Monday September 24, 2018

Waste Management Steering Committee

RE: Oct 1/2018 Meeting

The St James Players have been providing exceptional musical theatre in Peterborough for over 45 years. We are a not for profit volunteer community theatre group that operates out of St James United Church; all our profits go back into this community. Over the years we have accumulated numerous set pieces, props and costumes to help with our two annual productions. The church has had issues with mildew and mould and we need to purge some significant items; not to mention ongoing storage issues. We have approached the other theatre companies to offer up items, hoping to reuse some items, but we were unsuccessful to get rid of any major set pieces or costumes.

We decided at our last board meeting that we needed to take the next step. Waste Connections has graciously donated a bin free of charge and it will be delivered Friday September 28. We will have it for one week. It was suggested that I approach your steering committee to ask for your help this one time.

I am unable to attend your meeting as I work full time.

This is a written request to have the tipping fees waived for this <u>20-yard bin</u>. The majority of the contents will be wood items along with fabric/costumes. We are recycling what we can in order to reduce and reuse.

We would really appreciate your help as we are having to replace all of our backdrops for our November show, which will impact us greatly financially.

Thank you for your consideration,

Debbie Airhart

Co-Secretary

St. James Players Board

Shrek the Musical is playing at Showplace – November 9-17 TH