

SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT COMMISSION
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Paul Muniz, Chairman
Dina McCarthy Bercury, Sustainability & Compliance Manager

Solid Waste Management Commission
Meeting Minutes
May 12, 2021 5:42 PM
Zoom Meeting

Present: Muniz, Brown, St. Thomas, Barbour. Attending: McCarthy-Bercury
Meeting Called to Order: 5:35 PM.

Approval of Meeting Minutes: April 14, 2021

Motion to Approve: Barbour Second: Brown Vote: 3 in Favor, 1 abstain

S&C Manager's Report

Contract Extensions

Item	Term	Rate	Vote
Hauling Recyclables, (All American Waste)	Contract extension, 21-22, 3% increase	Cardboard \$191.23 per haul; Bottles & Cans \$267.72 per haul; Newspaper \$191.23 per haul	Motion by St. Thomas, second by Barbour, All in favor
Thimble Island Collection, (Thimble Island Ferry Co.)	Contract extension 21- 22 (final extension)	Same price	Motion by St. Thomas, second by Brown, All in favor
Bulky Waste Hauling (Cherry Hill Construction)	Contract extension 21- 22 (final extension)	\$125 per haul	Motion by Barbour, second by St. Thomas, All in favor
Bulky Waste Disposal (Cherry Hill Construction)	Contract extension 21- 22 (final extension)	\$80 per ton	Motion by St. Thomas, second by Barbour, All in favor
Scrap metal recycling	Contract extension (first year)	#2 bundle +\$6, approx. \$150 per ton	Motion by St. Thomas, second by Brown, All in favor
MSW Hauling (Cherry Hill Construction)	Bid waiver, contract extension	Same price	Previously approved

Mattress recycling: Output exceeds container capacity, SWMC recommends request for second container box

Transfer station load visual documentation: SWMC recommends routine photodocumentation of incoming curbside delivery characteristics and outgoing mixed paper loads. Recommended setting up archive of stored photos, or automating screenshots.

Curbside Collection status: SWMC recommends Friday reminder of Brockett Point Road request for timing accommodation. SWMC recommends discussion with Sweitzer regarding previous 2020 request for Monday route modifications to accommodate Sweitzer and Branford customers.

Container size complaints: Sweitzer beginning to ticket containers greater than 50 gallons. SWMC need to determine how to notify residents.

Accident Report:

Sweitzer recycling truck overturned on 5/10/21. Maintenance status of truck needs to be reported to Town.

Chairman's Report

Scope of Work for consulting services RFP has been drafted and will be finalized this month.

Other Business

Next Meeting: June 9, 2021

Meeting Adjourned at 6:50 pm (Barbour, St. Thomas)