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Dear Municipal By-election Candidate:

Solid Waste Management Services (SWMS) is pleased to be able to offer you the opportunity to recycle your election signs after this year's Ward 42 By-election. Our goal is to divert waste from landfill and we have secured markets to recycle the three main styles of election signs: corrugated plastic (i.e. Coroplast), fibre-based (i.e. paperboard), and plastic film (i.e. sleeve style). We have also secured markets for the recycling of wooden and metal stakes.

All election signs must be removed by Thursday, February 16, 2017 (Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 693, Signs). You can drop off your used or unused election signs for recycling at the Scarborough Transfer Station until **Friday, March 17, 2017**.

Address	Hours of Operation	
1 Transfer Place (Markham Rd. / Sheppard Ave. East Scarborough)	Monday - Friday	6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
	Saturday	7:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING:

- If you are recycling more than one plastic sleeve style sign, put them all in a clear plastic bag and tie closed.
- Separate all wooden stakes, metal supports, staples and screws from the signs. Dedicated containers will be provided for each material.
- Do not bundle signs or mix signs made of different materials.
- There is no fee for dropping off separated corrugated plastic, paper fibre, plastic film election signs and wooden stakes for recycling.
- Un-separated mixed waste that includes election signs will be charged a disposal fee of \$114.95 per tonne of material.

If you require further information, please contact 311 or Andrew Agbanti at (416) 392-4687.

Yours truly,



Jim McKay
General Manager
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cc: Derek Angove, Director, Processing & Resource Management, Solid Waste Management Services