



## E-Waste (WEEE) accepted at Loyalist Township Landfill Sites

### For Loyalist Township Residents

Loyalist Township landfill sites located on Violet Road (mainland) and Dump Road (Amherst Island) are now accepting at no charge all Phase 1 and 2 E-waste (WEEE - waste electrical and electronic equipment) as designated by the Ontario Electronic Stewardship (OES) under the WEEE program. Phase 1 designated equipment was accepted for collection on April 1, 2009 and Phase 2 equipment on April 1, 2010.

Once WEEE has been disposed of at the landfills it is immediately diverted from the waste stream and becomes a recyclable material which is periodically transferred by a registered transporter to recyclers and end use processors. Although it is too early to accurately estimate the long term benefits of diverting WEEE from Township landfill sites there is no doubt that the reduced volume may contribute to extended life expectancies of the sites.

A listing of Phase 1 and 2 designated equipment is shown below. Other details pertaining to the OES WEEE program are available on the OES website at:

<http://www.ontarioelectronicstewardship.ca/>

<b>Phase 1 Products (effective April 1, 2009)</b>	<b>Phase 2 Products (items added to the program April 1, 2010)</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Desktop computers</li><li>• Portable computers</li><li>• Computer peripherals</li><li>• Monitors</li><li>• Televisions</li><li>• Printing devices</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Computer peripherals will include modems</li><li>• Printing devices will include copiers, scanners, typewriters</li><li>• Telephones (physical and accessories)</li><li>• Cellular phones</li><li>• PDAs and pagers</li><li>• Audio and video players</li><li>• Cameras</li><li>• Equalizers, (pre)amplifiers</li><li>• Radios</li><li>• Receivers</li><li>• Speakers</li><li>• Tuners</li><li>• Turntable</li><li>• Video players/projectors</li><li>• Video recorders</li><li>• Personal hand held computers</li></ul>