

Transfer Site and Waste Management Committee Minutes of the November 7th, 2012 Meeting

Meeting was called to order at 2pm.

Present were: Jim Olesen, Ron Pearson, Greg Martin, Gene Ratzel, Mitch McGee, Paul Mueller, and Bob Lang.

The committee was asked by the town board to put together an implementation plan for charging for household garbage. Multiple options and scenarios were discussed. The final proposals/ conclusions are as follows:

Fees will consist of:

- \$2.00 for a standard kitchen bag (approx. 13 gallons)
- \$3.00 for a large bag (approx. 40 gallons)
- Larger bags and unlined cans will be accepted and the fee will be left to the discretion of the attendant.

The transfer site attendant will accept cash and checks. Patrons writing checks will be asked to pull out of the line to allow traffic to continue flowing. It is understood that the attendant will have to carry enough cash on their person to make change.

Sample bags of garbage will be stuffed and displayed with prices marked on them so the public has a visual example.

Note: The committee feels that charging for garbage will promote recycling and may require more capacity for recyclables in the future.

The Transfer Site Committee will meet again on Wednesday, November 14, 2012 to approve these minutes and make any last minute changes before presenting them to the board.

Meeting adjourned at 2:45

Respectfully submitted,

Bob Lang – Roads & Property Foreman