

Bylaw 8-2016
A Bylaw Regarding the Disposal of Solid Waste

The Council of the Resort Village of Big Shell, in the Province of Saskatchewan, enacts as follows:

PURPOSE:

1. The purpose of this bylaw is to regulate the disposal of refuse, garbage and rubbish at the Resort Village of Big Shell.

DEFINITION OF TERMS:

2. The following definitions and the definitions contained in the Act apply to this bylaw

Act	The Environmental Management and Protection Act (2010) along with the Saskatchewan Environmental Code.
Local Authority (LA)	The Council of the Resort Village of Big Shell
Administrative Authority (AA)	The Ministry of Environment of the Province of Saskatchewan
Municipality	The Resort Village of Big Shell
Council	The administrative body of the Municipality comprised of a Mayor and Councillors
Householder	The owner, occupant, lessee, or tenant or the person otherwise in charge of any dwelling or other premises in the Municipality; and also includes the registered owner of the land on which premises sit.
Refuse	The remains, by-products, and discarded materials resulting from domestic activities and includes garbage, rubbish, street cleanings, yard clippings etc. but does not include liquid domestic sewage.
Garbage	The animal, mineral and vegetable waste that is capable of decaying or rotting, and their containers, resulting from the handling, preparation and cooking of food
Rubbish	Remains and by-products that will not rot or decay, both combustible and non-combustible, including paper, cardboard, tin cans, wood, glass, crockery, by-products of building construction activities.
Liquid domestic sewage	Remains or by-products which contain animal, mineral or vegetable matter in solution or suspension

AUTHORITY

3. The disposal of refuse, garbage and rubbish at the Resort Village of Big Shell shall be done in accordance with the requirements of the Act.

NO LITTERING

4. No person shall be permitted to dump or unload any refuse within the Resort Village of Big Shell except for the areas designated in this Bylaw for disposal.
5. All Householders, and only Householders, shall dispose of household garbage and rubbish only in the areas designated by the LA.

TEMPORARY STORAGE

6. Any household garbage or rubbish temporarily stored on a Householder's property prior to its proper disposal shall be stored in containers that are fly-proof and watertight and in such a manner to prevent being ravaged by animals.

CONTAINERS

7. The LA shall provide container(s) for the collection and disposal of the household waste.
8. The LA shall also provide container(s) for the collection and disposal of household rubbish that is intended for recycling. Such materials include paper, cardboard, tin cans, milk jugs, plastic containers, Tetra Paks, and beverage cans and bottles, but do not include other glass, Styrofoam, crockery, wood, or by-products of building construction activities.
9. The LA shall ensure year-round access to the containers.

REMOVAL AND DISPOSITION

10. The LA shall contract for services with a suitable waste disposal contractor for the removal and proper disposal of the contents of the containers.

OTHER RUBBISH

11. The LA shall also provide a clean wood pile in which Householders can dispose of unstained and untreated wood, tree and yard clippings and reeds.
12. The LA shall maintain the clean wood pile area and arrange for and obtain any necessary permits for its management and maintenance.
13. For other rubbish not already noted, the LA will provide Householders with information regarding where such items may be disposed of including local landfills and recycling centres.

PENALTIES

14. If any person fails, neglects or refuses to do anything which he or she is required to do by this Bylaw, such thing may be done by the LA at the expense of the person in default and the Municipality may recover the expense thereof with costs by action in any court of competent jurisdiction or in like manner as municipal taxes.

15. Any person found guilty of an infraction of any of the provisions of this bylaw shall be liable on summary conviction to the penalties provided for under the General Penalties Bylaw of the Resort Village of Big Shell.

BYLAWS REPEALED

16. Bylaws 6-83 and 8-83 are hereby repealed.

Mayor

Administrator