Works Committee meeting minutes of December 12, 2018 be received and that the recommendations contained therein be approved.

**CARRIED**

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### **3) Lincoln:**

#### **a) Community Services & Infrastructure Committee Meeting of February 13, 2019:**

Motion No. CSI-2019-07

Moved by Councillor L. Timmers

Receive and file PW 05-19, Region of Niagara 2020 Waste Collection Service Contract – Proposed Changes and Town of Lincoln Enhanced Collection Services.

Niagara Region proposed recommendations 1 through 8 be endorsed:

1. Pricing for the following garbage collection frequency options:
  - a) That every-other-week garbage collection be implemented for all residential properties and for those Industrial, Commercial and Institutional properties and Mixed Use properties located outside Designated Business Areas as a base service. Current garbage container limits would double for all properties, on an every-other-week basis. The recycling and organic bin collection for all properties shall remain weekly collection. Those Industrial, Commercial and Institutional properties and Mixed Use properties located inside the Designated Business Areas would continue to receive weekly garbage, recycling and organics collection as a base service.
  - b) Status quo – weekly base garbage collection service.
2. That switching to mandatory use of clear garbage bags with optional opaque privacy bag, for all sectors be considered an option and more information be shared on opportunities and challenges of such a change.
3. That the establishment of a four (4) item limit per residential unit, per collection, for large item collection at Low Density Residential properties be approved as a base service as per the recommendation of the Waste Management Division of Niagara Region.
4. That the appliance and scrap metal pick-up be discontinued at Low Density Residential properties as per the recommendation of the Waste Management Division of Niagara Region.
5. That the number of garbage bags/containers for Industrial Commercial and Institutional properties and Mixed Use properties inside Designated Business

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Areas be reduced from seven (7) to four (4) per week, as a base service as per the recommendation of the Waste Management Division of Niagara Region.

6. That the number of garbage bags/containers for Mixed Use properties outside Designate Business Areas be reduced from six (6) to four (4) per week, or eight (8) containers per week under every-other-week garbage collection, as a base service as per the recommendation of the Waste Management Division of Niagara Region.
7. That the Town's enhanced service and extra payment for front-end garbage collection at Town owned facilities continue.
8. That pricing for the provision of a new enhanced service for large item collection (parallel to the service approved for Low Density Residential properties) to those households in Multi Residential buildings with seven (7) or more residential units and Mixed Use properties with one (1) or more residential unit, that receive the Region's base curbside or enhanced front- end garbage collection service, be included in the upcoming Regional tender.
9. That Council direct the Clerk to inform the Region of the Town's position on the proposed waste collection service changes.

### **CARRIED**

At this time a verbal motion was made to reconsider item 7.1. Chair Rintjema announced that by majority vote the item would be reconsidered.

Members concluded deliberations with the following amended motion

#### **Motion No. CSI-2019-08**

Moved by Councillor P. MacPherson

Receive and file PW 05-19, Region of Niagara 2020 Waste Collection Service Contract – Proposed Changes and Town of Lincoln Enhanced Collection Services.

Niagara Region proposed recommendations 1 through 8 be endorsed:

1. Pricing for the following garbage collection frequency options:

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- a) That every-other-week garbage collection be implemented for all residential properties and for those Industrial, Commercial and Institutional properties and Mixed Use properties located outside Designated Business Areas as a base service. Current garbage container limits would double for all properties, on an every-other-week basis. The recycling and organic bin collection for all properties shall remain weekly collection. Those Industrial, Commercial and Institutional properties and Mixed Use properties located inside the Designated Business Areas would continue to receive weekly garbage, recycling and organics collection as a base service.
  - b) Status quo – weekly base garbage collection service.
- ~~2. That switching to mandatory use of clear garbage bags with optional opaque privacy bag, for all sectors be considered an option and more information be shared on opportunities and challenges of such a change. (AS AMENDED)~~**
3. That the establishment of a four (4) item limit per residential unit, per collection, for large item collection at Low Density Residential properties be approved as a base service as per the recommendation of the Waste Management Division of Niagara Region.
  4. That the appliance and scrap metal pick-up be discontinued at Low Density Residential properties as per the recommendation of the Waste Management Division of Niagara Region.
  5. That the number of garbage bags/containers for Industrial Commercial and Institutional properties and Mixed Use properties inside Designated Business Areas be reduced from seven (7) to four (4) per week, as a base service as per the recommendation of the Waste Management Division of Niagara Region.
  6. That the number of garbage bags/containers for Mixed Use properties outside Designate Business Areas be reduced from six (6) to four (4) per week, or eight (8) containers per week under every-other-week garbage collection, as a base service as per the recommendation of the Waste Management Division of Niagara Region.
  7. That the Town's enhanced service and extra payment for front-end garbage collection at Town owned facilities continue.

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8. That pricing for the provision of a new enhanced service for large item collection (parallel to the service approved for Low Density Residential properties) to those households in Multi Residential buildings with seven (7) or more residential units and Mixed Use properties with one (1) or more residential unit, that receive the Region's base curbside or enhanced front- end garbage collection service, be included in the upcoming Regional tender.
9. That Council direct the Clerk to inform the Region of the Town's position on the proposed waste collection service changes.

### **CARRIED (AS AMENDED)**

**b) Lincoln Council Meeting of February 19, 2019:**

Please be advised that at the Community Services and Infrastructure Committee held on February 13, 2019 and ratified at Council on February 19, 2019, Council for the Corporation of the Town of Lincoln passed the following motion:

Receive and file PW 05-19, Region of Niagara 2020 Waste Collection Service Contract - Proposed Changes and Town of Lincoln Enhanced Collection Services.

Niagara Region proposed recommendations 1 through 8 be endorsed:

1. Pricing for the following garbage collection frequency options:
  - a) That every-other-week garbage collection be implemented for all residential properties and for those Industrial, Commercial and Institutional properties and Mixed Use properties located outside Designated Business Areas as a base service. Current garbage container limits would double for all properties, on an every-other-week basis. The recycling and organic bin collection for all properties shall remain weekly collection. Those Industrial, Commercial and Institutional properties and Mixed Use properties located inside the Designated Business Areas would continue to receive weekly garbage, recycling and organics collection as a base service.
  - b) Status quo – weekly base garbage collection service.
2. That the establishment of a four (4) item limit per residential unit, per collection, for large item collection at Low Density Residential properties be approved as a base service as per the recommendation of the Waste Management Division of Niagara Region.

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3. That the appliance and scrap metal pick-up be discontinued at Low Density Residential properties as per the recommendation of the Waste Management Division of Niagara Region.
4. That the number of garbage bags/containers for Industrial Commercial and Institutional properties and Mixed Use properties inside Designated Business Areas be reduced from seven (7) to four (4) per week, as a base service as per the recommendation of the Waste Management Division of Niagara Region.
5. That the number of garbage bags/containers for Mixed Use properties outside Designate Business Areas be reduced from six (6) to four (4) per week, or eight (8) containers per week under every-other-week garbage collection, as a base service as per the recommendation of the Waste Management Division of Niagara Region.
6. That the Town's enhanced service and extra payment for front-end garbage collection at Town owned facilities continue.
7. That pricing for the provision of a new enhanced service for large item collection (parallel to the service approved for Low Density Residential properties) to those households in Multi Residential buildings with seven (7) or more residential units and Mixed Use properties with one (1) or more residential unit, that receive the Region's base curbside or enhanced front- end garbage collection service, be included in the upcoming Regional tender.
8. That Council direct the Clerk to inform the Region of the Town's position on the proposed waste collection service changes.

**CARRIED**



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### **4) Niagara Falls:**

#### **a) Niagara Falls City Council Meeting of February 12, 2019:**

At the February 12, 2019 meeting of Niagara Falls City Council, the following motions were passed:

**That** Niagara Falls City Council is not in favour of every other week waste collection. City Council requests the Region to maintain waste collection service at the current level, with weekly collection of waste, recycling and organic bin matter, and same number of bags/containers collected, for residential properties (low density residential 1-6 units) and Industrial/Commercial/Industrial -Mixed Uses outside and inside designated business areas".

**That** City Council requests that the Region collect pricing on maintaining the existing Multi-Residential (greater than 6 units) enhanced garbage collection".

**That** City Council request the Region to collect pricing on enhanced services for Public Space recycling, City litter receptacles in Designated Business Areas, and for 7 day a week collection from mid-May to mid-October in Designated Business Areas.

**That** City Council is in favour of 4 large items per residential unit, per collection, and of maintaining the appliance and scrap metal collection, but not in favour of the mandatory use of clear plastic bags."

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### **5) Niagara-on-the-Lake (NotL):**

#### **a) NotL Committee of the Whole Meeting of Monday, February 4, 2019:**

Council lifted the following report for discussion and voted on the recommendations contained in the report separately.

#### **OPS-19-003 Region of Niagara 2020 Waste Collection Contract – Proposed Changes and Niagara-on-the-Lake Enhanced Collection Service**

Moved by Councillor John Wiens that the recommendations contained in Operation Services Report OPS-19-003 be amended as follows:

- 1.1 That Council receive this report;
- 1.2 ~~That the recommendations approved by the Niagara Region included within this report be endorsed, except for the elimination of scrap metal pick up;~~
- 1.3 That the Niagara Region propose an alternative service delivery for scrap metal pick up;
- 1.4 That Council support the recommendations regarding the enhanced system put forth by the Niagara-on-the-Lake Chamber of Commerce regarding the businesses in the Heritage District:
  - a) change the pick up time from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.
  - b) do not discontinue the disposal of appliances and scrap metal curbside;
  - c) there should be consideration of pooling limits for all businesses;
  - d) retain the current enhancement services provided

#### **APPROVED, AS AMENDED.**

Recommendation 1.2 lifted and amended by adding the following: mandatory use of clear garbage bags and bi-weekly collection.

- 1.2 That the recommendations approved by the Niagara Region included within this report be endorsed, except for the elimination of scrap metal pick up; mandatory use of clear garbage bags and bi-weekly collection.

#### **APPROVED.**

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### **b) NotL Council Meeting of Monday, February 11, 2019:**

Please be advised the Council of The Corporation of the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake, at its regular meeting held on February 11, 2019 approved Report OPS-19-003, as amended, attached to this letter, which recommended the following:

- 1.1 that Council receive report OPS-19-003; and
- 1.2 that the recommendations approved by the Niagara Region included within this report be endorsed, except for the elimination of scrap metal pick up; *mandatory use of clear garbage bags and bi-weekly collection; and*
- 1.3 that the Niagara Region propose an alternative service delivery for scrap metal pick up; and
- 1.4 that Council support the recommendations regarding the enhanced system put forth by the Niagara-on-the-Lake Chamber of Commerce regarding the businesses in the Heritage District:
  - a) change the pick-up time from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.
  - b) do not discontinue the disposal of appliances and scrap metal curbside;
  - c) there should be consideration of pooling limits for all businesses;
  - d) retain the current enhancement services provided

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### **6) Pelham:**

#### **a) Town of Pelham Council Meeting of Tuesday, February 19, 2019:**

At their regular meeting of February 19, 2019, Council of the Town of Pelham enacted the following:

THAT THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PELHAM approve the report regarding the Region of Niagara 2021 Waste Collection Contract – Proposed Changes and the Town of Pelham's Enhanced Collection Services; and further,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council approve of recommendations 1 through 9 as follows:

1. That every-other-week garbage collection be implemented for all residential properties and for those Industrial, Commercial and Institutional properties and Mixed Use properties located outside Designated Business Areas as a base service. Current garbage container limits would double for all properties, on an every-other-week basis. The recycling and organic bin collection for all properties shall remain weekly collection. Those Industrial, Commercial and Institutional properties and Mixed Use properties located inside the Designated Business Areas would continue to receive weekly garbage, recycling and organics collection as a base service. The Town of Pelham Designated Business Area boundary will be reviewed and potentially expanded to include Fenwick and Ridgeville.
2. That switching to clear garbage bags be approved.
3. That the establishment of a four (4) item limit per residential unit, per collection, for large item collection at Low Density Residential properties be approved, as a base service.
4. That the appliance and scrap metal pick-up be discontinued at Low Density Residential properties.
5. That the number of garbage bags/containers for Industrial Commercial and Institutional properties and Mixed Use properties inside Designate Business Areas be reduced from seven (7) to four (4) per week, as a base service.
6. That the number of garbage bags/containers for Mixed Use properties outside Designated Business Areas be reduced from six (6) to four (4) per week, or eight (8) containers per week under every-other-week garbage collection, as a base service.

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7. That the Town of Pelham's enhanced service and extra payment for public spaces recycling in designated business areas, front-end garbage collection at multi-residential and Institutional, Commercial & Industrial properties, servicing of street litter bins in designated business areas, and enhanced waste disposal services continue.
8. That pricing of a new enhanced service for large bulky goods/item collection (parallel to the service approved for Low Density Residential properties) to those households in Multi Residential buildings with seven (7) or more residential units and Mixed Use properties with one (1) or more residential unit, that receive the Region's base curbside or enhanced front-end garbage collection service, be included in the upcoming Regional tender.
9. That the Region's RFP consider a per stop price for in-ground public space recycling and litter bins and/or for in-ground IC&I, MR and/or MU properties (all streams), as an enhanced service under provisional items.

and further,

THAT Council direct the Clerk to inform the Region of the Town of Pelham's position on the proposed waste collection service changes.

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### **7) Port Colborne:**

#### **a) Port Colborne Council Meeting of February 25, 2019:**

At its meeting held on February 25, 2019, City of Port Colborne Council approved the following proposed Regional collection changes to the 2021 collection contract:

1. That every-other-week (EOW) garbage collection be implemented, for all residential properties, including those IC&I and MU properties located outside DBAs as a base service. (Current garbage container limits would double for all properties, on an EOW basis). That Recycling and Organic Bin collection for all properties shall remain weekly collection. Those IC&I and MU properties located inside the DBAs would continue to receive weekly garbage, recycling and organics collection as a base service.
2. That the establishment of a four (4) item limit per residential unit, per collection, for large item collection at LDR properties be approved (base service).
3. That appliance and scrap metal pick-up be discontinued at LDR properties.
4. That the number of garbage bags/containers for IC&I and MU properties inside DBAs be reduced from seven (7) to four (4) per week (base service).
5. That the number of garbage bags/containers for MU properties outside DBAs be reduced from six (6) to four (4) per week, or eight (8) containers per week under EOW garbage collection (base service).
6. That the City's enhanced service levels that currently exist continue for the term of the new Regional Contract.

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### **8) St. Catharines:**

#### **a) St. Catharines Council Meeting of February 11, 2019:**

At its meeting held on February 11, 2019, St. Catharines City Council approved the following motion:

**That** Report TES-030-2019 from Transportation and Environmental Services dated January 29, 2019 regarding – Region of Niagara 2021 Waste Collection Contract – Proposed Changes and St Catharines Enhanced Collections Services, be received; and

**That** Council direct staff to notify the Region of Niagara that the City of St. Catharines receive the proposed changes to the base collection services for the next waste collection contract, as outlined in this report and summarized in Appendix 1; and

**That** Council request that the Region of Niagara, as part of the Request for Proposal for the new waste collection contract, include pricing for the following enhanced collection services for St. Catharines:

1. For existing enhanced collection services, including:
  - a. Additional Curbside recycling in the Downtown Designated Business Area (DBA) one additional day per week
  - b. Public spaces recycling in the Downtown DBA
  - c. Front-end cardboard collection in the Downtown DBA
  - d. Additional waste collection in the Downtown DBA (three additional days per week)
  - e. Front-end garbage collection for Multi-Residential (MR – seven or more residential units) properties
  - f. Street litter and park bin pick-up
2. For new enhanced collection services, including:
  - a. Additional garbage container limit for Industrial, Commercial & Institutional (IC&I) and Mixed-Use (MU) properties inside DBA areas (increasing limit by three (3) containers per pick-up, to match existing limit of seven (7) containers per pick-up)
  - b. Additional organic collection in the Downtown DBA (two additional organic collections per week)
  - c. Large item collection (parallel to the service approved for Low Density Residential properties) for those households on MR properties (Seven (7) or more residential units) and MU properties with one (1) or more residential units,

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that receive the Region's base curbside or enhanced front-end garbage collection service

- d. A per stop price for in-ground public space recycling and litter bins and a per stop price for in-ground IC&I, MR and/or MU properties (all streams); and

**That** Council direct City staff to request that the Niagara Region consider bringing some or all of its waste management services in house as part of the Niagara Region's upcoming RFP process; and

**Further**, that for the same existing and new enhanced collection services for the Port Dalhousie Business Improvement Area (BIA) as requested above for the Downtown DBA.

### **b) St. Catharines Council Meeting of February 25, 2019:**

At its meeting held on February 25, 2019, St. Catharines City Council approved the following motion:

**Whereas** Council received information from the Region of Niagara regarding their RFP for a waste management contract on February 11th, 2019;

**Whereas** Council added some items to the list of enhanced services but did not include costing for the Toronto model of wheeled bins;

**Now** therefore be it resolved that Council request the Region of Niagara to include pricing for 'a mobile alternative' (eg: totes on wheels) to replace the current plastic bag system as part of the Region's Waste Management RFP; and

**That** staff be directed to advise the Region of Council's decision.



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### **9) Thorold:**

#### **a) Thorold Council Meeting of January 15, 2019:**

At its meeting held on January 15, 2019, Councillor Handley requested the Niagara Region, as part of its waste management consultation, consider bringing the service in-house either whole or in part.

MOVED BY: Councillor Handley

SECONDED BY: Councillor DeRose

**Whereas** the Niagara Region current private waste management contracts are up for renewal in 2021; and

**Whereas** public municipal services don't need to earn profits for shareholders, shifting municipal work to the private sector makes more sense only where a company can be shown to provide equal or better service at a significantly lower cost to the City while maintaining the same or better working conditions and health and safety standards; and

**Whereas** several municipalities across Canada have brought some or all of their waste management services back in house to reduce cost, better waste diversion rate and improve levels of service.

**Now** therefore be it resolved that the City of Thorold requests that the Niagara Region bring some or all of its waste management services inhouse as part of its upcoming request for proposal process.

**CARRIED**

#### **b) Thorold Council Meeting of February 5, 2019:**

At its meeting held on February 5, 2019, Thorold City Council approved the following motion:

**PWCS2019-04**

Niagara Region Waste Collection Contract – Proposed Base and Enhanced Levels of Service

MOVED BY: Councillor Longo

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1. **That** the City of Thorold support the recommendations outlined in the Niagara Region's Report PW 3-2019.
2. **That** Regional Council be guided by the City of Thorold Resolution dated January 15, 2019 respecting the provision of in-house waste collection services.
3. **That** Regional staff be encouraged to research and source better alternatives for recycling containers that will reduce the amount of debris and litter collected along City roads and public spaces.

**CARRIED**

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### 10) Wainfleet:

#### a) **Wainfleet Council Meeting of February 12 2019:**

At its regular meeting of February 12, 2019 the Township of Wainfleet received a presentation from Brad Whitelaw regarding the renewal of the Region of Niagara's Proposed Waste Collection Contract. Staff also submitted a report regarding this matter (BESR-004/2019).

After discussion, Council expressed several concerns pertinent to the specific realities of a rural municipality with lakefront cottages and luxury homes. Council expressed concerns for the potential impact on rental homes/seasonal residents that with a single missed collection may not have garbage collected for up to 4 weeks, depending on the rental schedule. Council is also concerned that extended pick-up models would exacerbate the vermin infestation in the Niagara Region.

Council passed the following motion at their regular meeting held February 12, 2019:

**"THAT** Staff report BESR-004/2019 Re: Niagara Region Proposed Waste Collection Contract be received for information;

**THAT** Council strongly object to the proposed every-other-week garbage collection, particularly along the Lakeshore;

**THAT** Council express concern regarding:

- i. the proposed discontinuation of appliance and scrap metal curbside collection
- ii. the potential implications of illegal dumping arising from the proposed changes to the Region's waste collection contract;

**THAT** local area municipalities be afforded a final opportunity to provide comment regarding base level garbage, recycling and organics collection program services once the Request for Proposal pricing levels are known and prior to any services contract being awarded by the Region.

**AND THAT** Staff be directed to provide comment to the Niagara Region by February 20, 2019."

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### **11) Welland:**

#### **a) Welland Council Meeting of February 5, 2019:**

At its meeting held on February 5, 2019, Welland City Council approved the following motion:

**THAT** THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WELLAND approves Report ENG-2019-02 regarding Region of Niagara 2020 Waste Collection Contract - Proposed Changes and Welland Enhanced Collection Services; and further

**THAT** Welland City Council approve of recommendations as follows:

1. **That** every-other-week (EOW) garbage collection be implemented for all residential properties and for those IC&I and MU properties located outside DBAs as a base service. Current garbage container limits would double for all properties, on an EOW basis. The recycling and organic bin collection for all properties shall remain weekly collection. Those IC&I and MU properties located inside the DBAs would continue to receive weekly garbage, recycling and organics collection as a base service.
2. **That** the establishment of a four (4) item limit per residential unit, per collection, for large item collection at LDR properties be approved as a base service.
3. **That** the appliance and scrap metal pick-up be discontinued at LDR properties.
4. **That** the number of garbage bags/containers for IC&I and MU properties inside DBAs be reduced from seven (7) to four (4) per week, as a base service.
5. **That** the number of garbage bags/containers for MU properties outside DBAs be reduced from six (6) to four (4) per week, or eight (8) containers per week under EOW garbage collection, as a base service.
6. **That** the City's enhanced service and extra payment for front-end garbage collection at multi-residential properties (currently a total of 12 containers) continue.
7. **That** the provision of a new enhanced service for large item collection (parallel to the service approved for LDR properties) to those households in MR buildings with seven (7) or more residential units and MU properties with one (1) or more residential unit, that receive the Region's base curbside or enhanced front-end garbage collection service, be approved; and further

**THAT** Welland City Council directs the Clerk to inform the Region of the City's position on the proposed waste collection service changes.

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### **12) West Lincoln:**

#### **a) West Lincoln Public Works/Recreation/Arena Committee Meeting of February 19, 2019:**

At its meeting held on February 19, 2019, West Lincoln Public Works/Recreation/Arena Committee approved the following motions:

**That**, Niagara Region be advised that the Township of West Lincoln is opposed to the mandatory use of clear bags for both residential and business waste as there is a concern relating to privacy and every-other-week (EOW) garbage collection for the residential sector and those IC&I and MU properties located outside DBAs, as a base service"; and,

**That**, Niagara Region be advised that the Township of West Lincoln wishes to continue with its current enhanced services for the DBA collection area (i.e. additional garbage container limits, increased garbage or recycling collection frequency, street litter, front-end garbage, etc.); and,

**That**, Niagara Region be advised that the Township of West Lincoln is interested in principle with respect to the provision of an enhanced large item collection service to Multi-Residential buildings and Multi-Unit properties with 1 or more residential units that receive the Region's curbside base or enhanced garbage collection services pending Niagara Region provides the Township with a cost for providing this additional enhanced service and that no decision be made on providing this service until consideration has been given by Township Council.

That, the Clerk be authorized to advise Niagara Region of the above prior to ratification of Council as comments are to be provided by no later than February 20, 2019.