



Media Advisory

Environmental Commissioner of Ontario to release special report on province's waste strategy

Dianne Saxe, Environmental Commissioner of Ontario, will release a special report that reviews the provincial government's ambitious new *Waste-Free Ontario Act, 2016*.

The report examines key questions, including:

- Why is waste a problem in Ontario?
- What is Ontario's vision for a waste-free future?
- What are the key lessons from Ontario's first 40 years of waste diversion?
- What's different about the new plan, and what will the *Waste-Free Ontario Act, 2016* change?
- What are the key challenges in implementing the new law?

When: Wednesday, October 4, 2017 at 10:00 a.m.

Where: Media Studio, Legislative Building Room 149, Queen's Park, Toronto, ON

The Report and Media Release will be online at eco.on.ca coincident with the media conference start.

Note: Media not currently accredited by the Legislative Assembly must register in advance with Gerald Christopher, Coordinator, Press Gallery (416-325-7922 or gerald_christopher@ontla.ola.org).

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