



## Changes to Solid Waste Collection APP Advises What Goes Where



The new 'Halifax Recycles' App is a handy resource to help residents keep track of solid waste/resource collection schedules, and to help determine what goes where for garbage, recycling and organic materials. Simply enter a type of material and the App will tell you if it goes in the clear garbage bag, blue bag, paper recycling bag or green cart. The App features a calendar that highlights special events, such as mobile special waste depots, organic green cart collection, as well as alternate



holiday collection dates. A notification feature is also included that will remind you the night before your collection day and identify if it is garbage or green cart week in your area. Remember, all waste must be roadside no later than 7 am to ensure collection. This 'Halifax Recycles' App is free to

mobile phone users by downloading from the iStore or GooglePlay (search 'Halifax Recycles'), and a web-based version is also available at [www.halifax.ca/whatgoeswhere](http://www.halifax.ca/whatgoeswhere).

In addition to the new App, residents are encouraged to visit [www.halifax.ca/clear](http://www.halifax.ca/clear) or [www.halifax.ca/recycle/index.php](http://www.halifax.ca/recycle/index.php) for more information and frequently asked questions (FAQs) about the solid waste resource collection changes that went into effect August 1<sup>st</sup>. Additional questions can also be sent to [wasteless@halifax.ca](mailto:wasteless@halifax.ca) or call 311.



**Annual Welcome  
BBQ Rescheduled to  
Sunday, August 30<sup>th</sup>  
1:00 to 4:00 pm**

Welcome to the 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Welcome BBQ

**Date:** Sunday, August 30, 2015

**Time:** 1 to 4 pm

**Place:** [South Commons](#), Halifax

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Free family event with entertainment, games, food and music! Free BBQ while supplies last. Bringing newcomers and current residents together to build relationships and make connections.

For more details about the event, please visit:

<http://www.halifax.ca/newcomers/annualbbq.php>

### Community Event at New Lacewood Transit Terminal – August 22<sup>nd</sup>



Halifax Transit is pleased to invite residents to a community celebration and sneak peek inside Halifax Transit's newest terminal on Lacewood Drive, which is set to open on Monday, August 24<sup>th</sup>. The free, family-friendly celebration will include a barbeque, face painting for kids, and entertainment provided by our community partners.

**When: Saturday, August 22, 2015 (11 am to 1 pm)**

**Where: Lacewood Terminal, 320 Lacewood Drive, Halifax**

*Rain Date: Sunday, August 23, 2015*

Lacewood is one of Halifax Transit's busiest terminals, and the new location features a number of significant improvements for passengers and transit operations:

- 14 individual bus bays;
- comfortable indoor and outdoor passenger waiting areas;
- LEED Silver candidate building design;
- public washrooms;

- bicycle centre complete with bike parking, repair station, and bus bike rack demo; and
- accessibility features to improve navigation and access for passengers with mobility challenges.

We hope you can join us this weekend as we celebrate the impending opening of Halifax Transit's newest terminal.

For more information on the new Lacewood Terminal, including affected route and schedule adjustments, visit [www.halifax.ca/transit/lacewood-terminal.php](http://www.halifax.ca/transit/lacewood-terminal.php).

### Community Facility Master Plan

Your Voice is Important! The 2008 Community Facility Master Plan (CFMP) provided strategic direction and recommendations related to community/recreation facility development, and provided direction related to the protocol for budget and project development. The 2008 CFMP is currently being updated, and will be presented to Regional Council in early 2016. It will be utilized as the strategic guiding document to enhance the quality of life of citizens through the provision of sustainable, planned, accessible and appropriate community facilities.

The revised and updated Community Facility Master Plan is expected to be able to provide continued strategic direction for the required investment, resources and decision-making processes related to provision of community recreation facilities. The updated document will build on the recommendations in the 2008 CFMP report and will include several facility types not previously considered such as playgrounds, tennis courts, and splash-pads.



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You are invited to participate in the planning process through one or more of the following opportunities:

- Sport user-group and service providers focus group meetings and stakeholder surveys;
- Public meetings in eight community locations for in-person information sharing;
- Web survey for convenience at [Halifax.ca](http://Halifax.ca);
- Empirical phone survey for data collection;
- Provide email address for personal comments and submissions ([CFMP@Halifax.ca](mailto:CFMP@Halifax.ca)); and
- Provide telephone number to enable personal conversation (902-490-5713).

### Community Facility Master Plan Public Meetings

Sept 16<sup>th</sup> – Eastern Shore Centre (Musquodoboit Harbour)  
Sept 17<sup>th</sup> – Cole Harbour Place  
Sept 28<sup>th</sup> – George Dixon Centre  
Sept 29<sup>th</sup> – Findlay Centre  
Oct 8<sup>th</sup> – St. Margaret's Centre  
Oct 9<sup>th</sup> – Captain William Spry Centre  
Oct 14<sup>th</sup> – Bedford Hammonds Plains Community Centre  
Oct 15<sup>th</sup> – Acadia Hall Lower Sackville

The work is well underway! Let us hear your voice!

### Fairview Family Resource Centre

Every Monday morning from 9:30 am – 11:30 am there is a FREE Family Play Group. There is snack time, reading circle, rhymes, games, crafts and more. Every TUESDAY morning from 9:30 am - 11:30 am there is a FREE New Parent's/Baby Plan

Group. Snacks and coffee are free. Up to the age of 12 months. Socialize and let your little ones explore. Public health nurse available every other Tuesday. Located at the Fairview Family Centre, 6 Titus Street. Parking is free. Call 902-443-9659 for more info or visit [www.ffcns.ca](http://www.ffcns.ca).



Open 7 days a week from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. (except Christmas Day & New Year's Day)

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With students returning to school in a week or so, I would encourage all motorists to drive carefully and keep our children safe. Welcome Back Students!

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