



**Beaufort County Solid Waste and Recycling Board Meeting**  
**Thursday, July 27, 2017 2:00 pm**  
**Executive Conference Room**

**Attendees:**

Dan Duryea, Chairman, District 9 Representative  
David R. Uehling, VChair, District 6 Representative  
Kim Corley, District 8 Representative  
Lamar Taylor, District 1 Representative (Ex-Officio)  
Shawn Iams, SC DHEC Liaison  
Gary Dukes, MCAS Liaison  
Eric Larson, Division Director Environmental Eng.  
John Miller, Public Works Operations  
James Minor, Solid Waste Manager  
Cindy Carter, Solid Waste and Recycling  
Caroline Jordan, Solid Waste and Recycling

**Absentees:**

Vacant, District 2 Representative (Ex-Officio)  
Mike Bennett, District 3 Representative (Ex-Officio)  
Ron Olson, District 4 Representative (Ex-Officio)  
Vacant, District 5 Representative  
Sally Dennis, District 7 Representative  
Brad Woods, MCRD Liaison  
Dave Wilhelm, Public Works Director  
Ashley Jenkins, Solid Waste and Recycling

**Guests Attending:**

N/A

**1. Call to Order:** Chairman Duryea called the meeting to order at 2:01 pm

**A. Agenda:** Chairman Duryea requested a motion to approve the agenda. Vice-Chairman Uehling motioned, Ms. Corley seconded. All approved the agenda.

**B. Minutes:** Chairman Duryea requested a motion to approve the March 23, 2017 and May 25, 2017 minutes. Ms. Corley motioned. Vice-Chairman Uehling seconded. All approved the minutes

**C. Introductions:** All attendees introduced themselves

**2. Public Comment:** There was no public comment

**3. Reports:**

**A. SW & R Monthly Report – June 2017:**

- Ms. Carter advised Board packets included SC DHEC Annual report pages; KAB
- Residential tons of waste = 7,079 for June; FY17 residential tonnage = 76,707.81 tons
- FY17 hauling (3%) and disposal costs (5.57%) increase over FY16 totals
- Final expenditures for FY17 – hauling 106%; disposal 95% of budget
- FY17 Convenience Center traffic down 2.4% from FY16 (Matthew/residential)
- Recycling 6,117 tons for FY17. Down 134 tons per FY16 per data obtained
- Revenues FY17 = \$218,808.32. MRF processing costs increasing May/June

Chairman Duryea inquired about final totals of vegetative debris from Hurricane Matthew (3.7 million cu/yds) and thanked County staff for efforts during 1<sup>st</sup> time storm response

**B. Recycling Events and Convenience Center Updates:**

- Ms. Carter reported on the 6/10/17 Shred Event (12 tons/528 vehicles)

- Ms. Carter reported on the completion of FY17 SCDHEC Twin the Bin Recreational Grant; 9 recycle bins at County boat landings/piers. 18 bags per week anticipated
- Ms. Carter discussed FY18 SCDHEC grants awarded (\$83,420.00) to include animation for ReRun and reduction of film contamination in current recycles
- Ms. Jordan updated on recent Summer educational presentations; 2017 Water Festival
- Ms. Jordan presented Adopt-A-Highway 6-month data (compared to 2016) – 98% increase. Annual meeting 9/19/17 at DSN – 1:00pm. All invited to attend

#### **4. Unfinished Business:**

##### **A. Curbside Waste and Recycling Collection**

- Mr. Minor presented update to Facilities Committee 6/26/17; revise curbside timeline. Currently almost a year behind schedule but moving forward. Reviewing rural districts and will report back to Council of options in the near future. Community is talking. Ordinance revisions updates parallel to discussions

##### **B. Simmonsville Convenience Center Security**

- Mr. Minor reported four cameras are in operation. Motion activated. Signs are posted. Tools are now available to document improper use of facility.

##### **C. Future Hurricane Debris Management:**

- Mr. Minor states that he is retiring 9/1/17. The Debris Management Plan (and function) will transfer to Disaster Recovery Coordinators (Pam Cobb/Angel Bowers)

##### **D. Board Requests:** None at this time

#### **5. New Business:**

##### **A. Board Vacancies**

- Chairman Duryea thanked LaShonda Scott for her service to the Board. Open solicitation for anyone interested in serving

##### **B. New Contracts**

- Mr. Minor advised of two new contracts. Republic (waste hauling) new bid awarded; pull increased 55%. Hilton Head Hauling (Waste Management) has new tiered increase for remaining year on contract. Recycling costs will rise significantly

##### **C. Roadside Litter Program:**

- Mr. Minor announced new program initiated by Mr. Wilhelm. County (under PW) will operate with SC DOT (via MOU) to pick up roadside litter

#### **6. Public Comment:**

- There was no public comment. Chairman Duryea recognized Mr. Minor for 15 years of service; presentation of plaque

#### **7. Adjournment** – The meeting ended at 2:43 pm. The workshop adjourned at 2:48 pm. The next regular Board meeting will be held September 28, 2017, in the Executive Conference Room, Administration Building, 2:00 pm.

cc: Mr. Gary T. Kubic, County Administrator  
Ms. Ashley Bennett, Clerk to Council