

# Minutes

## WASTE FACILITIES MONITORING COMMITTEE MEETING

Thursday, May 2, 2013  
APPROVED, AS AMENDED, 8/1/13

Chairman Wolff called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

PRESENT: Mr. Brionne Bischke, Mr. Stan Bugnacki, Mr. Roland Kieffer, Mr. Melvin Hebron, Mr. Nick Ioder, Ms. Rebecca Mattano and Mr. Marvin Wolff.

Mr. Mike Hackney and Mr. Dan Otzelberger representing Waste Management.

NOT PRESENT: Don Counter

It was noted that the meeting was posted in accordance with the open meeting law.

GUESTS: Karen Fiedler, et. al.

HONOR PRESENTATION: Ms. Fiedler was presented with a plaque from the committee for her years of service not only on the committee but in the realm of her dedication to recycling work.

### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

*February 21, 2013*

Mr. Stan Bugnacki moved to approve the minutes of the February 21, 2013 meeting. Mr. Nick Ioder seconded. Upon a voice vote, the motion to approve the minutes carried.

PUBLIC COMMENT: No public comment offered from the two gentlemen in attendance.

Mr. Stan Bugnacki brought to the committee's attention the complaints he received relative to cleaning the recycling drop-off site up. On Monday, some of the containers were overfilled and the excess materials were all over the place. He further mentioned that the holes were still not fixed. Mr. Mike Hackney said that the issue has been addressed and it will be cleaned up. One of the problems is that they have no staff at the site. Mr. Roland Kieffer shared that his community thanked them for the extended hours. Mr. Bugnacki also thanked them for the extended hours.

COMPLIANCE REPORT: Mr. Jo Spear, Jr. was not in attendance to give a report.

FINANCIAL REPORT: Chairman Wolff had not received a financial report. He'll contact the accountant tomorrow.

### BUSINESS

#### *2013 Well Sampling Selection*

Committee members were in receipt of the list of property owners requesting their wells to be sampled. As Mr. Spear, Jr. was not in attendance, Chairman Wolff will be meeting with him on Monday to go over the recommended wells to be sampled in 2013. Chairman Wolff had received a call from a lady that resided on 92<sup>nd</sup> Street. She was requesting her well be sampled as it is a new well. It was #46 on the list. She used to be on a shared well. He said the committee will be looking closely at this well. It has been tested by the DNR and the State and they are getting conflicting results. It's an artesian well and will affect about 8 houses. They

believed the problem to be bad welds in the casings that is contaminating the water. Sweeney had scoped it out with a camera as her well driller is no longer in the business. Mr. Spear, Jr. will look into it more being provided with the DNR case numbers and find out why it is failing. It's not e-coli but they still are failing the well. The paperwork the lady has is not specific. Mr. Ioder shared that the wells in the subdivision north of her are showing high molybdenum. Chairman Wolff stated that those wells are not artesian, they're in a different source. Mr. Kieffer asked if other wells in the area had been tested. Chairman Wolff stated that he had his tested and came back clear. Committee brainstormed what the problem could possibly be and her well will be on the sampling list.

Chairman Wolff reported that he had received several calls from those in Raymond wanting the committee to test their wells for molybdenum. He informed them that the committee would not be testing for this as it has not been in the past. Mr. Jo Spear, Jr. had looked into it and to test them would \$35 per well more and then the committee is setting a new precedent. They are not required by the State or contract to test for it. Mr. Otzelberger shared that Waste Management supports that role. DNR came up with a very detailed report at the beginning of the year and the landfill was not even mentioned as a probable source. The purpose of the well sampling program is to identify landfill impacts. Mr. Kieffer stated that it is too early to process as the DNR still doesn't know which way to go and he further shared that the committee on the landfill across the road had decided to wait and see. He continued, that if people are concerned, they can get a test kit from their municipality to get it done.

**Mr. Ioder moved to accept the well sampling list for 2013. Mr. Bugnacki seconded. Upon a voice vote, the motion carried.**

#### *Contract for Well Sampling Lab*

Mr. Otzelberger shared that they have been very satisfied with the Davies Lab and will continue with them for 2013. Mr. Roland Kieffer moved to accept and to continue with the Davies Lab. **Mr. Melvin Hebron seconded. Upon a voice vote, the motion carried.**

#### *Contract for 2013 Well Sampling Report*

Mr. Jo Spear, Jr. had presented his contract proposal during the February meeting. This item will be moved to the February agenda in the future.

#### *Well Sampling Database*

Mr. Jo Spear, Jr. will be provided a list of the "returned as not deliverable" envelopes for researching and updating the database.

#### *WM Reports*

Mr. Otzelberger highlighted major correspondence items. The list presented was lengthy due to the annual reports that are required by the State. In February, they received the construction documentation approval for Phase VIII and now they can start filling in that area; however, they had received a verbal approval to start filling earlier. In April, they had received a completeness determination on the northern expansion. This is the first formal document in seeking approval for a potential expansion. He expanded his comments on the process of submittals and approvals for expansion. Chairman Wolff noted that on February 27, the DNR reported a notice of violation. Mr. Otzelberger explained that was the testing of their own private well on the site in which they had coliform. It was caused by an old line feeding out to an outside spigot which had not been used for years. The problem has been resolved by cutting that out of the system. **Mr. Ioder moved to approve the report. Mr. Bischke seconded. Upon a voice vote, the motion carried.**

## MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

### *Next Meeting Date*

The next regular meeting is scheduled for Thursday, August 1, 6:00 p.m. at the landfill site.

### ADJOURNMENT:

At 6:25 p.m., Mr. Bugnacki moved to adjourn, seconded by Mr. Hebron. Upon a voice vote, the motion carried unanimously.

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Stella Dunahee, CPS, Recording Secretary