

## The Corporation of the Town of Tillsonburg

April 04, 2016

VIA Email

To: Southwestern Ontario Municipalities

RE: MEMORANDUM - OPAL Request for Resolution

Please find attached the resolution approved by the Council of the Town of Tillsonburg at their Regular Council meeting held on March 29, 2016.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Donna Wilson Town Clerk

Attachment: Resolution of Town of Tillsonburg Council

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WHEREAS the Town of Tillsonburg supports Oxford County's Sustainability Plan including the Zero Waste objective by 2025;

AND WHEREAS Tillsonburg stands united with Oxford County in declaring the county and its municipalities unwilling hosts to garbage from areas beyond their municipal boundaries;

AND WHEREAS all local governments need to take responsibility for waste created within their borders while avoid the exportation of waste to other municipalities;

AND WHEREAS any and all regulations, practices and best available technologies shall be used to reduce the generation of waste and ultimately to ensure the elimination of the movement of waste across municipal borders and its resulting impact on the health of area residents and the environment;

THEREFORE be it resolved, That the Town of Tillsonburg endorses the material as presented by the Oxford People Against Landfill (OPAL) delegation on March 14, 2016;

THAT the Town strongly encourages the Province and other private and public sector partners to ensure waste generation is minimized and stays within the municipal area where it is generated, and finally;

THAT a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to Premier Kathleen Wynne, Minister Glen Murray (MOECC), MPP Ernie Hardeman, Southwestern Ontario municipalities, the County of Oxford, and OPAL.

**Motion Carried**