

An aerial photograph of a residential area, likely a First Nation community, showing a network of roads, several buildings, and a parking lot. The surrounding landscape is a mix of green grass and trees with some autumn-colored foliage. The text 'Magnetawan First Nation Waste Management Program' is overlaid in large white font across the center of the image.

# Magnetawan First Nation Waste Management Program

First Nation Lands Management Resource Centre- Solid Waste Management Workshop- Sudbury

July 24, 2019

## Background

- We use an off-reserve land fill called, **BYNKEY Waste Site**
- **Public Works** does weekly road side pick-ups and transports waste to **BYNKEY**
- **BYNKEY Waste Site** began to utilize large recycle bins
- New responsibility for **Magnetawan First Nation** residents
- Experienced trouble with successful sorting, therefore garbage not being picked up and bears in the community



# Goals of Project

- Reduce bear activity and unsightly garbage messes
- Build capacity to facilitate a new waste management system
- Improve the community's method and understanding of waste management
- Maintain a working relationship with the BYNKEY Waste Site to benefit both organizations



# Successes

- Bear proof garbage bins
- Waste Management Team
- Helpful materials for community
- Waste Management Weekend
- On-Going relationship with BYNKEY Waste Site








**STEPS TO RECYCLING**  
are as easy as...  
**1-2-3!**

**Step One: use**  
All Cans, Glass Containers, Styrofoam, and Plastics -- right after use, completely remove top lids, caps, and wrappings.  
Cardboard/Metal Containers -- right after use, separate the top and bottom lids from the treated paper packaging.

**Step Two: rinse**  
Rinse container(s), lids, and wrappings with hot water and set aside to dry.

**Step Three: recycle**  
Store in appropriate bags for recycling pick up.

**QUESTIONS:**  
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**Waste Management Weekend.**

 A table is set up for a recycling event. On the table are several brochures, including one titled "Wood Pallet" and another titled "Recycling". There are also cleaning products on the table. In front of the table are two signs: a red one that says "CAN" with a recycling symbol and "ANUANT RECYCLING DAY", and a blue one that says "PLASTIC" with a recycling symbol and "ANUANT RECYCLING DAY".

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