

**Minutes of the Jefferson County
Solid Waste Committee
Tuesday, June 7, 2022, at 8:00 A.M.
Jefferson County Courthouse – Room 203
311 S. Center Street, Jefferson, WI 53549**



MEMBERS: Jeff Johns, Anita Martin, Joan Callan, Robert Preuss, and Mark Groose

STAFF: Matt Zangl

PLACE: Room 203 of the Jefferson County Courthouse, 311 S. Center Ave., Jefferson, WI or via Zoom Videoconference

- 1) **Call To Order**
The meeting was called to order by Matt Zangl at 8:00 A.M.
- 2) **Roll Call (Establish a Quorum)**
All Committee members were present.
- 3) **Certification of Compliance**
Zangl verified that the meeting was being held in compliance with open meetings law requirements.
- 4) **Approval of the Agenda**
Motion by Johns, seconded by Preuss to approve the agenda as presented. Motion passed by 5-0 voice vote.
- 5) **Election of Committee Officers – Chair and Vice-Chair**
Nomination for Johns as Chair by Martin. Motion by Callan, seconded by Preuss. Motion passed by 5-0 voice vote. Nomination by Callan for Martin as Vice-Chair. Passed by 5-0 voice vote.
- 6) **Public Comment**
Comment from Janet Foust, W993 Gopher Hill Rd., Watertown, concerning odors from CAFO's, particulate matter in the air, and VOC's. Comment from Ed Cohen, 1018 N. Breens Bay Rd., Oconomowoc, concerning CAFO's and Tag Lane Dairy Farm having open manure pits being a potential public health issue.
- 7) **Approval of Minutes – April 5, 2022**
Motion by Martin, seconded by Johns. Did not receive enough votes to be approved.
- 8) **Communications**
Position of Solid Waste/Clean Sweep Specialist is open and are currently looking to fill the position.
- 9) **Update from Veolia**
None.
- 10) **Update from Refrigerant Depot**
Mariana Rosado reported that April Electronics and Appliance recycling event had consistent numbers for appliances, but electronics had a significant decrease. Total weight for electronics was approximately 9,000 lbs. versus previous events having totals

of approximately 20,000 lbs. This was the first combined event with household hazardous waste (HHW), but the events will be separate in the fall.

11) Update from City of Watertown

None.

12) Update from Town of Ixonia

None.

13) Update from Deer Track Park Landfill

Joe Hackbarth, District Manager of Municipal Solid Waste stated that volume is down, but special waste is up. He also stated that a compliance inspection with the state would be taking place today.

14) Update on 2022 Budget

Zangl provided an update.

15) Update on Spring Clean Sweep/Electronics Recycling Event – Participation Summary

a) Past Events

- i) Clean Sweep & Electronics/Appliance Recycling Event: Friday, April 8th and Saturday, April 9th at Jefferson County Fairgrounds

b) Upcoming Events:

- i) Clean Sweep: Friday, September 16th and Saturday, September 17th at the Watertown Street Department
- ii) Clean Sweep: Friday, October 7th at the Whitewater Public Works Complex
- iii) Electronics/appliance Recycling Event: Saturday, October 22nd at the Jefferson County Fairgrounds

Zangl provided an update on all events.

16) Update on Drug Take Back Program – Spring DOJ Collection Event Totals

17) Discussion on Air quality

A Joint Meeting of relevant departments is being set up to discuss concerns.

18) Upcoming Meeting Dates and Possible Agenda items

- a) Upcoming meeting: Tuesday, August 2nd at 8:30 A.M. Needs to be rescheduled; Zangl will work on date and send poll to committee.

19) Adjourn

Motion by Johns, seconded by Preuss. Motion passed by 5-0 voice vote at 8:59 A.M.