

**SOLID WASTE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
TOWN OF MADISON
January 9, 2014
MINUTES**

Committee members present: Chairman Dave Downs, Selectman John Arruda, Paul Littlefield, Ray O'Brien

Others Present: Videographer Tim Hughes

Where and When Posted: The SWAC meeting notice is published in the Town Office upper and lower levels and in both town Post Offices. A yearly schedule is published at the beginning of the year. The meeting generally is the second Thursday of each month unless noted on the schedule or amended by a change notice posted in all the above locations at least 24 hours prior to the previously planned meeting.

Meeting Called to Order: Chairman called the meeting to order at 8:07am

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: On a MOTION by John seconded by Paul the minutes were approved.

PUBLIC COMMENTS: None

ALUMINUM BEVERAGE CAN TRAILER: Transportation of cans and potential proposal from another salvage yard. See below for a comparison of vendors and features and plans to seek more vendor input.

GROUP	VESSEL	TRANSPORT	COST	INCOME	NET
Town to Ricker's	12 yard Can trailer, about 600 pounds	Town employee	One hour \$20 plus mileage \$10 m(.05 per pound)	.45 per pound or \$270	\$240 per haul at \$.40 per pound
North Country Recycling (Dave will clarify compacting, etc)	30 yd roll off, about 1500 pounds	Pick up	.02 per pound or \$30	.35 per pound or \$525	\$495 per haul or .33/lb
Ricker's pick up (Ray will seek options)					
NRRA vendor (Paul will seek proposal)					

GLASS PLAN: Paul will ask NRRRA what a roll off would cost. Review how many tons can be put in a roll off. As long as it is less than \$25/ton it would be better than grinding it for \$25/ton. We will need to grind it in the 2015 budget unless we have some funds left over in 2014.

DATA ANALYSIS: Review 2013 data and suggestions for additional way to look at data. Dave still needs to get the NRRRA data which comes on the 15th. Then he can get a cost per ton and total ton per year. Once at that point annual comparisons will be easy. Then we can encourage a flow away from MSW into recyclables. We can also measure the effect of compacting.

NEW OBJECTIVES for 2014:

TOPIC	Solutions	Solutions	Solutions
Glass	Roll offs?	Grind first thing 2015	
Aluminum cans	Seek proposals		
Data for reporting and for planning.	Use data ongoing from NRRRA and NCIS		
Experience for committee	On site guests	Visit other places	NRRRA conference: we can count on sending two people plus mileage.
Education	Videos (Ray)	Brochure, coupons, charges	Old Home Week Open House at TS

Dave will make an organized list and send it out.

Determine 2014 Objectives such as: Look at single source recycling road trips to other transfer stations, Education, new brochure, etc. Compaction works best for demo. There might be a device we can use to compact the commingled such as a tire. John will talk to Billy about ideas for this.

NEW BUSINESS OR MEMBER'S "LIST" ITEMS: Billy is figuring a way to get a plow fixed to the bucket loader to get the TS plowed fast. Renew the encouragement to do tandem hauls; it saves a lot of money.

PUBLIC COMMENTS: none

Motion to adjourn: A MOTION to adjourn was made by John and seconded by Paul. The motion PASSED and we adjourned at 9:35am.

NEXT SOLID WASTE ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING: The next meeting will be 2/13/2014 at 8:00am in the Town Hall Meeting Room.

Submitted by Ray O'Brien, Recording Secretary