

Recycling and Transfer Advisory Committee
Minutes of Meeting
May 24, 2016

Members present: Richard Bairam (Turk), Ray Bonney, Sean McDonald and Robert Schroeder

Absent (excused): Jim Gorton, Jim Levesque

Turk called the meeting to order at 6:35. The Committee read the minutes from the meeting held on 4/26/16. Turk motioned to accept the minutes as presented, second by Sean. All in favor.

Diane did not have a copy of the monthly spreadsheet. The Committee did have a discussion regarding the help situation at the Recycling and Transfer. There was a discussion about the need for more training on the trucks with the new help.

Diane asked if there was a direction that the Committee would like to go in regarding the transfer and collection. The Committee is satisfied with the present systems. Diane showed them a copy of a project that she is gathering information for a comparison of the old and new system. Katie Ambrose has taken the information and put it into a data for with graphs. They were very impressed with the information that was provided. Diane will share the rest of the project when it is done. The Committee discussed that the present program may cost a little more but compared to the former, manual collection, it would be a step backwards to change it.

Sean McDonald asked about putting solar power generating equipment on the landfill. He is seeing it more and more. Several years ago there was a meeting with a company that was interested in using the landfill but Diane has not heard back from them at all.

June's meeting has been cancelled.

The meeting adjourned at 7:40.