



Beaufort County Solid Waste and Recycling Board Meeting Thursday, January 26, 2012, 2:00 pm BIV – 2 Conference Room

Attendees:

David R. Uehling, District 6, Representative
George Potts, District 9 Representative
Ben Wheatley, District 7 Representative
Leland McCormack, DHEC Liaison
Rob McFee, Director of E&I
Gary Dukes, MCAS Liaison
Brad Woods, MCRD Liaison
James Minor, Solid Waste Manager
Beth Lewis, Information Coord/Analyst
Carol Murphy, Recycling Coordinator

Guests

Alicia Holland, Beaufort County Comptroller
Tom Soder, S&P Recycling

Absentees:

Earl Dietz, Chairman & District 8 Representative
Leroy Norris, District 5 Representative (Resigned 1/1/2012)
Alice Darian, District 3 Representative (Ex-Officio)
Tammy Malone, District 4 Representative (Ex Officio)
Isaiah Smalls, District 1 Representative (Ex-Officio)
Van Willis, District 2 Representative (Ex-Officio)
Eddie Bellamy, Public Works Director
Billie Lindsay, Planning
John Miller, Supt. Solid Waste & Recycling
Sgt Carl Barr, Litter Officer

- **Call to Order:** Vice Chairman Uehling called the meeting to order at 2:00 pm.
- **Agenda:** The Agenda was approved as written.
- **Minutes:** The minutes of October 27, 2011 minutes were approved as written.
- **Introductions:** All present were introduced.
- **Public Comment:** Mr. Uehling called for public comment. There being none, the meeting continued.
- **Monthly Reports**
 - Finance Report:
 - Alicia Holland reported finance details through 12/31/2011, noting that the SWR department is below 50% for the first half of FY2012.
 - She reviewed special revenues noted on page two of the document.
 - **SW&R Monthly Reports:**
 - Mr. Minor reviewed the December 2011 reports including new Tonnage Map for each type of waste.
 - Total Tonnage for December was 4,900 tons vs. 4548 in 2011.
 - Total December disposal costs were \$187,910. Total hauling costs were \$47,224 reflective of the lower hauling fees by the new contractor, Waste Pro. Related budgets are on target.
 - Traffic flow was noted 140,034 noting an increase for the holidays.
 - December recycling includes 388.50 tons curbside, 395.06 tons from centers. Total to date residential including newspapers was 855.43 tons. 4,435 tons YTD
 - Total December recycling costs were \$134,994 noting budget expended 39%.
 - Recycling proceeds for the year includes: \$91,961 in Credits from our contract with Waste Management, \$106,812 in revenue from scrap metal, newspaper, oil, etc. A Charleston Steel collection is still pending.

- **Litter Officers' Reports**
 - Mrs. Murphy reported that the replacement officer for Cpl Black , Deputy Jay Cook, arrived and was working hard after graduating from the academy.
 - The Litter Officers report contained the latest *illegal dump of the month* which was a huge tire dump as the result of a garage business started in the 50s. This dump is under the jurisdiction of DHEC OCRM because the tires are below the critical line. The family has started clean up procedures. Estimates are that the tire count could exceed 5,000 tires.
- **Coordinators' Report**
 - The public was reminded of the next Ewaste and Shredding event to be held 2/4/2012/
 - County Office Recycling program - Average Weekly collection holding at @ 1400lbs
 - Rerun Attended the Grand Opening of the USCB campus recycling program. S&P recycling has provided service bins free to USCB. SC DHEC graphics designed the Sand Sharks Logo.
- **2 Good 2 Waste**
 - Mrs. Lewis reported that 2Good2Waste cards were given out the USCB event and at their activity center.
 - She noted that newspaper advertising was done for this program in December. We are looking at other ways to promote this opportunity for our citizens.
- **Unfinished Business**
 - **Daufuskie Island Convenience Center**
 - Mr. McFee reported that that the Court of Appeals issued a ruling noting that the County followed all laws in the permitting process. The plaintiffs may appeal the ruling the SC Supreme court. Mr. Uehling asked who was opposing. Mr. McFee noted that it was some property owners.
 - **Transfer Station**
 - The transfer station concept will be discussed at the County Council spring workshop.
 - **Review of the Solid Waste Management Plan for Beaufort County-**
 - Mr Minor explained that sections one through four of a solid waste management plan follow a boiler plate prescribed by SC DHEC. Billie Lindsay from Planning and Mr. Minor have created a rough draft of section five. Mr. Minor asked that members review Section 5 for a workshop to follow the February meeting.
- **New Business**
 - **Resignation of Leroy Norris**
 - **Mr. Minor informed the board that member, Leroy Norris, has resigned from the board.**
 - **2012 Meeting Schedule**
 - Mr. Potts motioned, Mr. Wheatley seconded; all approved adoption of this calendar.
- **Public Comment:**
 - Mr. Uehling called for the final public comment. There was none.
- **The Meeting ended** at 2:45 pm.
 - The next regular board meeting will be held February 23, 2012, 2:00 pm in BIV 2 Conference Room.
 - A Solid Waste Management Plan Workshop will be held immediately after the regular February meeting, half hour duration.

Cc: Mr. Gary T. Kubic, County Administrator
Miss Suzanne Rainey, Clerk to Council
J. Robert McFee, PE, Division Director, Engineering and Infrastructure
Eddie Bellamy, PW Director