

How to use a Residential Garbage Tag

With an approved garbage bag:

- Secure top of approved* garbage bag with a twist tie or knot.
- Attach tag around the neck of bag making sure it is secured.
- Do not use tags as a twist tie.
- Only one tag per bag is required.
- Full tag must be displayed and placed properly on an approved garbage bag only.
- * Approved garbage bags must be no more than 125 centimetres (4.1 feet) and no less than 80 centimetres (2.6 feet) in height by no more than 90 centimetres (3 feet) and no less than 65 centimetres (2.1 feet) in width and weighs no more than 18 kilograms (40 pounds) when filled.

With an approved garbage bundle:

- Approved* bundles of garbage must be securely tied (e.g. with string/twine).
 - Attach tag to the string/twine so that it is easily visible.
 - Only one tag per bundle is required.
 - Full tag must be displayed.
 - * Approved bundles must be no more than 1.2 metres (4 feet) in length, by 60 centimetres (2 feet) in width, and weigh no more than 18 kg/40 lbs.

With an approved garbage container:

- Tags may not be placed on the container itself.
- Only one tag is required on the top bag for the entire approved* container to be collected as long as it weighs no more than 18 kilograms / 40 pounds.
- Do not use tags as a twist tie.
- Full tag must be displayed.
- Place the tag on the top bag inside the container where it will be clearly visible once the collector removes the lid.
- * Approved garbage containers have a capacity of no more than 133 litres/35 gallons, are no taller than 95 centimetres (3.1 feet) and no wider than 60 centimetres (2 feet), with handles set above the midpoint on both sides of the container and has a lid that may be easily and completely removed (any device used to tie down the lid must be completely removed prior to collection).

For further information, please call City Services at 3-1-1 or visit our website at www.greatersudbury.ca/wastemanagement.

