

Recycling and Transfer Advisory Committee
Minutes of Meeting
April 23, 2013

Members Present:

Ray Bonney, Richard Bairam (Turk), Sean McDonald, Jim Levesque, Merrill Johnson, Bob Schroeder

The meeting began at 6:35. The Committee reviewed the minutes from the meeting held on 3/26/13. Merrill motioned to accept the minutes as presented, second by Ray. All in favor.

The Committee went over the spreadsheet for material hauled in and out of the facility. The recycling disposal numbers are on the rise again. Diane discussed how beginning in July she will be working on the contract for Wheelabrator, or bidding out other companies. The trash contract is done on 1/1/14.

The Committee discussed Town Meeting. Diane will write another article for the paper to support mandatory recycling.

There was a discussion regarding Earth Day. Considering the Town now has curbside recycling, it was busy and many residents utilized the shredder truck that was here. The Committee randomly picked from the raffles and the winners were chosen for the compost bin, T-shirts and lawn and leaf bags. Jeff Lembo had the closest guess to the aluminum can block (how many cans in the block) and won a sweatshirt.

Diane discussed a personnel issue that is presently going on but also was happy to report that one of the collection men that had been laid off, then eventually went to highway, is back to run the new truck. He will be a great addition to the team.

Diane reminded everyone that the Town vote will be held on 5/14/13.

The meeting adjourned at 8:00.