

**SOLID WASTE AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES
January 17, 2013
(DC Himes)**

Committee Attendance: Paul Margolin, Amy Finamore, Marty Srugis, Gary Stewart, Duane Himes, and Bob Kerry (DPW Liaison).

Others: Vinnie Curro

Meeting started at 7:05 PM

Agenda

Housekeeping: (5)
Acceptance of minutes

Actions: (15)

Status of new column	Paul
C&D opportunities	Duane
Wolfeboro process	Duane
Football equipment	Marty
Solid waste – tax impact idea	Marty

Solid Waste videos (20)

Discussion topics: (50)
Choosing columns for 2013
Choosing projects for 2013
Update of Buried Treasure

Housekeeping

Acceptance of Minutes:
Minutes from the December meeting were reviewed and approved.

Actions

- Paul stated that he has started preparing several columns for the Londonderry Times.
- Duane said that there was nothing new to report on opportunities to recycle the C&D at the drop off center.
- Duane will continue to look into the household hazardous waste collection facility in Wolfeboro. He is looking into visiting the site come the spring time. Here are some of the questions that we need answers to:

1. Are there any problems that need to be fixed
 2. Cost to maintain the facility
 3. Costs to start up a HHW facility
 4. What are the environmental concerns
 5. Pros and cons of the facility
- Marty brought a baseball helmet and gave it to Bob so he can give to Republic (Allied Waste) so they can tell the committee if it can be recycled. He will obtain shin guards and other equipment to give to Republic to see if any of the items can be recycled.
 - Marty is working on a form to use on showing the incentives to recycling versus disposal and the impacts disposal has on our taxes.
 - Bob and the committee are updating a list of items that cannot be recycled and plan to make that list into a column for the Londonderry Times.

The committee discussed the updating of the solid waste videos that Vinnie had previously made about six years ago. Vinnie will update the following videos:

- Household Hazardous Waste Day
- Curbside Pickup Program
- Drop Off Center improvements

Karen Robinson's video class will assist Vinnie by shooting the updated videos. The committee discussed several items that Vinnie may want to include in the videos.

Discussion Topics

The committee goals, projects and columns were discussed. Duane will prepare a column on the recycling of medications at the police station. Marty will prepare an article on the impact of solid waste on the Town's taxes.

There was some discussion on the updates to the Buried Treasure booklet. The committee will be starting work on the updates.

Meeting ended at 8:20 PM.