

**THE CORPORATION OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF LANARK HIGHLANDS**

BY-LAW NO. 2010-1061

**REUSE CENTRE
OPERATING PROCEDURES**

WHEREAS, Section 9 of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, provides that a municipality has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under the *Municipal Act* or any other Act;

AND WHEREAS, Section 5 (3) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, provides that a municipal power, including a municipality's capacity, rights, powers and privileges under Section 9, shall be exercised by by-law unless the municipality is specifically authorized to do otherwise;

AND WHEREAS, the Council deems it expedient to formalize 'Rules for Reusers' in order to ensure efficient operations at the McDonald's Corners Reuse Centre;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Lanark Highlands enacts as follows:

1. GENERAL REGULATIONS

1.1 **THAT**, the Reuse Centre – Operating Procedures, attached hereto as Schedule "A", be adopted.

2. ULTRA VIRES

Should any sections of this by-law, including any section or part of any schedules attached hereto, be declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be ultra vires, the remaining sections shall nevertheless remain valid and binding.

3. EFFECTIVE DATE

ENACTED AND PASSED this 24th day of June, 2010.



Bob Fletcher, Mayor



Amanda Mabo, Clerk

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SCHEDULE "A"

McDonald's Corners Reuse Centre
Operating Procedures

'Rules for Reusers'

The Reuse Centre is operated by a volunteer group called The ReUsers, who are dedicated to the diversion of reusable items from the landfill.

The group receives donated reusable goods from residents of Lanark Highlands Township, sorts them and gives them away free to members of the community who can make use of them.

The Reuse Centre's goals are:

1. to divert as many reusable good as possible from the landfill in order to extend the life of Township waste sites;
2. to serve as many people as possible who can make use of reused goods;
3. to promote the practice of the 'three Rs': Reduce, Reuse, Recycle.

In support of these goals, we ask that people observe the following rules:

- The ReUsers reserve the right to limit quantities taken from the Reuse Centre. Please don't take more than you need for your personal use.
- **The ReUsers reserve the right to limit time spent in the Reuse Centre, in order to ensure that everyone has a chance to visit and 'shop.'**
- **In order to record the volume of goods diverted from the landfill, donated items *must* be sorted and processed by the Reuse Centre volunteer staff before being placed in the Reuse Centre.**
- The reselling of items from the Reuse Centre is discouraged. This is a volunteer operation. Volunteers do not want to donate their time for others to make a financial profit.
- Any customer in violation of the rules within this By-Law will be subject to being banned from the McDonald's Corners Waste Disposal Site for an appropriate amount of time reflective of the violation and to be determined by the Public Works Superintendent.

Your cooperation is appreciated. Please report any problems at the Reuse Centre to the volunteer on duty.