

Transfer Station Committee
January 19, 2009
6:00 PM

Members present: Chairman David Woodsome, Don Holden, Dave Johnson, Brigit McCallum, Dennis Abbott and Committee Secretary Nancy Roberge. Also present: Clint Andrews, Bob Gobeil, Dean Waterhouse.

Meeting called to order at 6:05 PM.

Motion to approve the December 1, 2008 minutes by a motion from Brigit and 2nd by David and approved 5-0.

Single Stream:

According to Clint, the Transfer Station is basically doing single stream minus the cardboard. They are combining all the recyclables together but keeping the cardboard separately. And until the new compactor is installed at the Transfer Station there is no way to compact the single stream recyclables. If they tried using the cardboard compactor to compact single stream recyclables, they would have to be loaded by hand.

Clint will create a small handout and present this handout at the January 27th Selectmen's meeting for approval and approval of single stream (minus the cardboard)

After the approval from the Selectmen we can start communicating to people at the Transfer Station to combine all their recyclables into one container except for the cardboard.

Brigit suggested inviting Ann Fisher, reporter for the Reporter to our next meeting for Ann to do a story about the Transfer Station going single stream.

Schools: Clint will draft a letter with Nancy to send to the Superintendent or Matt Schrienamarker regarding the disposal of SAD57 florescent light bulbs.

Demolition: There is an increase in demolition. We currently are getting 900 to 1,000 tons compared to only 500 tons in previous years. The Committee will be going over the fee structure for demolition on February 2nd.

Nomination of Excellence Award for Recycling: Brigit will work on interviewing a nominee (Lakeside Market) for the February 2nd meeting.

The next meeting will be February 2nd at 6:00 PM.

Motion to adjourn at 7:30 PM by a motion by David W. and 2nd by Brigit and approved 5-0.

Respectfully submitted,
Nancy Roberge