

# Tillamook County PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT Department of Solid Waste Waste Prevention and Recycling

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## **Solid Waste Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes**

DATE: November 9, 2021

**PLACE:** Virtual Meeting

MEMBERS PRESENT: Ken Henson, Robert Poppe, Tim Hall, Justin Kanoff, Tom Jayred

MEMBERS ABSENT: Dave Larmouth, Julian Macassey, John Longfellow, David Helmricks

**STAFF PRESENT:** David McCall, SW Program Manager; Cathie Rhoades, DEQ

**GUESTS PRESENT:** Jessi Just, Heart of CARTM

### **AGENDA ITEM 1 - CALL TO ORDER AND WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS:**

Chair Henson called the meeting to order at 3:04 pm with a quorum present.

#### **AGENDA ITEM 2 – APPROVAL OF MINUTES for September 14, 2021:**

The minutes of September 14, 2021, were presented. On approval of a motion made by Robert Poppe and seconded by Justin Kanoff, the minutes of September 14, 2021 were approved as submitted. (5/0).

#### **AGENDA ITEM 3 – SWAC Meeting Schedule for 2022:**

The schedule for meetings in 2022 as anticipated was presented. On approval of a motion made by Justin Kanoff and seconded by Tim Hall, the schedule for 2022 was approved as submitted. (5/0).

#### AGENDA ITEM 4 – Recycling Modernization Act Update

An update of the planning and other work completed and planned with regard to the implementation of updates to the Recycling Opportunity Act (ORS 459A) and the Plastic Pollution and Recycling Modernization Act (SB 582) was presented by David McCall and Cathie Rhoades. Coming soon will be a Needs Assessment, listing the depots, curbside programs, trucks, carts, etc. available and needed. This will be performed not only in cities with 4,000 or more residents, but also in smaller cities and counties (for unincorporated areas).

Mr. McCall encouraged SWAC members to represent the interests of Tillamook County by applying to serve on one of the advisory committees. Mr. Henson and Ms. Just expressed interest. Mr. McCall sent application materials to all attendees of the SWAC meeting.



### **AGENDA ITEM 5 – Franchised Hauler Updates**

**City Sanitary/Oceanside** enquired as to the status of certain bridges, and indicated that if the bridges were not fixed, then they would have to submit for a rate increase for certain customers due to the additional expense of rerouting. An initial calculation indicated that this would result in an \$3 per year additional cost if shared over all customers, including those not in the affected area, and that did not see fair.

**R-Sanitary Service** and **Recology** have been in communication with Mr. McCall with regard to the impact of bridges as well.

Mr. Kanoff requested a list of the affected bridges to make sure TCCA was informed.

## **AGENDA ITEM 6 – Transfer Station Reports**

Manzanita – break ins have affected work, both in terms of morale and the ability to perform simple functions when basic materials are stolen.

# **AGENDA ITEM 7 – Staff Report**

Mr. McCall reported on a few items in the staff report.

Following a question from Mr. Poppe, discussion was held on Hogg fuel vs Yard Debris, and the differences in handling the different materials.

Mr. Kanoff asked about the abandoned RV program. Mr. McCall responded that he is unsure what had stalled the program. We (SW) did all we needed to do, and were prepared. For some reason the IGAs/MOUs were never produced or approved.

## **AGENDA ITEM 8 - Public Comment**

Ms. Just introduced the Heart of CARTM and expressed her interest in being involved with SWAC.

Discussion was held on holding in person meetings. It was agreed that we should schedule in person meetings when possible, and a phone in option would suffice for remote participation.

# **AGENDA ITEM 9 – Adjourn**

Mr. Henson adjourned the meeting at 3:57pm. Our next meeting is January 11, 2022; we will not be meeting in December.

Minutes submitted by David McCall

