

Beaufort County Solid Waste and Recycling Board Meeting Thursday, July 25, 2019 2:00 pm Executive Conference Room

Attendees:

Randy Boehme, Chairman District 9 Representative
Kim Corley, District 8 Representative
Lawrence Bryan, District 5 Representative
Mike Bennett, District 3 Representative (Ex-Officio)
Jennifer Sharp, District 2 Representative (Ex-Officio)
Neil Desai, District 1 Representative (Ex-Officio)
Chris Vaigneur, MCAS Liaison
Dave Wilhelm, Public Works Director
Cindy Carter, Solid Waste and Recycling
Ashley Jenkins, Solid Waste and Recycling
Caroline Jordan Dolbey, Solid Waste and Recycling
Artrell Horne, Litter Control
Cynthia Martin, Administrative Assistant

Absentees:

David R. Uehling, VChair, District 6 Representative Sally Dennis, District 7 Representative Derrick Coaxum, District 4 Representative (Ex-Officio) Brad Woods, MCRD Liaison Reahnita Tuten, SC DHEC Liaison

Guests Attending:

N/A

- 1. Call to Order: Chairman Boehme called the meeting to order at 2:00 pm.
 - **A. Agenda**: Chairman Boehme requested a motion to approve the agenda. Ms. Corley motioned. Mr. Bennett seconded. All approved the agenda.
 - **B.** Minutes: Chairman Boehme requested a motion to approve the May 23, 2019 minutes. Ms. Corley motioned. Mr. Bennett seconded. All approved the minutes.
- 2. Introductions: All attendees introduced themselves.
- **3. Public Comment:** There was no public comment. Chairman Boehme reminded attendees that there will be an aggressive schedule in the upcoming months.
- 4. Reports from Board regarding meetings with Council Members:
 - o Ms. Corley suggested combining resources from various counties for transfer stations
 - o Mr. Vaigneur suggested awareness regarding landfills

5. Reports:

A. SW&R Monthly Reports – May and June 2019:

- o Ms. Carter reported on the end of FY19 with May and June data
- o Collection of waste has shifted: 45% Convenience Center; 55% curbside
- o County generated 82,379.03 tons of waste in FY19 (28% increase over 5 years)
- o Both hauling and disposal exceeded anticipated FY19 budget
- o 5-year expenditures increased \$1,270,741.84 for hauling and disposal
- o FY19 Convenience Center traffic = 1,755,359 vehicles
- o Annual recycling estimated at 12% of total waste generated
- o Revenue for FY19 \$90,207.20; shortage of \$214,790.97 per recycle processing

B. Recycling Coordinator:

- o Bluffton Shred event 734 vehicles; FY20 event dates provided
- o Summer Educational Programs (t-shirt bags)
- o Palmetto Ocean Conservancy Bottle Cap Murals planned
- o SWR has received FY20 grants totaling \$115,501

C. Volunteer Coordinator:

- o Adopt-A-Highway Annual Meeting 9/9/19, 10:00am 11:30am to be held on Parris Island at the Four Winds Lounge. Ashley Jacobs to be the keynote speaker
- Signs installed to promote Beaufort County winners: Randy Boheme (Volunteer of the Year) and Samantha Campbell (KSCB Outstanding Performance Educator)

D. Litter Control:

- o Marine Corp (Echo Company) Litter pick up on Laurel Bay Road
- o County Daywatch Program now part of Public Works

6. New Business:

A. Contract Amendments:

o We are reviewing all of our contracts; plans to amend the recycling conditions

B. Abby Goldsmith:

o Retained services from Goldsmith Resources to update ordinances and evaluate convenience centers

C. Board Requests:

- o Chairman Boehme suggested power point presentation be submitted along with minutes
- o Talk to your Council Representatives
- 7. Public Comment: There was no public comment.
- **8. Adjournment:** The meeting ended at 3:03 pm. The next regular Board meeting will be held September 26, 2019, in the Executive Conference Room, Administration Building, 2:00 pm.