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Mary,

I meant to send these to you earlier. They are the minutes for the Transfer Station Recycling committee meeting approved Monday night.

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To All,

Here are the minutes for the June 8th meeting for anyone who didn't get them back in June.

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There will be a meeting of the Transfer Station and Recycling Committee Monday June 8, 2009 at 7:00 pm at the Town Office agenda items include:

1. Review of the minutes for the May 26th meeting.

Jack Sutton motioned to accept the minutes, Bill Nason seconded, vote 5-0 in favor with two absent.

2. Review of the public hearing on demo wood fees.

The selectboard approved the committee's recommendation on wood fees. Fees will be reduced on demo wood by 25% and rounded to the nearest dollar. Demo wood will now be considered all wood except brush, p.t. lumber and clean wood that has only been touched by a saw.

The fee schedule will be revised to reflect this change and handed out to the public.

The cash register also must be reprogrammed with the changes.

The new fees are scheduled to take effect July 1st.

3. Policy on petition drives at the Transfer Station.

The committee recommends petition drives not be allowed as a facility safety and convenience issue.

If the selectboard chooses to allow them, the committee has proposed some basic ideas to which all petition drives should follow:

- Area and space designated by the T.S. manager no larger than 10'x20'
- No solicitation of signatures
- Written permission must be granted at least one week in advance by the town manager or designee.
- No sound systems or speakers.
- Petition drives occur only during normal operating hours.
- One petition drive allowed per operating day.
- No profane, or what may be considered obscene signs.
- Public safety and convenience is a priority and the petition drives shall not impede normal T.S. operations.
- Prtiton drives shall be conducted in accordance with state laws.
- The T.S. manager is authorized to enforce these rules.

Jack motioned to accept, George seconded vote 6-0 with 1 absent.

4. May 2009 monthly report.

After discussion the committee decided it would like to see the table George put together with monthly and ytd totals for msw and bulky waste added as table 5 to the monthly report. George moved to accept, Jack seconded vote 6-0 1 absent.

5. Other.

Removing the old storage trailers currently on site and purchasing new ones was discussed.

Fertilizing the old landfill was discussed.

The compost pile was discussed. The need to change the operations manual if the pile is expanded, and any changes made to the site to accomodate new storage trailers.

The committee has decided to meet once monthly for the summer months. Greg Keene motioned George seconded, Vote 6-0, 1 absent.

The idea to put a sign next to the current brush only sign to direct people to the correct area for composting was discussed, due to an ongoing issue with people dumping leaves on the brush pile.

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