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1.0 Purpose

This bulletin provides compliance guidance to **producers** and **producer responsibility organizations (PROs)** who are required to establish and operate a lighting collection system under the Electrical and Electronic Equipment (EEE) Regulation - O. Reg. 522/20 ("the regulation").

The intent of the collection system requirement is to ensure that the public can access collection sites across Ontario to drop off their used lighting for free to be recycled, reused, or refurbished. This requirement is separate from a producer's requirement to manage used lighting collected from a collection site or through other collection activities.

Lighting producers are required to establish and operate a collection system for lighting that meets each individual producer's requirements as outlined in sections 2.0, 3.0 and 4.0 of this bulletin. The requirements to establish and operate a collection system can be achieved by the producer or by a PRO on the producer's behalf. While the regulation requires each producer to establish and operate a compliant public collection system, the regulation also allows multiple producers to use the same public collection site(s) to meet this requirement. Refer to RPRA's Collection System and Minimum Management Requirements Guideline for guidance on establishing and operating collection sites based on the requirements set out in this bulletin. The bulletin and guidance documents are intended to be used together to support a compliant collection system.

1.1 Overview of changes to collection system requirements as of January 1, 2025

As of January 1, 2025, amendments to the EEE Regulation made by the Government of Ontario came into effect. Below is a summary of the collection system changes. Details are further outlined throughout this document.

- Removal of the requirement for operators of collection sites to keep records if a person drops off more than 5 kg of lighting.
- On-demand collection services to be provided to First Nation communities in the Far North.
- The addition of a geographic offsetting provision to allow alternative collection sites in adjacent municipalities.
- Increased the number of events allowed to reduce collection site requirements from 25% to 35%.
- Allowing all municipal collection sites, including those that are open on a seasonal basis or open for a limited number of days per week throughout the year, to count as permanent sites.

2.0 Large Producer Requirements

Under the regulation, a producer who is required to manage 35 tonnes or more of lighting in a calendar year is a large producer.

2.1 Population-based collection system

The regulation requires each large producer to establish and operate a public collection system across Ontario, based on the population of each municipality or territorial district ("community").

The number of public collection sites required in each community is calculated using the census population and the requirements in the regulation. See the number of required collection sites in Schedule A of this bulletin.

2.2 Operation of a public collection site

It is both a producer's and PRO's responsibility to ensure public collection sites comply with the below requirements:

- Accept all lighting, including components, parts or peripherals if the site **is not** part of a retail location;
- Accept (at a minimum) all lighting that is similar in size and function to the lighting supplied at that location if the site **is** part of a retail location;
- Be readily accessible to the public;
- Operate and accept lighting during normal business hours throughout the year if the lighting collection site is not owned or operated by a municipality or local services board*;
- Not have been promoted as a collection event if the site is owned or operated by a municipality or local services board;
- Accept (at a minimum) up to 5 kg of lighting from any person per day;
- Not charge the public to drop off lighting; and
- Be serviced to continue operating throughout the calendar year on a reasonable frequency that ensures the site, as an example, continues to meet regulatory requirements (e.g., remains accessible to the public) and does not accumulate obligated material to the point that there is a safety risk or operational challenge to the site operators and the public.

*Note: Municipal and local services board collection sites are permitted to operate seasonally or for a limited number of days per week.

A producer is required to establish and operate a public collection system, even if the public collection system collects more lighting than the producer requires to meet their minimum management requirements. This applies to obligated producers regardless of their market share or supply weight, or whether the producer contracts with a PRO or a service provider to carry out these functions.

2.3 Private collection sites

Producers or their PRO can establish collection sites that do not meet the above requirements, such as at a private business or in the lobby of a multi-unit residential building not open to the public. Private collection sites may be used to achieve management requirements but cannot be used to meet the requirements of a public collection system.

2.4 Timelines to manage lighting picked up from collection sites

Producers with minimum management requirements must ensure that all lighting collected at a collection site is managed (i.e., processed or refurbished) within three

months from the date the lighting is picked up. This applies to all lighting picked up from collection sites, collection events, and call-in collection requests.

2.5 Call-in collection

Large producers or their PRO are required to provide call-in service to Ontario Crown sites, municipal sites, local services boards, and First Nation reserves, not located in the Far North, once they have collected more than 300 kg of lighting. Once these sites have accumulated more than 300 kg of lighting and have notified the producer or PRO, the lighting must be collected within one year.

Call-in service must also be provided to First Nation reserves in the Far North. Once these sites have accumulated more than 300 kg of lighting and have notified a producer or PRO, the producer or PRO must make reasonable efforts to pick up lighting within one year.

3.0 Small Producer Requirements

Under the regulation, a producer who is required to manage less than 35 tonnes of lighting in a calendar year is a small producer.

Note that if a producer's average weight of supply for a calendar year is not greater than 700 kilograms, the producer is exempt from this requirement.

The regulation requires each small producer to establish and operate a public collection system across Ontario either based on the population of each community as required by large producers as outlined above in section 2.0, or by establishing a retail collection system.

3.1 Population-based collection system

The number of public collection sites required in each community for a population-based collection system is calculated using the census population and the requirements in the regulation. See the number of required collection sites in Schedule A of this bulletin.

3.2 Retail collection system

Each small producer can meet their collection system requirement by establishing and operating as many lighting collection sites equal to or greater than 75% of the number of retail locations in that community that supplied the producer's lighting, rounded up to the nearest whole number.

For example, if there are 10 retail locations in the community that supply a producer's lighting, the producer would be required to establish eight collection sites in that community. The collection sites do not have to be the producer's retail locations.

Producers must use the number of retail locations in a community that were operating in the previous calendar year to determine the number of collection sites required for the current year. If there is no retail location in the community, no collection site is required.

3.4 Operation of a public collection site

It is both a producer's and PRO's responsibility to ensure public collection sites comply with the below requirements:

- Accept all lighting, including components, parts or peripherals, if the site **is not** part of a retail location;
- Accept (at a minimum) all lighting that are a similar size and function of the lighting supplied at that location if the site **is** part of a retail location;
- Be readily accessible to the public;
- Be operated and accept lighting during normal business hours throughout the year if the lighting collection site is not owned or operated by a municipality or local services board*;
- Not have been promoted as a collection event if the site is owned or operated by a municipality or local services board;
- Accept (at a minimum) up to 5 kg of lighting from any person per day;
- Not charge the public to drop off lighting; and
- Be serviced to continue operating throughout the calendar year on a reasonable frequency that ensures the site, as an example, continues to meet regulatory requirements (e.g., remains accessible to the public) and does not accumulate obligated material to the point that there is a safety risk or operational challenge to the site operators and the public.

*Note: Municipal and local services board collection sites are permitted to operate seasonally or for a limited number of days per week.

A producer is required to establish and operate a public collection system, even if the public collection system collects more lighting than the producer requires to meet their minimum management requirements. This applies to obligated producers regardless of their market share or supply weight, or whether the producer contracts with a PRO or a service provider to carry out these functions.

3.5 Private collection sites

Producers or their PRO can establish collection sites that do not meet the above requirements, such as at a private business or in the lobby of a multi-residential building not open to the public. Private collection sites may be used to achieve management requirements but cannot be used to meet the requirements of a public collection system.

3.6 Timelines to manage lighting picked up from collection sites

Producers with minimum management requirements must ensure all lighting collected at a collection site is managed (i.e., processed) within three months from the date the lighting is picked up. This applies to all lighting picked up from collection sites, collection events and call-in collection requests.

4.0 Reducing the Number of Required Collection Sites

A producer can reduce the number of collection sites it is required to establish and operate in a public collection system by offering curbside collection, direct collection programs, or collection events.

Note: Regardless of whether a producer or their PRO implements any of the collection site reductions described below, a producer must establish and operate at least one collection site or one public collection event in each community with a population of 1,000 or more in which it supplied lighting at a retail location in the previous calendar year.

Large producers are required to provide call-in collection as outlined above in section 2.5, regardless of any reductions.

Producers are required to report collection system reductions to RPRA. Producers and PROs are encouraged to contact RPRA with any questions about collection site reductions.

4.1 Curbside collection

A producer can reduce the required number of public collection sites within a community based on the percentage of residences, including those in multi-unit residential buildings, from which the producer collects lighting at least four times per year. Adequate collection containers must be provided at no charge.

4.2 Direct collection programs

A producer can reduce the required number of public collection sites in a community by the same percentage of lighting that the producer supplied into Ontario that was included in a direct collection program across the province, provided that one of the following is offered at no charge:

1. A service through which the producer's applicable categories of lighting are collected from consumers (e.g., a takeback program); or
2. A mail or courier service for consumers to return the producer's applicable categories of lighting is provided, including necessary packaging or shipping materials.

4.3 Collection events

A producer can replace up to 35% of the total number of required public collection sites in Ontario (prior to any reductions resulting from curbside collection or direct collection programs, and rounded up to the nearest whole number), with the same number of public collection events. For example, if the producer is required to establish 100 collection sites in Ontario, the producer could replace up to 35 sites with 35 collection events, regardless of their location.

A collection event must be readily accessible to the public, operated for at least four consecutive hours on the day that it is held, and accept all lighting.

Collection events held on separate days are considered separate events. For example, collection events held over a Saturday and Sunday count as 2 events.

5.0 Collection Sites in Adjacent Municipalities

A producer who is required to establish and operate a collection site in a specific municipality (the "base municipality") can choose to fulfill that requirement by

establishing and operating a collection site located in an adjacent local municipality. The collection site in the adjacent municipality must accept the same lighting that would have been accepted at the required site in the base municipality.

This option allows for flexibility where geographic boundaries may not reflect where collection sites can be established, or where the public is dropping off materials. For example, a small municipality may have no suitable location for a collection site, but the larger neighbouring municipality exceeds the number of required sites and residents from the small municipality can use these collection sites.

A collection site cannot be used to fulfill the requirements of more than one municipality. Up to 10% of the total number of required collection sites can be established in an adjacent municipality. For example, if the producer is required to provide 200 collection sites across Ontario, it could establish a maximum of 20 sites in adjacent municipalities.

6.0 Collection and Management System Reporting

Producers or their PRO are required to report the following (as applicable) annually through RPRA's registry:

- The name, address, email, phone number for each site that is part of a collection system, including a primary contact person for the site.
    - Reporting this information indicates that the producer or PRO will ensure the collection sites are in compliance.
- The details of any collection services provided by the producer that are available, other than at a collection site, and details of any collection sites in adjacent municipalities.
- The name and contact information of every hauler, processor, and refurbisher that is part of a producer's collection or management system.

Note: The name and address of public collection sites and events appear on RPRA's Where to Recycle map.

7.0 Additional Resources

- FAQs about lighting collection systems
- Collection System and Management Requirements Guideline
- Still have questions? Contact our Compliance and Registry Team at registry@rpra.ca or 1-833-600-0530 for support.

Schedule: A Number of collection sites required for communities

Note: There are separate tables for municipalities and territorial districts.

Municipality	2021 Census	Large Producers s.10 (2)	Small Producers s.11(2) para. (2)
Name	Population	Collection Sites Required	Collection Sites Required
Addington Highlands	2,534	1	0
Adelaide-Metcalfe	3,011	1	0
Adjala-Tosorontio	10,989	1	1
Admaston/Bromley	2,995	1	0
Ajax	126,666	9	9
Alberton	954	0	0
Alfred and Plantagenet	9,949	1	1
Algonquin Highlands	2,588	1	0
Alnwick/Haldimand	7,473	1	1
Amaranth	4,327	1	0
Amherstburg	23,524	2	2
Armour	1,459	1	0
Armstrong	1,199	1	0
Arnprior	9,629	1	1
Arran-Elderslie	6,913	1	1
Ashfield-Colborne-Wawanosh	5,884	1	1
Asphodel-Norwood	4,658	1	0
Assiginack	1,008	1	0
Athens	3,042	1	0
Atikokan	2,642	1	0
Augusta	7,386	1	1
Aurora	62,057	5	5
Aylmer	7,699	1	1
Baldwin	579	0	0
Bancroft	4,065	1	0
Barrie	147,829	10	10
Bayham	7,096	1	1
Beckwith	9,021	1	1
Belleville	55,071	4	4
Billings	753	0	0
Black River-Matheson	2,572	1	0
Blandford-Blenheim	7,565	1	1
Blind River	3,422	1	0
Bluewater	7,540	1	1
Bonfield	2,146	1	0
Bonnechere Valley	3,898	1	0
Bracebridge	17,305	2	2

Municipality	2021 Census	Large Producers s.10 (2)	Small Producers s.11(2) para. (2)
Name	Population	Collection Sites Required	Collection Sites Required
Bradford West Gwillimbury	42,880	3	3
Brampton	656,480	38	38
Brant	39,474	3	3
Brantford	104,688	7	7
Brethour	105	0	0
Brighton	12,108	1	1
Brock	12,567	1	1
Brockton	9,784	1	1
Brockville	22,116	2	2
Brooke-Alvinston	2,359	1	0
Bruce Mines	582	0	0
Brudenell, Lyndoch and Raglan	1,552	1	0
Burk's Falls	957	0	0
Burlington	186,948	13	13
Burpee and Mills	382	0	0
Caledon	76,581	6	6
Callander	3,964	1	0
Calvin	557	0	0
Cambridge	138,479	10	10
Carleton Place	12,517	1	1
Carling	1,491	1	0
Carlow/Mayo	953	0	0
Casey	341	0	0
Casselman	3,960	1	0
Cavan-Monaghan	10,016	1	1
Central Elgin	13,746	1	1
Central Frontenac	4,892	1	0
Central Huron	7,799	1	1
Central Manitoulin	2,235	1	0
Centre Hastings	4,801	1	0
Centre Wellington	31,093	3	3
Chamberlain	311	0	0
Champlain	8,665	1	1
Chapleau	1,942	1	0
Chapple	763	0	0
Charlton and Dack	686	0	0
Chatham-Kent	103,988	7	7
Chatsworth	7,080	1	1
Chisholm	1,312	1	0

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Name	Population	Collection Sites Required	Collection Sites Required
Clarence-Rockland	26,505	2	2
Clarington	101,427	7	7
Clearview	14,814	1	1
Cobalt	989	0	0
Cobourg	20,519	2	2
Cochrane	5,390	1	1
Cockburn Island	16	0	0
Coleman	517	0	0
Collingwood	24,811	2	2
Conmee	798	0	0
Cornwall	47,845	4	4
Cramahe	6,509	1	1
Dawn-Euphemia	1,968	1	0
Dawson	399	0	0
Deep River	4,175	1	0
Deseronto	1,747	1	0
Dorion	375	0	0
Douro-Dummer	7,632	1	1
Drummond/North Elmsley	8,183	1	1
Dryden	7,388	1	1
Dubreuilville	576	0	0
Dutton/Dunwich	4,152	1	0
Dysart, Dudley, Harcourt, Guilford, Harburn, Bruton, Havelock, Eyre and Clyde	7,182	1	1
Ear Falls	924	0	0
East Ferris	4,946	1	0
East Garafraxa	2,794	1	0
East Gwillimbury	34,637	3	3
East Hawkesbury	3,418	1	0
East Zorra-Tavistock	7,841	1	1
Edwardsburgh/Cardinal	7,505	1	1
Elizabethtown-Kitley	9,545	1	1
Elliot Lake	11,372	1	1
Emo	1,204	1	0
Englehart	1,442	1	0
Enniskillen	2,825	1	0
Erin	11,981	1	1
Espanola	5,185	1	1
Essa	22,970	2	2

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Name	Population	Collection Sites Required	Collection Sites Required
Essex	21,216	2	2
Evanturel	502	0	0
Faraday	1,612	1	0
Fauquier-Strickland	467	0	0
Fort Erie	32,901	3	3
Fort Frances	7,466	1	1
French River	2,828	1	0
Front of Yonge	2,595	1	0
Frontenac Islands	1,930	1	0
Gananoque	5,383	1	1
Gauthier	151	0	0
Georgian Bay	3,441	1	0
Georgian Bluffs	11,100	1	1
Georgina	47,642	4	4
Gillies	441	0	0
Goderich	7,881	1	1
Gordon/Barrie Island	613	0	0
Gore Bay	808	0	0
Grand Valley	3,851	1	0
Gravenhurst	13,157	1	1
Greater Madawaska	2,864	1	0
Greater Napanee	16,879	2	2
Greater Sudbury	166,004	12	12
Greenstone	4,309	1	0
Grey Highlands	10,424	1	1
Grimsby	28,883	2	2
Guelph	143,740	10	10
Guelph/Eramosa	13,904	1	1
Haldimand	49,216	4	4
Halton Hills	62,951	5	5
Hamilton	569,353	36	36
Hamilton/Northumberland	11,059	1	1
Hanover	7,967	1	1
Harley	524	0	0
Harris	530	0	0
Hastings Highlands	4,385	1	0
Havelock-Belmont-Methuen	5,083	1	1
Hawkesbury	10,194	1	1
Head, Clara and Maria	267	0	0
Hearst	4,794	1	0

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Highlands East	3,830	1	0
Hilliard	215	0	0
Hilton	382	0	0
Hilton Beach	198	0	0
Hornepayne	968	0	0
Horton	3,182	1	0
Howick	4,045	1	0
Hudson	530	0	0
Huntsville	21,147	2	2
Huron East	9,512	1	1
Huron Shores	1,860	1	0
Huron-Kinloss	7,723	1	1
Ignace	1,206	1	0
Ingersoll	13,693	1	1
Innisfil	43,326	3	3
Iroquois Falls	4,418	1	0
James	348	0	0
Jocelyn	314	0	0
Johnson	749	0	0
Joly	293	0	0
Kapuskasing	8,057	1	1
Kawartha Lakes	79,247	6	6
Kearney	974	0	0
Kenora	14,967	1	1
Kerns	330	0	0
Killaloe, Hagarty and Richards	2,410	1	0
Killarney	397	0	0
Kincardine	12,268	1	1
King	27,333	2	2
Kingston	132,485	9	9
Kingsville	22,119	2	2
Kirkland Lake	7,750	1	1
Kitchener	256,885	18	18
La Vallee	788	0	0
Laird	1,121	1	0
Lake of Bays	3,759	1	0
Lake of the Woods	308	0	0
Lakeshore	40,410	3	3
Lambton Shores	11,876	1	1
Lanark Highlands	5,737	1	1

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Name	Population	Collection Sites Required	Collection Sites Required
Larder Lake	745	0	0
LaSalle	32,721	3	3
Latchford	355	0	0
Laurentian Hills	2,885	1	0
Laurentian Valley	9,450	1	1
Leamington	29,680	2	2
Leeds and the Thousand Islands	9,804	1	1
Limerick	436	0	0
Lincoln	25,719	2	2
London	422,324	29	29
Loyalist	17,943	2	2
Lucan Biddulph	5,680	1	1
Macdonald, Meredith and Aberdeen Additional	1,513	1	0
Machar	969	0	0
Machin	1,012	1	0
Madawaska Valley	3,927	1	0
Madoc	2,233	1	0
Magnetawan	1,753	1	0
Malahide	9,308	1	1
Manitouwadge	1,974	1	0
Mapleton	10,839	1	1
Marathon	3,138	1	0
Markham	338,503	23	23
Markstay-Warren	2,708	1	0
Marmora and Lake	4,267	1	0
Matachewan	268	0	0
Mattawa	1,881	1	0
Mattawan	153	0	0
Mattice-Val Côté	542	0	0
McDougall	2,744	1	0
McGarry	579	0	0
McKellar	1,419	1	0
McMurrich/Monteith	907	0	0
McNab/Braeside	7,591	1	1
Meaford	11,485	1	1
Melancthon	3,132	1	0
Merrickville-Wolford	3,135	1	0
Middlesex Centre	18,928	2	2
Midland	17,817	2	2

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Milton	132,979	9	9
Minden Hills	6,971	1	1
Minto	9,094	1	1
Mississauga	717,961	39	39
Mississippi Mills	14,740	1	1
Mono	9,421	1	1
Montague	3,914	1	0
Moonbeam	1,157	1	0
Moosonee	1,512	1	0
Morley	493	0	0
Morris-Turnberry	3,590	1	0
Mulmur	3,571	1	0
Muskoka Lakes	7,652	1	1
Nairn and Hyman	373	0	0
Neebing	2,241	1	0
New Tecumseth	43,948	3	3
Newbury	440	0	0
Newmarket	87,942	6	6
Niagara Falls	94,415	7	7
Niagara-on-the-Lake	19,088	2	2
Nipigon	1,473	1	0
Nipissing	1,769	1	0
Norfolk	67,490	5	5
North Algona Wilberforce	3,111	1	0
North Bay	52,662	4	4
North Dumfries	10,619	1	1
North Dundas	11,304	1	1
North Frontenac	2,285	1	0
North Glengarry	10,144	1	1
North Grenville	17,964	2	2
North Huron	5,052	1	1
North Kawartha	2,877	1	0
North Middlesex	6,307	1	1
North Perth	15,538	2	2
North Stormont	7,400	1	1
Northeastern Manitoulin and the Islands	2,641	1	0
Northern Bruce Peninsula	4,404	1	0
Norwich	11,151	1	1
Oakville	213,759	15	15

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Name	Population	Collection Sites Required	Collection Sites Required
O'Connor	689	0	0
Oil Springs	647	0	0
Oliver Paipoonge	6,035	1	1
Opasatika	200	0	0
Orangeville	30,167	3	3
Orillia	33,411	3	3
Oro-Medonte	23,017	2	2
Oshawa	175,383	12	12
Otonabee-South Monaghan	7,087	1	1
Ottawa	1,017,449	45	45
Owen Sound	21,612	2	2
Papineau-Cameron	982	0	0
Parry Sound	6,879	1	1
Pelee	230	0	0
Pelham	18,192	2	2
Pembroke	14,364	1	1
Penetanguishene	10,077	1	1
Perry	2,650	1	0
Perth	6,469	1	1
Perth East	12,595	1	1
Perth South	3,776	1	0
Petawawa	18,160	2	2
Peterborough	83,651	6	6
Petrolia	6,013	1	1
Pickering	99,186	7	7
Pickle Lake	398	0	0
Plummer Additional	757	0	0
Plympton-Wyoming	8,308	1	1
Point Edward	1,930	1	0
Port Colborne	20,033	2	2
Port Hope	17,294	2	2
Powassan	3,346	1	0
Prescott	4,078	1	0
Prince	975	0	0
Prince Edward	25,704	2	2
Puslinch	7,944	1	1
Quinte West	46,560	4	4
Rainy River	752	0	0
Ramara	10,377	1	1
Red Lake	4,094	1	0

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Name	Population	Collection Sites Required	Collection Sites Required
Red Rock	895	0	0
Renfrew	8,190	1	1
Richmond Hill	202,022	14	14
Rideau Lakes	10,883	1	1
Russell	19,598	2	2
Ryerson	745	0	0
Sables-Spanish Rivers	3,237	1	0
Sarnia	72,047	5	5
Saugeen Shores	15,908	2	2
Sault Ste. Marie	72,051	5	5
Schreiber	1,039	1	0
Scugog	21,581	2	2
Seguin	5,280	1	1
Selwyn	18,653	2	2
Severn	14,576	1	1
Shelburne	8,994	1	1
Shuniah	3,247	1	0
Sioux Lookout	5,839	1	1
Sioux Narrows-Nestor Falls	727	0	0
Smiths Falls	9,254	1	1
Smooth Rock Falls	1,200	1	0
South Algonquin	1,055	1	0
South Bruce	5,880	1	1
South Bruce Peninsula	9,137	1	1
South Dundas	11,044	1	1
South Frontenac	20,188	2	2
South Glengarry	13,330	1	1
South Huron	10,063	1	1
South River	1,101	1	0
South Stormont	13,570	1	1
Southgate	8,716	1	1
Southwest Middlesex	5,893	1	1
South-West Oxford	7,583	1	1
Southwold	4,851	1	0
Spanish	670	0	0
Springwater	21,701	2	2
St. Catharines	136,803	10	10
St. Charles	1,357	1	0
St. Clair	14,659	1	1
St. Joseph	1,426	1	0

Municipality	2021 Census	Large Producers s.10 (2)	Small Producers s.11(2) para. (2)
Name	Population	Collection Sites Required	Collection Sites Required
St. Marys	7,386	1	1
St. Thomas	42,840	3	3
Stirling-Rawdon	5,015	1	1
Stone Mills	7,826	1	1
Stratford	33,232	3	3
Strathroy-Caradoc	23,871	2	2
Strong	1,566	1	0
Sundridge	938	0	0
Tarbutt and Tarbutt Additional	573	0	0
Tay	11,091	1	1
Tay Valley	5,925	1	1
Tecumseh	23,300	2	2
Tehkummah	450	0	0
Temagami	862	0	0
Temiskaming Shores	9,634	1	1
Terrace Bay	1,528	1	0
Thames Centre	13,980	1	1
The Archipelago	979	0	0
The Blue Mountains	9,390	1	1
The Nation	13,350	1	1
The North Shore	531	0	0
Thessalon	1,260	1	0
Thornloe	92	0	0
Thorold	23,816	2	2
Thunder Bay	108,843	8	8
Tillsonburg	18,615	2	2
Timmins	41,145	3	3
Tiny	12,966	1	1
Toronto	2,794,356	80	80
Trent Hills	13,861	1	1
Trent Lakes	6,439	1	1
Tudor and Cashel	740	0	0
Tweed	6,067	1	1
Tyendinaga	4,538	1	0
Uxbridge	21,556	2	2
Val Rita-Harty	757	0	0
Vaughan	323,103	22	22
Wainfleet	6,887	1	1
Warwick	3,641	1	0
Wasaga Beach	24,862	2	2

Municipality	2021 Census	Large Producers s.10 (2)	Small Producers s.11(2) para. (2)
Name	Population	Collection Sites Required	Collection Sites Required
Waterloo	121,436	9	9
Wawa	2,705	1	0
Welland	55,750	4	4
Wellesley	11,318	1	1
Wellington North	12,431	1	1
West Elgin	5,060	1	1
West Grey	13,131	1	1
West Lincoln	15,454	2	2
West Nipissing	14,583	1	1
West Perth	9,038	1	1
Westport	634	0	0
Whitby	138,501	10	10
Whitchurch-Stouffville	49,864	4	4
White River	557	0	0
Whitestone	1,075	1	0
Whitewater	7,225	1	1
Wilmot	21,429	2	2
Windsor	229,660	16	16
Wollaston	721	0	0
Woodstock	46,705	4	4
Woolwich	26,999	2	2
Zorra	8,628	1	1

Territorial District	Population	Large Producers s. 10 (2)	Small Producers s. 11 (2) para. 2
Name	2021 Census	Collection Sites Required	Collection Sites Required
Algoma	9,215	1	1
Cochrane	5,752	1	1
Kenora	29,445	1	1
Manitoulin	5,029	1	1
Muskoka	213	0	0
Nipissing	3,577	1	1
Parry Sound	3,651	1	1
Rainy River	3,668	1	1
Sudbury	3,762	1	1
Thunder Bay	9,837	1	1
Timiskaming	3,281	1	1

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