

Agenda

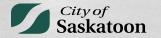
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- Collection Considerations
- Eastview Neighbourhood Assessment
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- Questions and Answers





Background

- Solid Waste Management Master Plan 2000-2020
- Transition to individual roll-out carts
- In September 2024, City Council directed administration to investigate the possibility of moving the primary waste collection location for the Eastview neighborhood from the back lane to the front street.



Back lane



Back lane Collections

Collection	Advantages	Disadvantages		
Back lane collections	 Existing collection location (no changes required). Reduced visibility of waste carts as they're hidden in the back lane. Avoid parking restrictions or space constraints in front street. Snow storage available on the front street. 	 Lower efficiency due to narrow lane width and obstructions (i.e. low power lines and trees). Potential for residential property damage (i.e. garages, fences) with narrow lane widths and tight turns. Rear lane degradation resulting in an increase of maintenance costs. Higher rates of litter, illegal dumping and scavenging due to carts left out. Cart placement is difficult due to slopes and shoulders, condition of roads. Snow and ice accumulation results in difficulty for collections trucks navigating and cart placement. 		



Collection Truck Details

- Automated sideloader
- Maximum capacity (full): 29,000 kg





Bylaw Issues

- Environmental Protection Officers (EPO's) complete education and enforcement initiatives per the Waste Bylaw, 2022 (Bylaw No. 9844)
- Bylaw complaints can be reported by calling the 24hr. Customer Care Centre
- EPO's respond to carts left out, illegal dumping, scavenging issues in the back lane

Neighbourhood Blitz S			
		Warning	Notices of Violation
	Education Notices	Notices	Issued + Eligible
Neighbourhood	delivered	Delivered	Notices of Violation
Eastview (2017)	409	121	12

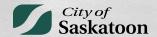




Front street







Front Street Collections

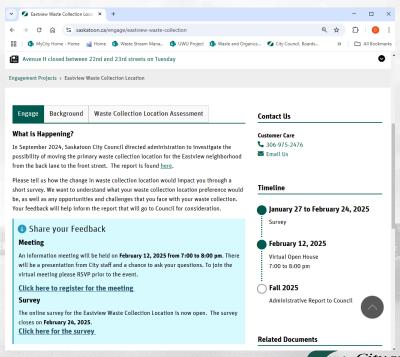
Collection	Advantages	Disadvantages
Location		
Front street collections	 More efficient collection for garbage collection. Lower potential for safety incidents i.e. overhead lines and trees. Lower potential for property damage claims. Fit for collection in the winter. Wider and more even road conditions for cart placement. Less cart damages for trucks being able to pick up (more clearance and set out). Mobility of cart is typically easier from a driveway, front of home. Less bylaw infractions (scavenging, carts left out). 	 Cart placement issues due to on-street parking on collection day. Vehicle traffic on major roads. Carts more visible in front of the house less options to hide the cart.

Eastview Neighborhood Assessment

Impact	Descriptor	Back lane	Front street
Permanent Obstructions	Trees, property, overhead cable lines/wires	Obstructions observed (low)	Obstructions observed (low)
Backing Up	Areas where the collection truck would need to back up	Backing up required (low)	Not required
Road Conditions	Condition of roads, paved versus gravel	Older gravel surfaces	Up to current standard (paved)
Width of Road	Narrow width	5m or less (wide)	Greater width
Parking	Amount of parking locations	Some detached garages, access in the back	On-street parking
Slope (incline) of Road	Visible slopes or shoulders	Visible slopes exist	No visible slopes
Vehicle Traffic	Vehicle traffic in lane, local or minor, arterial road	Lane collector	Minor collector
Snow & Ice	Suitable for collection in the winter	Potential drifting near parks, not services	Low potential for drifting, windrows on sides
Driver Visibility	Access to and from the road (good visibility)	Low visibility, no lighting	Good visibility
Bylaw Issues	Carts left out (i.e. illegal dumping, scavenging) and potential for scavenging	High potential for carts left out	Lower potential

Next Steps

- Operational review (neighbourhood, safety, financial assessment)
- Collection location survey closes February 24th
 - saskatoon.ca/eastviewcollection
- Report to Council (Fall 2025)





Questions

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