#### Request for Decision United Townships of Head, Clara & Maria Council Type of Decision Meeting Friday, May 23, 2014 Report Tuesday, May-20-14 Date Date Decision **Priority** Х Yes No Х High Low Required Direction Information Type of Х Х Open Closed Only Meeting #28/03/14/1102 – Support for Resolution – Front of Yonge Township – ban use of Styrofoam peanuts in Ontario

## Subject:

Support for resolution as per direction at last Council meeting.

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

That Council adopt the following resolution.

**WHEREAS** Council reviewed the resolution of the Township of Front of Yonge at its meeting of Friday, April 25 requesting that the Ontario Ministry of the Environment be petitioned to ban the use of polystyrene foam peanuts in Ontario as there are viable environmentally friendly alternatives;

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT** the Council of the Municipality of the United Townships of Head, Clara & Maria does hereby support that resolution and requests that the provincial government through the Ministry of the Environment ban the production and use of polystyrene packing peanuts in Ontario.

#### **BACKGROUND/EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:** Self explanatory

**Options/Discussion**:

# **Financial Considerations/Budget Impact:**

Approved and Recommended by the Clerk Melinda Reith, Municipal Clerk