

June 8, 2023 Solid Waste Committee Meeting Draft Minutes

Meeting started at 7:10

In attendance were Andy Scherer, Jordan Mueller and Bram Litvinoff

The May 11th's draft minutes were approved by consensus

Andy had met with the creator of the Betterbin recycling app and discussed the rollout process for Norwich. He shared his conversation highlights and plans to meet with DPW director Kaufman to discuss set up and implementation for Norwich.

Jordan and Lily will take the lead on any web presence. We discussed the need to update the outdated information on the Transfer Station page of the town's website. Jordan will talk to Miranda about how changes and corrections can be made.

The committee discussed signage at the TS. A local graphic designer has made some signs for different items at the transfer station (glass, metal, paint etc). The group would like to build sandwich boards to help display these signs. Another suggestion was printing signs on a magnet which could be moved and displayed on the doors of metal collection containers. Money will be needed to print signs once they have been finalized

Cook and Scherer had mentioned looking at TS fees and revenue at a SB meeting earlier in May. They were told by Arnold that the selectboard wasn't making changes in fiscal year '23-'24. The SWC decided to wait until later this fall or winter to dive into revenue and expenses for the TS. This might be well timed with the Casella contract review of late winter 2024.

The SWC will discuss Plastic Free July at the next meeting

Meeting adjourned at 8:04