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Re: Amendment to the Single Stream Recycling Cart Contract


Attention: City of Moose Jaw Council and Administration

The recent changes in the recycling marketplace have created a huge impact across the globe, negatively affecting commodity prices and the movement of material to end destinations.

There have been many mentions in the media and across social media sites this past year, detailing the issues currently faced by material recovery facilities and municipal recycling programs.

e.g. <https://www.theglobeandmail.com/canada/article-wish-cycling-canadas-recycling-industry-in-crisis-mode/>

In order to continue providing an effective and efficient service, it is now necessary to limit the material being placed into the bins for recycling. It is our preference that effective immediately these items will no longer be accepted:

- Clam Shell Type Food Containers labelled as #1 
- Film plastic (plastic bags and stretch wrap)

Loraas Disposal South is proposing to have these types of products added to the list of unacceptable material.

Thank you for your cooperation in making these changes.

Loraas Disposal