

BY-LAW # 2000 -09

GARBAGE COLLECTION AND WASTE DISPOSAL IN THE
VILLAGE OF BELLEDUNE

1. In this by-law
 - a) “GARBAGE” means refuse and other discarded matter produced within a dwelling house on a regular basis. It shall also mean leaves, grass cuttings, providing that they are in proper containers not to exceed 50 pounds per container; paper and cardboard material, books, newspapers and magazines, securely tied in packages of bundles, provided that they are not exceeding 3 feet X 2 feet X 2 feet in dimension and not exceeding 50 pounds in weight for each bundle.
 - b) “WASTE” means discarded building materials such as lumber and construction materials used for erection, alteration, demolition or repair of buildings or structures, residue from trees such as roots, stumps, trunks and large branches exceeding 3 inches in diameter, fencing, swimming pools, automobiles, snowmobiles, motorcycles, or related parts, stones, rocks, sand, gravel, manure, the remains of carcasses of any dead animals, petroleum products, radio active or any other hazardous wastes or any other discarded material other than garbage or special collection waste (section 2a and 2c)
 - c) “SPECIAL COLLECTION WASTE” means wooden crates, furniture, large household appliances, bicycles, discarded metals or tools under 50 pounds, branches no larger than 3 inches (bundled and tied – no longer that 4 feet in length

and no larger than 2 feet by 2 feet square) and other household items not normally picked up according to the by-law on the regular weekly collection.

- d) “CONTAINER” means a water tight galvanized metal or plastic garbage container with a maximum capacity of 3.2 cubic feet and not less than 2 cubic feet with a fitted lid and suitable handles weighing not more than 50 pounds when full. It shall also mean an opaque polyethylene plastic garbage bag of 1.5 mil. thickness, with a maximum capacity of 8 cubic feet and not less than 2 cubic feet, securely tied at the top, not to exceed 50 pounds per bag; cardboard boxes securely tied or fastened with a maximum capacity of 8 cubic feet weighing not more than 50 pounds when full. Containers shall not mean plastic shopping or grocery bags, paper or cloth bags.
 - e) “DWELLING HOUSE” means a place of residence including apartment buildings, rooms, cottages and summer homes.
 - f) “VILLAGE” means the Village of Belledune
 - g) “VILLAGE OFFICIAL” means the administration, duly authorized by the Village to enforce this by-law.
2. a) “GARBAGE” shall be collected by the Village or a person or company under contract with the Village for collection of same from all dwelling houses situated within the Village limits, once each week.

- b) Not more than ten- (10) containers of garbage will be collected at any one dwelling house on any collection day.
 - c) “SPECIAL COLLECTION WASTE” (Section 1c) may at Council’s discretion be collected by the Village or a person or company under contract with the Village, once each month, May to October inclusive. The Village shall publish a schedule of time and special instructions for collection
3. The Village or a person or company under contract with the Village for collection of garbage shall not
- a) enter on private property or private roads unless preauthorized by municipal administration
 - b) enter on commercial property for garbage pick up until a commercial authorization form has been signed by the owner and approved by the municipality.
4. Containers shall be placed by the occupant in front of dwelling house just off the traveled portion of the street so as not to interfere with traffic or pedestrians, or as such other convenient location as may be approved by the Village official.
5. Containers shall be placed by the occupant of the dwelling house for collection not later than 8:00 a.m. of the day of collection.
6. Empty containers and any materials not collected shall be removed by the occupant of the dwelling house by 8:00 p.m. of the day of collection. The occupant of the dwelling house

shall maintain containers in good condition at all times, such condition must meet the approval of the Village official. Village will not be responsible for container damage.
(Suggest – attaching lid to container)

7. Garbage, which is stored by the occupant of a dwelling house prior to the collection date, shall be kept in proper containers so as to prevent an unsightly appearance, pest infestation, or being accessible to dogs or other animals.
8. No occupant of a dwelling house shall suffer or permit a container containing garbage to remain upon premises under his/her control for a period exceeding ten (10) days without placing the contents for collection as set out in section 3 of this by-law.
9. All garbage and waste generated within the Village shall be disposed of at an approved waste disposal site.
10. The collection and disposal of “GARBAGE” (Section 1a) from business, commercial, industrial, institutional, or government establishments shall be the responsibility of the owners or occupants thereof and not the Village.
11. No business, commercial, industrial, institutional or government establishments shall suffer or permit any “GARBAGE” (Section 1a) to remain upon premises under their control for a period exceeding ten (10) days without disposal as set out in section 9 of this by-law.

12. The collection and disposal of “WASTE” (Section 1b) from a dwelling houses, business, commercial, industrial, institutional, or government establishments shall be the responsibility of the owners or occupants thereof and not of the Village.
13. Equipment or vehicles used to transport material to the approved waste disposal site shall be covered or shall have a canvas or tarpaulin of adequate size to cover all materials hauled.
14. No person shall dump, place transport or dispose of “GARBAGE” “WASTE” “SPECIAL COLLECTION WASTE” or “TIRES” except in compliance with the provisions of this by-law and / or provincial regulations.
15. The Village official shall give a written notice to all persons or companies who violate any section of this by-law, to correct such violation within a specified period of time. Upon failure of such persons or companies to comply with such written notice, the Village official may cause garbage to be removed and disposed of at the expense of such persons or companies. An information for breach of this by-law may be laid in the name of the Village official before a judge of the Provincial Court.
16. The Village reserves the right to refuse to pick up any items, which contravenes this By-law.

BY-LAW REPEALED

Any former Village By-law for Garbage Collection and Waste Disposal is hereby repealed and replace by By-law # 2000 -09

EFFECTIVE DATE

The present by-law comes into force when filed in the registry office.

FIRST READING	<u>September 11, 2000</u>
SECOND READING	<u>September 11, 2000</u>
THIRD READING	<u>October 16, 2000</u>
ADOPTION	<u>October 16, 2000</u>

Brenda Cormier
Clerk/Treasurer

Andy Flanagan
Mayor

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**BY-LAW # 2000 – 09
GARBAGE COLLECTION AND WASTE DISPOSAL IN THE
VILLAGE OF BELLEDUNE
AMENDMENT 2016 - 01**

By-law #2000-09 a by-law respecting garbage collection and waste disposal in the Village of Belledune is hereby amended and will commence January 1, 2016.

FIRST READING	<u>January 18, 2016</u>
SECOND READING	<u>January 18, 2016</u>
THIRD READING	<u>February</u>
ADOPTION	<u>February</u>

Brenda Cormier
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Ronald Bourque
Mayor