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TOWNSHIP OF MORTH HURON

June 30, 2017

Township of North Huron Attention: Kathy Adams 274 Josephine Street Wingham ON N0G 2W0

Dear Township of North Huron Council:

The Wingham BIA (Business Improvement Area) requests the Township of North Huron council to enact a bylaw prohibiting Clothing Donation Bins from being placed anywhere within the town of Wingham.

The only exception to this bylaw would be the Wingham Salvation Army Thrift Store at the <u>rear</u> of the thrift store.

The grounds for requesting this bylaw are:

- 1. The randomly placed clothing bins detract from the look of the town.
- 2. The clothing bins are often overflowing with bags of clothes and other garbage piled around them.
- 3. The organizations that place the clothing bins pretend to be charitable causes, but as numerous news investigations have found, very little if any funds actually get to any charities.
- 4. The outside organizations placing clothing bins in the town are taking away clothing donations that would otherwise go to Wingham's Salvation Army Thrift Store.

Feel free to contact me if you have any questions or require further information

Sincerely, DougKuyvenhoven

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