



**The Corporation of the City of Cornwall**  
**Regular Meeting of Council**  
**By-law Explanatory Note**

Department: Infrastructure and Municipal Works  
Division: Environment  
Report Number: 2019-06-Corporate Services  
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Meeting Date: October 15, 2019  
Subject: Explanatory Note to amend the existing By-law for the funding agreement between the City of Cornwall and Stewardship Ontario.

**Purpose:**

An amendment to existing By-law 2015-023 is required to update the funding agreement between The City of Cornwall and Stewardship Ontario for pressurized containers.

**Background:**

The City of Cornwall currently receives funding from Stewardship Ontario for a variety of diversion programs including the City's hazardous waste depot program. Stewardship Ontario (SO) has been directed by the Minister of Environment, Conservation, and Parks to wind-up the current Municipal Hazardous Solid Waste Program (MHSW). Upon wind-up, hazardous materials collected under the MHSW program will be managed according to individual producer responsibility under the Resource Recovery and Circular Economy Act, 2016.

Under the MHSW Program, SO manages the supply chain for the recycling of single-use dry cell batteries and pressurized containers. The wind-up for single use dry call batteries is to begin June 30<sup>th</sup> 2020 with the remaining MHSW materials transitioning June 30<sup>th</sup> 2021 (this includes pressurized containers).



Changes to the Municipal Agreement are necessary to enable Stewardship Ontario to continue to make payments to Cornwall for materials that will continue under the MHSW program until June 30<sup>th</sup> 2021.

## Report Approval Details

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