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# MEMBER COMMUNICATION

To the attention of the Clerk and Council  
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## Consultation on Blue Box Changes

### Issue:

Please attend the Waste Diversion Ontario (WDO) workshop/webcast to consult on draft recommendations being developed for submission to the Minister of the Environment. The consultation will focus on issues related to:

- Greater consistency of printed papers and packaging collected in Ontario's Blue Box Programs; and
- Recommending a process to identify and address the types of printed papers and packaging that pose operational or materials management problems in Ontario Blue Box Programs.

### Background:

WDO has been directed by the Minister of the Environment to undertake this consultation and to prepare recommendations on the consistency of printed papers and packaging collected in the Blue Box system. The Minister also requested a process to identify and address Blue Box Program operational or materials management problems for submission to the Minister of the Environment by February 28, 2010 in response to a request from the Minister received on August 14, 2009. WDO's invitation to the consultation can be viewed by [clicking here](#).

**Date:** Tuesday, November 24  
**Time:** 1 p.m. to approximately 4:30 p.m.  
**Location:** Salons C and D  
**Marriott Toronto Downtown Eaton Centre Hotel**  
 525 Bay Street, Toronto, Ontario

### Registration

Please register to attend the workshop in person or online by webcast at the WDO website. Additional information such as how to log into the webcast will be sent to registrants closer to the date of the workshop.

This information is available in the Policy Issues section of the AMO website at [www.amo.on.ca](http://www.amo.on.ca).

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