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Solid Waste

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Columbia County Solid Waste Committee December 14, 2010

Approved Minutes

Present: John Healy, Phil Baebler, Robert Andler, and Mark Sleger

Also Present: Bill Casey, Craig Cawley Town of Pacific Supervisor, and Carole Beix recording secretary.

Chairman Healy called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. noting that the meeting had been properly noticed. Andler made a motion to approve the agenda second by Baebler. Motion carried.

Minutes from the November 16th meeting were approved on motion by Andler, second by Baebler. Motion carried.

Town of Pacific

Town of Pacific Supervisor Cawley stated that the town is in the process of reviewing their town ordinances. There is a \$50.00 hauling fee permit that is paid to the town in order for commercial haulers to be able to dump material at our facility. Discussion followed. Cawley is going to have the town clerk contact us to let us know who has not paid for the permit, and have us remind them that they need to obtain a permit to be allowed to dump at the facility.

There were no odor complaints.

Expenditures

Expenditures were presented for payment. Motion to approve expenditure report as presented made by Sleger, second by Andler. Motion carried.

Budgets and Compensatory Time

Compensatory time is in line with county policy.

We are slightly behind in our tipping fee revenue. There are accounts that are 30 to 60 days out which should help bring us in line with budget expectations.

We are over on our truck maintenance.

Recycling revenue has passed what was budgeted.

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Casey informed the committee that we have received a bankruptcy notice on one of customers, which we have turned over the Corporation Counsel. Discussion followed.

Correspondence

The state held a meeting on compost rules regarding the disposal of yard waste composting. The rule allows insertion of source separated organics. Discussion followed.

Comptroller Schepp sent out material regarding identity theft which appears that it does not apply directly to us.

Casey met with George Dreckmann from the City of Madison to discuss a small pilot program to investigate composting of source separated organics. The volume and interest from the resident to sort out the organics is unknown and this pilot would allow the city an opportunity to determine the feasibility of a broader operation. The county's role in this program would be to run the organics through our composter for the short term, as they evaluate the program they would pay the tipping fee.

Recycling Market

Markets still look good. The material that we receive from the town recycling sites is processed here which is going up in value.

Operation Report

Casey suggested that we choose Safety-Kleen as our oil filter and absorbent contractor since they are already set to accept oil filters and absorbents, and we have worked with Safety-Kleen for 20 years and have a good working relationship. It was suggested that we charge 25¢ per oil filter. Discussion followed. Motion made by Sleger to approve Safety-Kleen as our oil recycling agent, second by Baebler. Motion carried.

Next Meeting Date

The next Solid Waste Committee meeting will be Tuesday, January 11th at 9:00 a.m.

Motion made to adjourn Solid Waste Committee meeting at 9:47 a.m. by Andler, second by Baebler. Motion carried.

Secretary of Record,

Recording Secretary,

Robert Andler

Carole Beix