SOLID WASTE/AIR QUALITY COMMITTEE

Clean Sweep Summary May 18, 2013

Committee Members Present: Greg Torres, John Kannard, Greg David and Don Reese

Committee Member Excused: Carlton Zentner

Staff: Sharon Ehrhardt

Veolia Environmental Services: Dan Szymaszek-Project Manager, Mark Heal-Account Manager. Jane Lundwall-Billing and three Veolia Clean Sweep specialists

Volunteers: Alfred L. Shumaker-Pharmacist, Tom Derleth-Pharmacist, Ed Heimstreet-Pharmacist, Carol Quest-Health Director City of Watertown, Sergeant Randy Johnson-City of Watertown Police Department and Rick Schultz-Street Superintendent City of Watertown

1. Call to Order

No meeting was called to order or business conducted on May 18, 2013 at 7:30 a.m. at the Jefferson County Fair Grounds, 503 N. Jackson Avenue, Jefferson, WI 53549

2. Roll Call (Establish a Quorum)

Committee members present were Don Reese, Greg Torres, Greg David and John Kannard. Excused was Carlton Zentner. There was a quorum of Committee members, but no action was taken.

3. Certification of Compliance with the Open Meetings Law

Sharon stated that the Solid Waste/Air Quality Committee complied with open meetings law requirements.

4. Review of Agenda

No changes.

5. Clean Sweep Event Operation

The Veolia Project Manager conducted a safety meeting for all Committee members, staff, and volunteers at 7:30 a.m. They explained the safety procedures that needed to be followed at a Clean Sweep event. After they were done, Sharon explained the jobs to the volunteers and Committee members; jobs then were assigned.

At 7:45 a.m. everything was in place and we started putting cars though the Clean Sweep. At this time we already had two cars in line.

The results of our Clean Sweep event:

105 Jefferson County Participants and 1 Dodge County Participant bringing the total to 106. Participants were grouped as follows: 98 household, 6 farms, and 2 were not surveyed.

Sergeant Johnson took ½ pound of controlled drugs back to his evidence room.

Sergeant Johnson sent 417 pounds of mixed drugs emptied from containers to the DEA spring collection April 27th for disposal April 29, 2013. The group sorted drugs from the Watertown Police Department and from Clean Sweep appointments. (17 brought both meds and chemicals)

This year again Rick took all the latex paint that was brought in by residents. Rick said if he couldn't use it in the Street Department he would dispose of it properly.

We have not received the invoice from Veolia at this time so we don't know the cost or poundage of materials collected.

Survey questions were asked with these results:

- 1. Did you know about the electronics and appliance recycling sites? 92-yes & 12-no
- 2. Did you know about the five drug collections sites? 87-yes & 17-no
- 3. Did you know Clean Sweep information can be found on our website? 72-yes & 32-no
- 3. Have you ever participated in a Clean Sweep Program before? 47-yes & 57-no

8. Adjourn

The Clean Sweep ended at 11:30 a.m.