

Portage County Solid Waste Management
Policy Committee Meeting
September 7, 2023

Roll Call

Melanie Knowles
Anthony Badalamenti
John Kovacich
Pat McCon
Tracy Wallach
Judy Nelson

Absent

Joseph Diorio

Also Present

Hannah Moats
Dawn Collins

The meeting was called to order at 2:49 by Melanie Knowles.

Anthony Badalamenti made a motion to approve the meeting minutes from June 8th, 2023; John Kovacich seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Dawn Collins - Overview of CHaRM, Opening September 18, 2023

CHaRM – Center for Hard to Recycle Materials. Will begin accepting materials on Monday, September 18th. Drive-through facility that is open Mondays and Thursdays 10:00-2:00. Accepting materials including paper shredding, electronics (Tv & CRT \$20, Printers \$10) appliances, tires (\$0.50 per tire as required by Ohio EPA)

10 tire limit per household per year. In Ohio, you can only transport 10 tires without a valid transportation license.

HHW (Household Hazardous Waste) – pending responses from 3rd parties. The goal is to stay under bid pricing.

Bid pricing will increase to 75,000 starting Oct. 1, 2023

New Shredder on order. Residents will be able to watch their documents go through the shredder. Shredder will be here the first week of October.

Mr. Kovacich - discussing shredding for townships. Townships can contact us, and we can work something out with the township.

Solid Waste Plan Chapters 1 & 2

Updated Judy Nelson's phone number

Tracy Wallach – population chart - add description to Population table to make population substructions clearer. Subtracting the population (Mogadore and Tallmadge)

Population change is just from 2020.

Table 2-4 missing??? Will update for next draft.

Chapter 2 – add clarification for the Portage County residents in cities located primarily in summit county.

Draft due to EPA on August 16th, 2024

Next Meeting

Next meeting set for December 14, at 2:30 to review any updates submitted for upcoming Solid Waste Plan.

Anthony Badalamenti made a motion to adjourn. Pat McCon seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 3:09 pm

Minutes by:
Hannah Moats