

Recycling and Transfer Advisory Committee
Minutes of Meeting
November 24, 2015

Members Present:

Richard Bairam (Turk) , Ray Bonney, Jim Gorton

Absent:

Sean McDonald, Bob Schroeder, Jim Levesque

The meeting began at 6:35. The Committee established that they had a quorum. The Committee reviewed the minutes from October 27th. It was noted that Bob Schroeder was at the meeting. Diane will amend the minutes. The Committee voted to accept the minutes as amended.

The spreadsheet with the totals of material coming in and going out of the facility was reviewed. Everything is consistent. The cost of the single stream recycling is still \$32.50.

Diane has lost an employee from the Transfer Station stating he is leaving for more money. Diane feels that all of the drivers are extremely underpaid for the equipment they are running. Goffstown starts at \$18.00 for the same position running the automated trucks, with the same benefits. Hooksett starts at \$14.18. The private sector is paying much more. The Town is having a hard time hiring drivers. The Recycling and Transfer Division is entering its busiest season and we will be short 2 employees.

Jim Gorton motioned to adjourn at 7:40, second by Turk. All in favor.