



**Jefferson County
Solid Waste/Air Quality Committee
Summary**

**Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection
Update on Clean Sweep Regulations
Thursday, April 18, UW-Extension – Rm. 8 & 9
864 Collins Road, WI 53549**

Present: Don Reese (Solid Waste/Air Quality Chair) and Sharon Ehrhardt (Solid Waste/Clean Sweep Specialist) Jane Larson (DATCP Clean Sweep Specialist) and Jennifer Heaton-Amrhein (DATCP Chief of Pesticide, Feed & Fertilizer Program) Deb Struve (UW-Extension Dodge County) & Anne Miller (Rock County Land Conservation)

1. DATCP Meeting Call to Order
The presentation from DATCP started at 9:00 a.m.
2. Roll Call (Establish a Quorum)
No Committee Quorum
3. Certification of Compliance With the Open Meetings Law
DATCP announced the meeting per open meetings law.
4. Review the DATCP Agenda
 - Grant Distribution
 - Multi-Government Applications
 - Eligible Expenses
5. Agricultural and Household Hazardous Waste Grants – 9-11:30 a.m.
At the presentation there was an open discussion. DATCP wanted input about the topics during the presentation. Topics of discussion were the following:
 - Online applications
 - Should you be able to apply for all three grants on one application?
 - Would counties consider less money if everyone who applies gets a grant?
 - Application review and discussion on how it could be simpler
 - Is the amount for the grants adequate?
 - If you don't use all your ag grant you can transfer the remainder to the household grant; should it be the same for the drug grant
 - Is \$10,000 for drug grants adequate?
 - What is the definition of a permanent, continuous, or temporary grant site and how should they be defined?
 - How to define a multi-community application for a local county or town, village, and city within a county

- Should volunteers be used as in-kind service?
- Should professional volunteers be used as in-kind service (examples: Sheriff, pharmacists, staff, and technicians)
- How to score the points – very little difference between most applicants
- ATCP 34 and Statue 93.55 & 93.57 were discussed. They want to change the language in ATCP 34

Don and Sharon gave their opinions on the above subjects and so did the other two people who attended. DATCP documented the discussion. They were done with the listening sessions and would start to write the rules and application changes. In late summer or early fall they will have public hearing on the changes before they go before DATCP committees and legislators. At these public hearings it will be important for our Committee to attend.

6. Unwanted Prescription Drug Grants – 1-3:00 p.m.

Because we discussed the drug grants with the ag and household grants we did not have to attend the afternoon meeting.

7. Adjourn

The meeting was over at 11:50 a.m.