Resort Village of B-Say-Tah Statement of POLICY and PROCEDURE	
Department:	Environmental Health & Safety
Section	Garbage & Yard Debris
Subject:	Collection
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1. POLICY

1.01 The Resort Village of B-Say-Tah shall establish guidelines regarding the collection and disposal of household waste and yard debris.

2. PURPOSE

- 2.01 The purpose of the policy is:
 - To establish garbage collection policy and procedures.
 - To establish rules of conduct for collection of household waste and yard debris.

3. SCOPE

3.01 This Statement of Policy and Procedure applies to Environmental Health & Safety.

4. PROCEDURE

- 4.01 Each household or cottage owner must provide enough garbage containers for their needs. The container may be metal or plastic cans with covers, or a garbage bin with a lid. All garbage must be bagged before being put in the container. The bag together with the contents must not weigh more than 40 pounds or 18.14kilograms. The Container must be kept so that contents cannot be scattered by animals or birds. Loose garbage will not be picked up. The owner shall be responsible for picking up and properly bagging loose garbage.
- 4.02 Garbage cans must be kept in a suitable stand. The stand or bin must be as near the road as possible but placed so it does not impede traffic.
- 4.021 If the garbage stands or bin is placed on public property or road allowance it must be placed so as not to impede traffic. The Resort Village may at any time request a stand or bin that has been placed on public property or road allowance to be moved to another location.

- 4.022 If the garbage stand is placed on private property, it must be accessible to the collector from public property or a road allowance.
- 4.03 Yard debris will be picked up on Monday from May 1 to October 31. The collection day may change without notice due to statutory holidays. Hedge, shrub, grass clippings and leaves are to be bagged and tied in biodegradable/compostable bags and weigh no more than 40 pounds or 18.14 kilograms. Unbagged yard debris not in bags will not be picked up. Tree trunks and larger limbs are to be disposed of by the resident or property owner. Small tree limbs are to be no more than 3 feet in length and bundled or they will not be picked up.
- 4.04 Household garbage pickup will be picked up Monday. The collection day may change without notice due to statutory holidays and due to extreme cold weather. Household garbage should be put out early to ensure that you are not missed. Household garbage does not include yard debris and these items should not be mixed.
- 4.05 Discarded furniture or appliances, old lumber or building material including paint cans are not considered household garbage and will not be picked up for removal. The municipality will not pick up electronics, concrete, used oil, tires and batteries. As regulations for the operation of the landfill site change due to environmental concerns, any item that cannot be disposed of at the waste disposal site will not be picked up.
- 4.06 Discarded or broken glass should be boxed and bagged nd marked glass to prevent injury to the garbage collector when picking up garbage.
- 4.07 Dumping of garbage, leaves, tree branches, grass or hedge clippings, lake weed, etc. along a road allowance or on a public reserve is not permitted.
- 4.08 Recycling –Recycle bins are located in the boat launch parking lot area and along hwy #210 (B-Say-Tah Road) in the turn-around area near Hall Street and Mackie Street. Cardboard should not be soiled or stained and boxes or cartons should be flattened.