

A summary of the 2023 work that was completed by the Waste Management Advisory Committee is provided in the table below:

Goal	Completed in 2023
<p>Advise and provide support and guidance to staff to the ongoing development, revisions and implementation of the Integrated Waste Management Strategy</p>	<p>The Committee was consulted on Strategy initiative implementation plans and progress:</p> <p>The committee reviewed and provided feedback on a summary of the 2023-2024 Strategy initiatives which were achieved and which still needed to be completed, and a timeline for achieving the ongoing initiatives.</p>
<p>Assist with public consultation and make recommendations based on the public consultation with regard to the Integrated Waste Management Strategy for the City of Kawartha Lakes.</p>	<p>Throughout the year the committee assisted staff with public consultation and recommendations and the successful implementation of mailing out calendars to members of the public. Interests of residents was a common theme discussed throughout implementation of strategy initiatives.</p>
<p>Ensure that the development and implementation of the Integrated Waste Management Strategy achieves Council's strategic priorities.</p>	<p>Throughout the implementation process the committee provided insight and feedback in line with Council's strategic priorities. As an example the following activities were completed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Report to Council to accept the Bulk Plastics as a permanent diversion program. • Promote C&D diversion to meet targets • Continued to look into recycling options for boat and bale wrap • Report to Council regarding implementation of an SSO program • Continue to work with other departments on improvement for the corporate waste reduction vision