

WASTE REMINDERS FOR A SAFE COLLECTION

The Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville would like to remind residents of the following safe waste-disposal guidelines to help protect collectors and the public from the risk of spreading COVID-19.

- Place all used tissues, napkins and paper towels in a sealed compostable bag in your green bin or a sealed plastic bag in a garbage container or black bag. Loose items like these often become wind-blown when the collector opens the lid or when emptying the bin into the truck. Please do not place these items in your blue box.
- **Used face masks and rubber gloves should be placed in a sealed bag and placed in the garbage. These items do not belong in the blue or green bins.**
- Bag all waste. Do not place any waste loosely in the green bin or garbage containers.
- All blue box materials should be clean and placed loosely in the blue bin, free of any food, plastic bags or film plastic.
- Please remember to wash your hands after handling all waste material and bins.

Collection crews have been instructed to leave any bins behind they feel are unsafe or pose a health risk. Please follow the above guidelines to help protect everyone and ensure a problem free collection!