

8/15/22 Recycling Committee Meeting minutes

Minutes of August 15 2022 meeting were accepted with modification to change Monadnock to Triple T Trucking

In attendance: Rachel Bartlett, Richard Meyer, Amy Morissette, Dave Poklemba

Next Meeting: Monday, 9/12 at 3:30 p.m.

Posting for the vacant position is ready to be posted. Discussed asking around & inquiring about the previous interest from Bob Simoneau

Recycling center is manned by just Earl for a period of time while Ron is out on medical leave

Discussion about bags per Richard: Where are they printed? Westmoreland pay \$.40/piece – you can get them logo printing. Currently there is a supply chain issue with a 9-month lag unless we find a different vendor.

Signage for the recycle center – addendum (price of demos) sign is in the works.

Composting

Amy reached out to Adam at City Compost and was provided information that can be shared on their services. He confirmed that if we have 20-30 households interested, they would start service in our area.

- Weekly, biweekly or monthly pickup options – clean container drop off with each pickup – have the option to get some of the material back for use as compost

Adam also confirmed that they would be willing to provide a resource at the recycle center to do some education on composting. We can post the information on the town Facebook page and the recycle center. This could have significant beneficial impact on the waste in the compactor

Newsletter

Outsourcing of recycle center

Matt from Monadnock owes us some information but requested some information relative to container ownership. He was told:

- Town owns 5 – Compactor box, demo box, paper and cardboard
- Triple T owns 3 – Comingle & 30 yard???
- Buffum owns 1 – Aluminum
- Scrap it owns 1 – Steel Scrap

Education

City Compost said they will do some educational sessions at the recycle center

Other:

Selectboard would like to know more about what is happening and for us to go to their meetings. They would also like us to follow a specific process for requests of information. All requests are to go thru the Chairman of the committee.

Dave mowed the entrance to the recycle center to help with visibility.

Follow-up Actions:

Handouts:

Minutes respectfully submitted 9/9/22 by Amy Morissette

***Significant delay on my part with getting the minutes submitted. This will not occur again, many outside challenges interfered with timely submission and I would like to apologize for this delay.