



TAY TOWNSHIP

Stoop & Scoop

Caring for pets responsibly



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Always bring more than one bag with you when you are walking your pet on public property, just in case.

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Do not leave the bag on the ground. Please properly dispose of the waste in a garbage bin.

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It can be useful to wrap the excrements in a bio-degradable paper before collecting the matter with a plastic bag.

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Remember to promote clean, responsible pet ownership. Set a good example for your children, family and neighbours.



Your Responsibilities as a Pet Owner

It is the responsibility of the pet owner to actively take care of their animal, which includes stooping and scooping. This issue is a growing concern for **Operations Staff**, who work hard to maintain clean-cut trails and parks for the community to enjoy. It is not a pleasant responsibility to pick up after someone else's pet.

The Township of Tay prides itself on **sustaining a safe and healthy environment**. Please practice clean and responsible pet ownership by collecting your dog's waste.

By-law Information

The Canine Control and Dog Licensing **By-law 2025-10** deals with all canine related matters including running at large and specifications for the leashing of dogs at all times. The following section states that all dog owners must stoop and scoop:

7.1 Every person who owns, controls, or harbours a dog shall remove forthwith any excrement left by such dog on public or private property and shall dispose of such excrement in a sanitary manner. **FINE: \$180**