

BEAR WISE



What You Can Do

- Put garbage out on the morning of garbage day, and not the night before
- Do not leave pet food outdoors
- Thoroughly clean outdoor grills after use
- Fill bird feeders only through the winter months
- Do not put meat, fish or sweet food (including fruit) in your composter
- Keep meat scraps in the freezer until garbage pick-up day
- Pick all ripe fruit off trees, and remove vegetables and fallen fruit from the ground
- Use electric fencing to protect valuable trees, orchards, vegetable and berry patches

For additional information refer to the MNR website at <http://bears.mnr.gov.on.ca/>

IN AN IMMEDIATE EMERGENCY: contact your local police force or dial 911

TO REPORT BEAR PROBLEMS: contact the Bear Reporting Line at 1-866-514-BEAR (2327) (TTY) 705 945-7641

FOR INFORMATION ABOUT THE BEAR MANAGEMENT PROGRAM: contact your [local MNR office](#).