

January 15, 2015

Burlington Solid Waste Committee

Meeting was called to order at 7:14pm by Chairman Robert Jorgensen. Present were Rob Jorgensen, Tom Werle, and John Hebert

1. The minutes of meeting (Sept. 25, 2014) were approved as read (Hebert/Werle)
2. Rob Jorgensen to review contract extension with Joe Johnson and ask for Joe to submit final revised numbers.
3. Discussion about non-compliant recycling behavior by specific residents:
The Town policy should be a measured approach focused on education of those residents who are not fully aware of how to properly recycle. The first step will involve the handout of a notice (by the collector) that informs the resident that it is mandatory to separate recyclables and place them in the recycling barrel. The second step should include a specific notice that non-compliance is illegal and could result in in non-pickup of all trash.

It may be worthwhile to review with other towns as to what they have been doing to limit non-compliance.

4. Scott Tharau is planning on ordering more collection barrels; the existing stock is almost depleted.

Next Meeting will be held TBD at 7:00pm

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:55pm (Werle/Hebert)

Submitted by:

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