



## **AGENDA**

### **Minutes of Meeting**

#### **ESSEX COUNTY SOLID WASTE ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING OF NOVEMBER 25, 2014 AT GARIBALDI HALL, ESSEX COUNTY ENVIRONMENTAL CENTER, 621 EAGLE ROCK AVE., ROSELAND NEW JERSEY.**

#### **START TIME: 1:05 PM**

1. Call to Order – Vice Chairman Eric
2. Open Public Meetings Statement
3. Roll Call – By Consensus, Quorum Present
4. Approval of Minutes for September Meeting
  - a. Moved by East Orange
  - b. Seconded Glen Ridge
  - c. Approved by Consensus
5. Chairperson's Comments – Nicke Salese, West Orange
6. Committee Reports
  - a. ECUA – DeFeo Associates
    - i. Status of 2012 Tonnage Reports – Mr. Daltilio reported on the 2012 recycling tonnage reports on recycling. 2012 showed a decrease in total recycling rates.
      1. Millburn up to 72%; West Orange 78%; Roseland 88%
      2. Belleville increased by 4% due to assistance provided by the ECUA.
    - ii. 2013 recycling reports were late from certain towns.
    - iii. Reminded the towns that they should send out the commercial letters by the end of the year.
    - iv. E-waste recycling and HHW – Fall Final Results
      1. Results summary – highlights and comments
        - a. Reported 1040 people attended the Ewaste Day
        - b. Reported 1466 people attended the HHW Day.
      2. Tonnage Report
  - b. Covanta
    - i. Report on scheduled outages:
      1. Jan 19-29
      2. March 16-26
      3. March 30-April 9
    - ii. Bag House construction is under way. Piles are being driven.
      1. Looking for completion of the first bag house by early next summer.
7. Old Business
  - a. SWAC Resolution member update – Need updates from the following towns:
    - i. Belleville
    - ii. Irvington

- iii. Montclair
    - iv. Newark
    - v. Roseland
  - b. Ordinance Update Status – Still pending most of the municipalities.
    - i. Newark recently sent this in to SWAC.
  - c. Performance Bonds for Recycling Markets Contracts – Reality Check.
    - i. Wayne reported on performance bonds on recycling market contracts. Markets must be able to provide a performance bond.
    - ii. Dominick noted that the Towns should not let the contractor write the contract.
- 8. New Business
  - a. The DEP food waste survey was outlined.
    - i. This will be distributed to the Towns.
  - b. 2015 SWAC Meeting Schedule was proposed (See attached)
    - i. Moved by Mr. Salese
    - ii. Seconded by Mr. Testa
  - c. Officer Election of SWAC for 2015
    - i. Motion for Chairman – Moved by Don Wharton, Seconded by Testa
      - 1. Nick Salese;
    - ii. Vice Chairman - - Moved by Tom Mischetti; Seconded by Nick Salese
      - 1. Frank Zichello, Jr. – North Caldwell
        - a. Approved by Acclimation
  - d. Meeting minutes and attendance need to be sent to the website.
    - i. DeFeo to fix.
- 9. Public Comments
  - a. Question was raised by Molly Greenberg of the ICC with regard to any new applications pending before SWAC.
    - i. DeFeo indicated that no current applications are pending.
  - b. Question was raised about the emergency responses regarding community right to know and the need for emergency planning.
    - i. DeFeo outlined the Debris Management planning process and the need for new plans on TDMA's.
- 10. Presentation(s)
  - a. ECDOH – Report on CHEHA requirements and DPW yard inspections
    - i. Nick Maddaloni – Chief Inspector, EC Health Department
      - 1. Presentation made by Mr. Maddaloni on the status of DEP requirements for DPW/Recycling yard inspections being instituted.
      - 2. Nick handed out the DPW inspection survey forms as a courtesy to the SWAC members.
        - a. Nick asked that the forms be returned to the DPW directors for completion and that they be returned to his office.
      - 3. Inspections will be conducted between July and August of 2015.
      - 4. He outlined the nature of the inspections and how those inspections will be conducted.
        - a. It is important that the towns have necessary NJDEP numbers on file.
        - b. Important that no material be stored on the ground.
          - i. Must be either containerized or on pallets.
        - c. Class C facilities – be certain that the NJDEP number exists.
        - d. Class D material must be properly marked.
        - e. Right to Know Hazardous Communication Standards – New employees must be given the proper information

including training new employees and 2 year refresher training.

- i. Nick pointed out that having the binders in place is not sufficient under the law. All employees must be trained no matter their position.
  - ii. Must provide employees with information pamphlets and posters.
  - f. Discarded Appliances – Not on the ground.
  - g. Must have fire department number posted.
  - h. Waste Water is now an issue.
  - i. Air permitting will be looked at and all necessary permits must be in place.
5. Mr. Maddaloni noted that he would work with each town on either the requirements of the inspections or the necessary training for Right to Know.

11. Adjournment