

Town of Westmoreland
Minutes from The Recycling Committee (draft)

Tuesday, February 3, 2026

4:00 pm at Town Hall

Attendees: Committee members- Harry Ackerman, Victor Kissell, Barbara Goodine, Char Russell with mascot Slipper, BOS liaison Bill McGahie, and community member/volunteer: Dana Torrey

Meeting called to order at 4:00 pm.

Once the weather gets nicer, we need to recruit more volunteers.

The large container for the #1 and #2 plastics has been moved out of the building to allow for space under cover. A cover will be built to keep the rain and snow out of the plastic container.

Victor will set up a TV at the Recycle Center to show the power point presentation showing the savings at the RC so far.

Char will investigate a way to recycle the sheets of film plastic. Keene and Marlborough save it to donate to TREX materials.

We are still selling Westmoreland recycle bags at the RC. The Flying Pig antique shop is considering sales. And Mac's must go through corporate offices.

Harry wrote a page for the Recycling Center to go into the Town Report. There will also be an article in the *Westmorelander* newsletter including the facts and figures from the Recycle Center.

Harry will check with Hailey about inviting Nick Germana to the March town meeting.

Are there residents who are having difficulties paying for bags? How do we reach out to them? Any plan would need to be presented to the Select Board for approval.

Victor made a motion to adjourn at 5:10pm, Barbara seconded.

Next meeting: Tuesday, February 17, 2026, 4:00pm at Town Hall.

Respectfully Submitted,
The Recycling Committee