

WASTE MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

February 14, 2008

The Waste Management Advisory Committee held a Meeting on Thursday, February 14, 2008 at the Seneca Falls Library at 47 Cayuga Street.

The meeting was called to order at 4:00PM. Present were Chairperson Lucille Cook, Peter Wormuth, John Stapleton and Dave Clark. Also present were invited guests Tom Hasek of Seneca Meadows and Joyce French, Secretary to Supervisor Mooney; John Vaughn was absent.

A motion was made to approve the minutes of the meeting of November 8, 2007 by Mr. Wormuth and seconded by Mr. Stapleton. Being there were no additions or corrections, the minutes were accepted as presented, 4 ayes, 0 nays.

A general discussion followed regarding the details of this year's Household Hazardous Collection Day, to be held on Saturday, May 3rd.

- All contracts from the vendors were given to Mrs. Cook for her signature.
- Letter received from Clean Harbors advising of price increase; this is the second year of a two year contract with them so the quoted price should be locked in.
- Secretary to contact Christian Glander of the DEC to make sure package was received and all is in order.
- Mr. Hasek explained the procedures to be followed to obtain State Aid for this program to Mr. Clark, who is the new member of the Committee. Secretary will give him a copy of last year's complete package.
- Letters are being updated to the different services and will be ready for Mrs. Cook's signature.
- Letter received from Seneca Meadows committing to the same gratuitous services as in the past.
- Mr. Hasek will get Mr. Rauscher's transport permit.
- Discussed flyer that was created by Mrs. French regarding signup, what can and cannot be dropped off, registration number, drop-off time, etc.
- As discussed previously, it has been decided that the only form of advertising that will be used are signs and posters; the flyers were ineffective and the tents were totally useless.
- We are in need of new signs for this year
- The following was the site for posters:
Bayard Street (4) – Urban Sun, NY Chiro College, Kids Territory and another site – John Vaughn
Cayuga and State Street (2) - ??????
High School, Middle School and two elementary schools (4) – Peter Wormuth will check with school
Waterloo – Joyce French:
4 near flowerpots
Sewer plant on River Road
Serven Road Fire Dept.
- Marcie and the drafts person at Seneca Meadows made most of the signs. Mr. Hasek will once again “volunteer” Marcie's service.
- Mrs. French will check with UPS Store in Geneva regarding laminating signs – 2'x3' and 12"x24"
- Marcie will work up a press release as she has in the past – give to Reveille and Finger Lakes Times.
- Also put on the senecafalls.com website and calendar of events.
- Put in Pennysaver as Calendar of Events at no cost.
- Registration – April 21-25 from 12Noon to 4PM

- Get in touch with Clean Harbors regarding the name of their chemist.
- Mrs. French will include something about Collection Day when she sends out Waterloo's water bills
- Need updated insurance forms from vendors.
- Mrs. Cook to meet with Mr. Hasek to sign work plan, SEQR form and cover letter.
- In addition to fluorescent tubes, also include compact fluorescent bulbs.
- Nugents Hardware in Waterloo will take cell phones and printer cartridges
- We will take cell phones, unless there is a better beneficial use for them.
- No white goods are accepted.
- There will probably be a big influx of waste TV's coming in 2009 once they change over to digital
- Mr. Hasek stated he spoke to Sara Ryan and she had indicated to him that through the County she had a request that they wanted to do two (2) Collection Days a year, and maybe even simultaneously with ours. She really was concerned with it because she didn't really think it was a "good bang for the buck". Mr. Hasek replied that they would have both a Spring and Fall one; however, Ms. Ryan is not for this – she says both work so well as is.
- Mrs. Cook stated that originally we were going to try to have ours in the Spring and they would have theirs in the Fall so we wouldn't be competing with each other and doesn't understand why something else is being proposed. Mrs. Cook stated that originally Ms. Ryan wasn't too happy about us having a collection day but after seeing that we wouldn't be competing with each other, she generously helped us get started.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, March 13th at 4:00PM at the Seneca Falls Library in the Reference Room.

Being there was no further business, a motion was made by Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Stapleton to adjourn the meeting at 5:10PM. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Anne Marrasso, Secretary