THE CORPORATION OF TAY VALLEY TOWNSHIP

BY-LAW NO. 2013-070

GLEN TAY RE-USE CENTRE - OPERATING PROCEDURES

AND WHEREAS, Section 9 of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, provides that a municipality has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under the Municipal Act or any other Act;

AND WHEREAS, Section 5 (3) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, provides that a municipal power, including a municipality's capacity, rights, powers and privileges under Section 9, shall be exercised by by-law unless the municipality is specifically authorized to do otherwise:

AND WHEREAS, the Council deems it expedient to formalize 'Rules for Re-Users' in order to ensure efficient operations at the Glen Tay Re-Use Centre;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Council of the Corporation of Tay Valley Township enacts as follows:

1. GENERAL REGULATIONS

1.1 THAT, the Re-Use Centre – Operating Procedures, attached hereto as Schedule "A", be adopted.

2. ULTRA VIRES

Should any sections of this by-law, including any section or part of any schedules attached hereto, be declared by a court competent jurisdiction to be ultra vires, the remaining sections shall nevertheless remain valid and binding.

3. EFFECTIVE DATE

ENACTED AND PASSED this 26th day of November, 2013.

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Amanda Mabo, Clerk

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SCHEDULE "A"

Glen Tay Re-Use Centre

A project of the Tay Valley Re-Users and The Corporation of Tay Valley Township

The Re-Use Centre is operated by a volunteer group called The Tay Valley Re-Users, who are dedicated to the diversion of re-usable items from the landfill.

The group receives donated re-usable goods from **residents of Tay Valley Township**, sorts them and gives them away free to members of the community who can make use of them.

The Re-Use Centre's goals are:

- 1. to divert as many re-usable goods as possible from the landfill in order to extend the life of Township waste sites;
- 2. to serve as many people as possible who can make use of re-used goods;
- 3. to promote the practice of the 'three Rs': Reduce, Re-use, Recycle.

In support of these goals, we ask that people observe the following rules:

- The Re-Users reserve the right to limit quantities taken from the Re-Use Centre. Please do not take more than you need for your personal use.
- The Re-Users reserve the right to limit time spent in the Re-Use Centre, in order to ensure that everyone has a chance to visit and 'shop.'
- In order to record the volume of goods diverted from the landfill, donated items *must* be sorted and processed by the Re-Use Centre volunteers before being placed in the Re-Use Centre. Generally, the Re-Use Centre is open during regular waste site hours. In the event that there are no volunteers on duty, the Re-Use Centre will be closed. Items cannot be left at the Re-Use Centre if it is closed.
- The reselling of items from the Re-Use Centre is discouraged. This is a volunteer operation. Volunteers do not want to donate their time for others to make a financial profit.
- Any customer in violation of the rules within this By-Law will be subject to being banned from the Glen Tay Re-Use Centre for an appropriate amount of time reflective of the violation and to be determined by Tay Valley Township.

Your cooperation is appreciated. Please report any problems at the Re-Use Centre to the volunteer on duty.