

New Application Fee: Changes to Yard Waste Program to Support Employee Health and Safety

Amendments to City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 441, Fees and Charges

Toronto City Council will be considering recommendations to pass a by-law to amend City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 441, Fees and Charges regarding the deletion of the fee to purchase a yard waste bin.

It is proposed that the by-law be adopted at the Council meeting to be held on July 14 and 15, 2021 or at a subsequent meeting.

The report from the General Manager, Solid Waste Management Services, titled "Changes to Yard Waste Program to Support Employee Health and Safety" has the following recommendations:

4. City Council amend City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 441, Fees and Charges to delete the fee to purchase a yard waste bin.
5. City Council authorize the City Solicitor and the General Manager, Solid Waste Management Services to make such technical and stylistic amendments to the City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 441, Fees and Charges, as required and to introduce the necessary bills to delete the fee to purchase a yard waste bin.
6. City Council direct that the change to City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 441, Fees and Charges, to delete the fee to purchase a yard waste bin, come into force on January 1, 2022.

If approved by City Council, City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 441, Fees and Charges will require amendment.

At its meeting to be held by videoconference on July 5, 2021, at 9:30 a.m. or as soon as possible thereafter, the Infrastructure and Environment Committee of Toronto City Council will hear, by videoconference, any person, or their counsel, agent or solicitor, who wishes to speak to the matter.

To view or obtain a copy of the report "Changes to Yard Waste Program to Support Employee Health and Safety" visit the City's website at:

<http://app.toronto.ca/tmmis/decisionBodyProfile.do?function=doPrepare&meetingId=19772> on June 25, 2021 at 9:30 am

To submit comments or make a presentation to the Infrastructure and Environment Committee on July 5, 2021, please contact the Committee no later than 12:00 p.m. on July 4, 2021:

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Any comments received after the Committee meeting will be forwarded to Council. While the staff report sets out proposed changes, the Committee and/or City Council may make amendments from the recommendations set out in the report. If this matter is postponed at the Committee meeting or Council meeting or considered at a subsequent Committee or Council meeting, no additional notice will be provided other than the information on the subsequent Committee or Council agenda. Please contact the above City officials if you require notice in these cases.

The Infrastructure and Environment Committee will make its final recommendations on July 5, 2021 which will be forwarded to City Council at its meeting on July 14 and 15, 2021.

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June 25, 2021

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