

Solid Waste Management Planning Activity



XYZ First Nation

1 Introduction

1.1 Introduction and Purpose

What is a solid waste management plan and why is it important in your community? What led to the decision to develop this solid waste management plan? (Examples: Population growth, increasing waste volumes, limited landfill space, environmental concerns, community concerns, rising costs, etc.)

This plan is being developed in response to...

1.2 Support and Approval

What information was provided to Council to inform the decision to proceed with development of the solid waste management plan? When was the plan approved?

1.3 Planning Team

Who is on the project team? What are the roles & responsibilities of the project team? Will a consultant be used?

2 Vision & Goals

2.1 Vision Statement

What is the long-term vision for solid waste management in the community?

2.2 Solid Waste Management Goals and Priorities

What goals and priorities will guide solid waste management planning and decision-making?

2.3 Community Input

What feedback, concerns, priorities, or ideas have been identified through engagement with the community?

3 Existing Waste Management System

3.1 Existing Plans, Reports, and Available Information

What existing reports, plans, or available information were reviewed to support development of the plan?

3.2 Community Profile and Growth Considerations

What community characteristics, demographics, growth trends, or development considerations may affect future waste management needs?

3.3 Current Waste Management Programs and Services

What waste management programs, services, or practices are currently in place?

3.4 Existing Infrastructure and Facilities

What infrastructure, facilities, equipment, or systems currently support waste management?

3.5 Waste Audit Findings

What information or key findings were identified through the waste audit?

3.6 Future Waste Management Needs

What future waste generation trends, service demands, or infrastructure needs should be considered?

4 Current Waste Management Issues

4.1 Identified Issues

What waste management challenges, gaps, or areas of concern have been identified?

4.2 Gap Analysis Findings

What gaps were identified between current waste management systems and future community needs or goals?

4.3 Future Pressures and Emerging Needs

What future pressures, growth, or changing community needs may affect waste management systems and services?

5 The New Waste Management Plan

5.1 Selected Waste Management Approach

What waste management strategies, programs, services, or approaches have been identified as priorities for the community?

5.2 Alignment with Community Priorities

How do the selected strategies support community priorities, goals, or identified needs?

5.3 Feasibility and Implementation Considerations

What factors may affect the feasibility, implementation, or long-term success of the selected strategies?

5.4 Partnership Opportunities

What partnerships or shared services may support implementation of the selected strategies?

6 Planning for Implementation

6.1 Implementation Priorities and Actions

What actions or initiatives will be prioritized to support implementation of the plan?

6.2 Roles and Responsibilities

Who will be responsible for implementing and supporting the identified actions?

6.3 Implementation Timeline

What timelines or phases will guide implementation of the actions and strategies?

6.4 Resources and Funding

What funding, staffing, infrastructure, partnerships, or other resources may be needed to support implementation?

6.5 Approval

What approval details should be provided?

7 Adoption & Compliance

7.1 Plan Monitoring

How will progress on the plan be monitored and tracked over time?

7.2 Annual Reporting

What information should be reviewed or reported on regularly to support implementation and accountability?

7.3 Plan Review and Evaluation

When and how will the effectiveness of the plan be reviewed or evaluated?

7.4 Plan Amendments and Updates

How will changes or updates to the plan be identified, reviewed, and approved over time?