

SOLID WASTE COORDINATING COMMITTEE



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Meeting Location

301 N. Main St – Adrian, MI 49221

Minutes: Wednesday, October 5, 2022

Members in Attendance:

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| ✓ Jim Goetz (Co Comm) 12/22 - Chair | ✓ Kasee Johnson (Health Field) 12/23 |
| ✓ John Tuckerman (At Large) 12/22 - VChair | ✓ Dave Pixley (Outlying Community) 12/24 |
| A Greg Elliott (City of Adrian) 12/22 | ✓ Jim Palmer (Twp. Official) 12/24 |
| ✓ Jim May (Solid Waste Industry) 12/23 | A Keeley Pape (Environmental Group) 12/24 |
| A Dan Swallow (City of Tecumseh) 12/23 | |

Also Present: Becky Borton, Joe Michalec (Goodwill), and Kim Murphy

J. Goetz opened the meeting at 10:00 a.m.

I. Consent Agenda

A. Approve Minutes

Motion by J. Tuckerman, seconded by D. Pixley, to approve the September 2022 minutes. Motion carried.

B. Finance Report: The finance report was available.

Motion by J. Plamer, seconded by J. Tuckerman, to accept the finance report. Motion carried.

C. Reports: Monthly reports of the Waste Hauler Tonnage Logs, County-wide Recycling, and Recycling Drop Off Site were available.

II. Discussion Items

A. Program Coordinator's Report: B. Borton reviewed the coordinator's report.

DOS Upgrade: There haven't been any issues at the drop off site. Buildings & Grounds will be notified to investigate the viability of adding a ledge to the rigid containers.

Modern Waste has increased their costs \$100 a load to haul the containers from the drop off site to Granger. The contract with Modern Waste expired in 2021.

Motion by D. Pixley, seconded by J. Palmer, to authorize the Program Coordinator to

prepare request for proposals for waste hauling services. Motion carried.

2023 Tire Collection Date: The 2023 grant application has opened and will be submitted prior to October 28th. Seneca and Ridgeway Townships have expressed an interest in applying.

The spring collection day will be held Saturday, May 20, 2023.

2023 Waste Hauler Licensing: A memo will be going out this month to the current waste haulers, as well as, a couple of new ones identified by dumpsters.

Other Collection Events: The Ag container Collection ended 9/16 and the HHW event was held on Oct 1.

Board Member Appointments: The term expiration date for John Tuckerman Greg Elliott, and Jim Goetz are set to expire at the end of the year. John Tuckerman is interested and willing to serve another term.

2022 Calendar: 1st Wednesday of the month at 10:00 a.m., November 2 - December 7

III. Other Business: The amendment to PA115 that passed in the House in 2021 is set to expire at the end of this session if not passed by the Senate.

An article on the Materials Recycling Facility that opened in Ann Arbor was shared with the committee. Several members expressed an interest in touring the facility.

IV. Public Comment

There was no public comment.

V. Adjournment

Motion by D. Pixley, J. Tuckerman seconded, to adjourn the meeting at 10:20 a.m. Motion carried.