

**Transfer Station Committee
Workshop**

**August 22, 2011
6:30 PM**

Members present: Pat Aureli, Lucas Beaubien, Frank Allen. Also present: Clint Andrews and Committee Secretary Nancy Roberge.

Meeting called to order at 6:30 PM.

Motion to approve the July 25, 2001 minutes by Frank 2nd by Lucas and approved 3-0.

Compactor: Only waiting for a couple of signs to arrive from RSD Graphics. The Electrical Inspector is coming on 8/23/11 to do final inspection. Clint wanted to make it known to people that the compactor is not broken, it was politically shut down. Once it is re-opened, we should have the silver bullets dumped into the compactor. The cost for D&E to haul to Ecomaine, even if it is not full is \$130.00 versus \$60.00 per load for D&E to haul to the Transfer Station.

No Dumping Signs: Have been ordered thru RSD Graphics. Clint to ask Fred Fay where he thinks they are needed.

Recycling Rates: Are down this month. Clint believes this is due to the compactor is not operational.

Calendar of Events for Next Year: Earth Day, Old Home Days, Assembly sat school with Ecomaine, composters at school.

One thing to check into is to inquire if there is grant money to get a digester at Massabesic Middle School to recycle food waste.

Frank brought to the Committee's attention that Commercial Haulers who use the Transfer Station should have Commercial Liability Insurance. This should be added to the Transfer Station Ordinance.

Motion by Frank and 2nd by Lucas and approved 3-0 to add to the Transfer Station Ordinance **“Any person required to have a waste hauler license under this article shall maintain in force and effect general commercial liability insurance and commercial vehicle liability insurance with insurance companies licensed to do business in the State of Maine and in such amounts as may be required by law. Upon request of the town, each such person shall produce evidence of such coverage.”**

Motion to adjourn at 7:30 by Frank 2nd by Lucas and approved 3-0.

Respectfully submitted;
Nancy Roberge,
Committee Secretary

Recycling Rates

<u>May 2010</u>	<u>Jun 2010</u>	<u>Jul 2010</u>	<u>Aug 2010</u>	<u>Sept 2010</u>	<u>Oct 2010</u>	<u>Nov 2010</u>	<u>Dec 2010</u>	<u>Jan 2011</u>	<u>Feb 2011</u>	<u>Mar 2011</u>	<u>Apr 2011</u>
18.46%	18.76%	21.27%	26.34%	24.13%	25.05%	20.97%	23.00%	20.54%	23.15%	17.94%	15.58%
<u>May 2011</u>	<u>Jun 2011</u>	<u>Jul 2011</u>	<u>Aug 2011</u>	<u>Sept 2011</u>							
21.92%	20.16%	17.58%	19.36%	20.86%							