

April 10, 2025

Oxford County Area Municipalities

VIA EMAIL

RE: COVID-19 Economic Recovery Act, 2020, S.O. 2020, c. 18 – Bill 197

At its meeting held April 9, 2025, Oxford County Council passed the following resolution:

Moved By: Brian Petrie
Seconded By: David Mayberry

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Whereas at least one company has registered lobbyist with the Provincial Government for the purpose of removing this requirement;

Therefore, be it resolved that Oxford County Council fully endorses the changes passed in COVID-19 Economic Recovery Act, 2020, S.O. 2020, c. 18 - Bill 197, giving municipalities within 3.5 kilometers of a new landfill application the right of approval;

And furthermore, that advocating that this requirement stay in place and that it be included in the list of items that Oxford County actively advocates on.

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Thank you,



Jessica M. Elliott
Coordinator of Legislative Services/Deputy Clerk
Encl.

Municipal Council of the County of Oxford
Council Meeting - Oxford County

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