

Recycling and Waste Disposal Committee
Meeting Minutes
January 13, 2021

PRESENT; R. Davis, P. Wentworth, E. Cabral

Guests: None

Meeting started at 7:00 pm.

MINUTES

P. Wentworth made the motion to approve the minutes December 8, 2020 with two edits. The motion was seconded by R. Davis. The motion passed 3-0-0.

The meeting began with sharing favorite stories about our long-time member and friend, Bob Nugent. Bob passed away on January 10, 2021 due to COVID complications. The Committee deeply appreciates Bob's commitment to our town and the environment.

New Business

Household Hazardous Waste

The final bill was received by Tradebe totaling 32,266. In addition, there were additional charges associated with the HHW day on October 24, including: police detail (\$252), Pinard disposal for non-hazardous materials (\$1382), Pete's Septic (\$180), supplies (\$149). The town expects to receive \$5,983 in grant money. The total cost of the event is \$34,230. The breakdown of the towns is as follows:

Town	Households	Participation %	Subtotal	Minus Grant \$ %	Total by Town
Hampstead	184	29%	\$9,926.90	- \$1,735.00	\$8,191.90
Atkinson	125	20%	\$6,846.10	- \$1,196.70	\$5,649.50
Plaistow	199	19%	\$6,503.80	- \$1,136.60	\$5,367.10
Kingston	82	13%	\$4,449.95	- \$778.05	\$3,671.90
Chester	68	10%	\$3,423.15	- \$598.25	\$2,824.90
Danville	58	9%	\$3,080.80	- 538.40	\$2,542.40

E. Cabral reported that she and T. Harrington had a call with Glen Wilkinson, Hampstead's Tradebe account manager. There are more cost savings that Hampstead and towns can take advantage of to save more money at future HHW events, including:

- Utilize the State of NH Department of Admin Services resources for reduced disposal rates for fluorescent bulbs, propane tanks, smoke detectors/fire extinguishers and electronics.
- Create a multi-year contract with Tradebe, which will lock in better rates and block desired event dates

Lastly, Glen said that Exeter, NH holds a HHW where residents pay \$25 per carload (there are limits) to dispose HHW. This could be a way to ease events for Hampstead. Glen said that Rockingham county is looking into a full time HHW disposal facility. He encouraged us to reach out to show our interest and support.

Transfer Station Shed

P. Wentworth received a quote from Ne-San to pour a concrete slab at the transfer station. The cost is \$3,300. The Committee discussed the need to have the slab poured soon so the shed could be placed on it once it is ready.

R. Davis made a motion to accept Ne-San's quote of \$3,300 to perform the following service: form and pour 12'x18'x12" concrete slab installing half inch rebar tied 1' on center. Includes material, equipment and labor. P. Wentworth seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously approved 3-0.

T. Harrington noted that \$3,400 was encumbered to the budget for this.

P. Wentworth said the shed is being made. He selected white siding and a gray roof for the shed.

2020 Tonnage

2020 totals were reviewed and trash tonnage increased 7% (166 tons) and recycling tonnage increased 12% (111 tons).

Motion to adjourn at 8:01 pm was made by P. Wentworth and seconded by R. Davis and passed 3-0.

Upcoming Events

None

NEXT MEETING

February 10, 2021

Respectfully Submitted,

Ellen Cabral