



Beaufort County Solid Waste and Recycling Board Meeting

Thursday, May 24, 2012, 2:00 pm

BIV – 2 Conference Room

Attendees:

Earl Dietz, Chairman, District 8 Representative
David R. Uehling, VChair, District 6, Representative
Ben Wheatley, District 7 Representative
George Potts, District 9 Representative
Leland McCormack, DHEC Liaison
Brad Woods, MCRD Liaison
Gary Dukes, MCAS Liaison
Rob McFee, Director of E&I
James Minor, Solid Waste Manager
Billie Lindsay, Planning
Beth Lewis, Information Coord/Analyst
Carol Murphy, Recycling Coordinator

Absentees:

LaShonda Scott, District 5 Representative
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
John Miller, Supt. Solid Waste & Recycling

Guests

Ken Berry, The Greenery
Tom Soder, SP Paper

- **Call to Order:** Chairman Dietz called the meeting to order at 2:00 pm.
- **Agenda:** The Agenda was approved as written.
- **Minutes:** The minutes of April 26, 2012, were approved as written.
- **Introductions:** All present were introduced.
- **Public Comment:** Mr. Dietz called for public comment. There being none, the meeting continued.
- **Monthly Reports**
 - **Finance Report:**
 - The Finance Report for the month ending 4/30/2012 was distributed and presented by Mr. Minor. The FY2012 solid waste and recycling section budget at the end of April is approximately 72% expended at 83% of the fiscal year completed.
 - **SW&R Monthly Reports:**
 - Mr. Minor reviewed the April 2012 reports including Tonnage Maps for each type of waste. Total Tonnage for April was 5,180 tons vs. 5,626 in 2011.
 - Total April disposal costs were \$191,270. Total hauling costs were \$48,412. Related budgets are on target and below budget in hauling
 - Traffic flow was 138,002 patrons for all centers. Problems continue with counters.
 - April recycling includes 379.60 tons curbside, 331.97 tons from centers plus 71.60 newspapers. Total for the month residential was 783.17 tons. 7,363.81 tons YTD.
 - Total April recycling costs were \$19,444 and \$211,346 YTD, noting the recycling budget is 60% expended with 83% of the fiscal year completed.
 - Recycling proceeds for the year includes: \$155,761 in credits from our contract with Waste Management, \$222,859 in revenue from scrap metal, newspaper, oil, etc.
- **Litter Officers' Reports**
 - Televisions continue to be the monthly issue of illegal dumping receiving 6-10 per month.

- Mrs. Murphy reported the Zero Tolerance Campaign finished up the end of April and reported related statistics: Number of participating officers 220
 - 62 Littering Citations
(Including uncovered loads, spilling loads, and litter Complaints)
 - 27 Warnings were issued
- **Coordinators' Report**
 - Mrs. Murphy Reported on event statistics including:
 - 5/5 E-Waste & Shredding Collections:
 - Bluffton – 700 cars -17,755 lbs/8.9tons E-Waste; 15,000 lbs/7.5tons Shreds
 - Shanklin - 361cars -11,785 lbs/5.9tons E-Waste; 9,000 lbs/4.5tons Shreds
 - 5/12 HHW - Med Collection
 - Shanklin -205 cars / 102 w/meds
 - 5/12 WSAV-TV / Bluffton Goodwill E-Waste & Shredding;
 - 900 lbs E-Waste, 7000 lbs Shreds
 - April 28, 2012 Town of Hilton Head_Sponsored(Residents), E-Waste, Hazardous Waste & Prescription Medications Collection
 - Total Cars: 1400, Haz Waste: 44000 lbs / 22 tons, E-Waste: 33500 lbs / 16.75 tons
 - Cars w/meds / 88
 - Since 2007 over 400 tons of E-Waste have been recycled.
 - Tonnage for the Office Recycling program in FY2011 was 26.28. For the first 3 quarters of FY2012 the tonnage was 67.39.
 - Viewers were reminded about World Oceans Day events throughout June:
 - June 1st - Rebuild Oyster Reefs
 - June 2nd & 9th - Recycle & Build Workshop with Artist Terry Brennan @ ARTworks
 - June 8th - Dogs Night Out & Sunset YOGA on the Beach @ Hunting Island State Park
 - June 8th - Environmental Lectures & Sustainable Seafood Lunch @ Coastal Discovery Museum
 - June 12th - Sustainable Seafood Dinner @ Saltus River Grill – Tickets available soon
 - June 16th - World Oceans Day Festival @ Beaufort Town Center
- **Unfinished Business**
 - **Daufuskie Island Convenience Center**
 - No Update
 - **Transfer Station**
 - Mr. Minor noted that other sites are being investigated and that things are moving forward.
- **New Business**
 - The board agreed to cancel the August 2012 Board Meeting.
- **Public Comment:**
 - None
- **The Meeting ended** at 2:34 pm.
 - The next regular board meeting will be held June 28, 2012, 2:00 pm in BIV 2 Conference Room.
 - A Solid Waste Management Plan Workshop will be held immediately after the regular June meeting.

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