

SOLID WASTE/AIR QUALITY COMMITTEE
Clean Sweep Summary
April 13, 2013

Committee Members Present: Greg Torres, John Kannard and Don Reese
Committee Member Excused: Carlton Zentner and Greg David
Staff: Sharon Ehrhardt and Rob Klotz

Veolia Environmental Services: Team Leader (Dan) and six Veolia clean sweep specialists

Volunteers: Richard Courtois-Pharmacist, Tom Derleth-Pharmacist, John Schloemer-Pharmacist, Gail Scott, Diane Nelson and Sheriff Milbrath

1. Call to Order

No meeting was called to order or business conducted on April 13, 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 and John Kannard. Excused were Carlton Zentner and Greg David. 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 need 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 through the Clean Sweep. At this time we already had three cars in line.

The results of our Clean Sweep event:

106 Jefferson County Participants; 2 Dodge County Participants and 1 Richland Center Participant
80 household, 17 farms, 3 businesses; 9 were not surveyed

The 3 businesses were Ecolab, Palmyra/Eagle School District and Patrick McGinty (former restaurant)

We received donations in the amount of \$205.00

The Sheriff said he took 25# of controlled drugs back to the evidence room.

The group sorted a pickup load of drugs plus what the Clean Sweep appointments brought in. 32 brought both meds and chemicals and only 1 resident brought meds only.

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? 69-yes & 31-no
2. Did you know about the five drug collections sites? 51-yes & 49-no
3. Did you know Clean Sweep information can be found on our website? 53-yes & 47-no
3. Have you ever participated in a Clean Sweep Program before? 54-yes & 46-no

8. Adjourn

The Clean Sweep ended at 10:30 a.m.