

Hello,

I am writing to voice concern at the slow and ineffectual process at developing an environmentally sound waste management plan for Montréal. As I understand, Montréal produces more than 50% of Québec's residential waste, and only recovers 17%. Due to these and many other flaws with the current waste management plan, I would like to request that:

1. Montréal commit to adhering to the Quebec waste management plan, which establishes a goal of 60% of recovery of waste through recycling and reuse for each municipality.
2. That the city of Montréal pursue serious financial measures and by-laws to help achieve the goal.
3. That Montréal establish municipal pickup of organic material for composting; something which has worked successfully in other large municipalities such as Toronto.
4. That we take responsibility for our own waste by establishing landfills on the territory of the city of Montréal.

Please take my concerns seriously, and let me know what progress is being made.

Thank you very much for your time and concern.

Sincerely,
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