



# REPORT

To: Solid Waste Committee

Report Number: ENV-SWC-158

From: Environmental Services

Date: July 4, 2024

**Subject: Relocation of the Hudson’s Hope Unattended Recycling Station - Update**

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## RECOMMENDATION:

That the Solid Waste Committee receive the report titled “Relocation of the Hudson’s Hope Unattended Recycling Station – Update, “ENV-SWC-158”, which advises committee members that the relocation of the unattended Hudson’s Hope Recycling Station was completed on May 7, 2024, for information.

## BACKGROUND/RATIONALE:

On September 29, 2023, the Peace River Regional District (PRRD) received a request to relocate the unattended recycling station at the Legacy Market in Hudson’s Hope in 2024. This request came from the Legacy Market landowner in an effort to reduce the attractant of wildlife to the property.

At the October 12, 2023 Solid Waste Committee Meeting, a report was presented to provide an overview of the unattended recycling station including the request from the landowner.

PRRD staff first worked with the District of Hudson’s Hope to identify options for relocation of the site within the community. Sites such as the arena and the residential water sales location were discussed. None of the options considered were found suitable for relocation of the station within the community. As such, in an effort to meet the landowners request, the unattended recycling station, which is used for the collection of paper, plastic containers, flexible plastics, tin, and glass was relocated to the PRRD’s attended transfer station on May 7, 2024. The PL6 bin for the collection of cardboard provided by the District of Hudson’s Hope still remains at the Legacy Market.

As part of the Hudson’s Hope Transfer Station Tier 1 Upgrade project, a 14’ x 32’ recycling shed will be constructed. Once completed, this shed will be used for the collection of recycling as is done at other PRRD transfer stations.

## ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS:

1. That the Solid Waste Committee provide further direction.

## STRATEGIC PLAN RELEVANCE:

- Asset and Infrastructure Management

## FINANCIAL CONSIDERATION(S):

None at this time.

**COMMUNICATIONS CONSIDERATION(S):**

As part of the relocation, messaging was shared weekly starting April 19, 2024 through the PRRD's website, social media platforms, and Everbridge.

**OTHER CONSIDERATION(S):**

None at this time.

External Links:

1. [October 12, 2023 Solid Waste Committee Meeting](#) – See Item 9.2 “Relocation of Hudson's Hope Unattended Recycling Depot, ENV-SWC-138”