

THE REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF NIAGARA

BY-LAW NO. 2026-07

A BY-LAW TO ADOPT THE 2026 WASTE  
MANAGEMENT BUDGET FOR THE REGIONAL  
MUNICIPALITY OF NIAGARA AND TO REPEAL BY-  
LAW 2025-67

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WHEREAS subsection 289 (1) of the Municipal Act 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25, as amended, requires that an upper-tier municipality shall in each year prepare and adopt a budget;

WHEREAS the Council of The Regional Municipality of Niagara on December 11, 2025, passed By-law 2025-67 being a by-law to adopt the 2026 Waste Management Budget for The Regional Municipality of Niagara;

WHEREAS Council deems it necessary to replace By-law 2025-67 to reflect those local area municipalities that have requested Enhanced Levels of Service for Waste Management and apportion the 2026 budgeted net Waste Management Operating budget appropriately.

NOW THEREFORE the Council of The Regional Municipality of Niagara enacts as follows:

1. That the 2026 Waste Management Gross Operating Budget of \$53,050,966 and Net Operating Budget of \$45,945,217 be and is hereby adopted.
2. That the 2026 budgeted net Waste Management Operating budget be apportioned to the lower-tier municipalities as follows:

Municipality	2026 Net Budget Allocation (\$)
Fort Erie	3,441,557
Grimsby	2,571,983
Lincoln	2,241,817
Niagara Falls	9,151,864
Niagara-on-the-Lake	2,014,924
Pelham	1,612,361
Port Colborne	2,176,904
St. Catharines	13,492,831
Thorold	2,311,504
Wainfleet	666,480
Welland	5,125,100
West Lincoln	1,137,892
Total	45,945,217

3. That by-law 2025-67 is hereby repealed.
4. That this by-law shall come into force and effect on the day upon which it is passed.

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Bob Gale, Regional Chair

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Ann-Marie Norio, Regional Clerk

Passed: January 29, 2026