

**Transfer Station Committee  
Meeting  
August 24, 2009  
6:00 PM**

Members present: Chairman David Woodsome, Karen Banks, Willis Lord, Brigit McCallum, Mike DeAngelis, Dennis Abbott, Jon Gale, Bob Gobeil, Clint Andrews, Dean Waterhouse and Committee Secretary Nancy Roberge. Also present Dave Hall from Massabesic Middle School.

Meeting called to order at 6:05 PM.

Motion to approve the July 27, 2009 Minutes by a motion from Dennis and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Willis and approved 6-0.

Dave Hall from Massabesic Middle School addressed the Committee regarding recycling at the Middle School and the possibility of having some sort of bin at school for recycling. Dave indicated that when he previously worked at Line Elementary School they recycled and brought 80,000 tons of recycling to the Limerick Transfer Station. Motion by Karen and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Willis and approved 6-0 to provide a container to the Middle School for recycling. Dave Hall will double check with the Principal for approval.

Sticker Program:

We need to educate people about the program. Some additional suggestions:

1. Decrease the amount of non-Waterboro trash by not charging for stickers and have them show proof of residency.
2. Give people 1 bag free for household waste for every bag of recyclables.

By 2/28/2010 the Committee needs to have this sticker program ready to go for the 6/12/2010 Town Meeting.

Dennis will check with Nancy Brandt about adding a couple of sentences on the tax bills about recycling.

Karen spoke with Dave Lowe about adding a ticker tape type message on the bottom of the screen during Selectman's meetings and Karen will check with Dave again.

Roadside Pick-Up: The Committee needs complete more research. Clint will provide some information.

Educational Public Articles: Mike and Brigit to work on press releases.

Educational TV: Brigit continuing to work on this project with Saco River TV.

Brigit had a concern about compost for next year because of the maple leaf blight and other blights that are effecting plants this year because of the rain.

EcoMaine is having a Recycling Idea Exchange on September 10, 2009 at 6:00 to 8:00 PM. Mike will transport anyone interested in going on the Town of Waterboro bus.

There will be a Business Expo on 10/24/09, Mike will secure a booth for the Transfer Station Committee.

Some agenda items for the next meeting:

- number of stickers
- cost

- how do we reach people and educate them
- Business Expo

Some possible locations in Waterboro for Silver Bullets:

- Lake Arrowhead (security cameras have been installed)
- Town Hall
- Library
- Fire Department (Central Station)
- Salt Shed
- Plummers Hardware Parking Lot

The next meeting will be held on 9/28/09 at 6:00 PM.

Motion to adjourn at 7:45 Pm by a motion by Brigit and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Karen and approved 6-0.

Respectfully submitted,  
Nancy Roberge