

SOLID WASTE / RECYCLING COMMITTEE

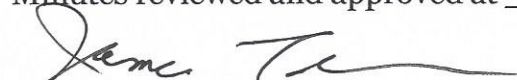
Meeting minutes for October 20, 2020

Present: Jim Tessier, Donald Webber, Corinne Carignan, Bud Moynahan and Steve Robinson (Public Works Director). Pam Mondschein was excused.

Meeting opened at 6:00 p.m.

1. Reviewed and approved July 21, 2020 minutes. Moved by Bud, second by Don Webber. Approved: 4 – 0.
2. Public Comment – no non-committee members present
3. A. Transfer Station – Collection of recyclable materials at the transfer station has been restored to pre-Covid levels including use of the recycling building. Use of masks will continue to be required for residents and staff.
B. Pay-to-throw – The Town has changed vendors for Pay-to-throw bags. The new bags are of better quality, however, they are light blue in color instead of purple.
C. Food waste collection – The Town is now purchasing food waste collection bags from Mr. Fox.
4. Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) policy – Jim reviewed his presentation concerning HHW policy that was made to the Select Board at their September 24, 2020 meeting. The Select Board agreed to continue the current HHW policy. They also asked the SWRC to review the HHW policy every two years. The Town Manager will add a 2-year reminder to his work schedule.
5. Updates to the Town web site –
A. The Committee reviewed the aerial view of the transfer station provided by Pam. All members were very happy with the picture, but felt that some labeling changes were needed. Jim will ask Pam to make the changes, then forward to Town Clerk for addition to the web site.
B. The Committee began discussion of how to improve the Town web site. This discussion will continue at future meetings.
6. Other business – none
7. Next meeting: scheduled for January 19, 2021 at 6 p.m.
8. Motion to adjourn – moved by Bud, second by Donald. Approved 4 – 0. Meeting adjourned at 7:22 p.m.

Minutes reviewed and approved at MAR. 16, 2020 meeting.


Signed and submitted