



**Milton Grows Green Committee  
Press Release December 16, 2008**

On Tuesday, December 16, 2008, the Milton Grows Green Committee (MGG), in conjunction with Community Waste Services (CWS), announced a free recycling program for Bell Memorial Park, the only park currently in active use in the City of Milton. This program is being presented to the families of the Hopewell Youth Association, which runs the youth baseball program at the park. This program makes up the bulk of the regular users of the park, which is open to the public. Acting in partnership with CWS, MGG will place signs and barrels for recycling at various locations throughout the park, with CWS providing both the containers and recycling pickup services at no charge to the City or the park's users. The program will commence in January, with the start of the new season.

Melissa Estes, Co-chair of MGG who is heading up this program for the committee, said: "Milton Grows Green is happy to play a part in starting the pilot recycling program at Bell Memorial Park. This is a program that helps the environment while helping the city save money."

MGG is an official city committee, with a Governing Board consisting of 13 volunteer citizens from across all districts and business partners. MGG assists the City in identifying and implementing a variety of environmental activities. These include encouraging greener building practices, protecting natural resources, raising awareness through education, working towards a green designation for Milton and pursuing grants in coordination with other city and community initiatives.

The committee is co-chaired by Milton residents Melissa Estes, Jack Lindon and Jon McPhail. Anyone interested in the committee's activities or in environmental issues is encouraged to contact MGG through [miltongrowsgreen@earthlink.net](mailto:miltongrowsgreen@earthlink.net).

For further details of the recycling program or information about MGG, see the attached flyer.