

Souhegan Regional Landfill District

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APPROVED

SOUHEGAN REGIONAL LANDFILL DISTRICT

December 3, 2020

Bruce Bowler, Chairman, called the Meeting of the Souhegan Regional Landfill District to order at 6:00 P.M. at the Mont Vernon Town Hall. Members attending were Jack Esposito, Eddie Arnold, Joan Cudworth, Dan Veilleux, Frank Powers, & Eric Hahn. Also attending were Dennis Slocumb, Mike Wenrich, & Debra Quinlan.

2021 PROPOSED BUDGET REVIEW – It was decided to increase the administration line to \$22,400 and decrease groundwater monitoring to \$6,500.

MINUTES OF NOVEMBER 5, 2020 –Joanie made a motion to accept the minutes as written, Eddie seconded, Frank & Eric abstained, and all others voted in favor.

UPDATE BY TOWN

BROOKLINE – Mike reported that the electrical work is done and all heaters are working.

HOLLIS –Joanie reported that Hollis has contracted with Dennis for two roll off boxes in order to facilitate social distancing. Hollis will pay for the hauling.

MONT VERNON – Jack said that everything is okay.

AMHERST –Eric reported that all is fine.

RECYCLING UPDATE

Dennis did not have any prices for December yet.

SLOCOMB REPORT/ EQUIPMENT UPDATE

Dennis received a quote for a can blower for Hollis. The verbal quote was \$7,301.20 but the written quote seems to indicate that the blower for steel cans would be \$12,900. Dennis will get clarification and try to determine if it's something that he could build.

PUBLIC BUDGET HEARING

Eddie made a motion to open the public hearing. Dan seconded, and all voted in favor. The public budget hearing was opened at 6:20 pm. There were no comments from the public. Dan moved to close the public hearing. Eddie seconded, and all voted in favor. The public budget hearing was closed at 6:21.

Eddie moved to adopt the 2021 budget in the amount of \$1,288,655.12. Jack seconded, and all voted in favor

OLD BUSINESS

USED COMPACTOR – Dennis will take a look at the compactor and find out exactly what work will be done to refurbish it. He would use it to swap out for other compactors in need of repair.

Eddie made a motion to authorize Dennis to purchase the used compactor for an amount not to exceed \$25,000 if he thinks it is worth purchasing. Joanie seconded and all voted in favor.

GROUNDWATER MONITORING – Bruce presented proposals from Envirotrac and GRS Environmental. Eddie did not receive a response from the vendor that he contacted for a proposal. The GRS Environmental proposal was less expensive and would be serviced by Don Kirkland, who is already familiar with the Amherst landfill. Dan made a motion to authorize Bruce to sign the five-year contract with GRS Environmental. Eddie seconded and all voted in favor.

NEW BUSINESS - No new business.

NEXT MEETING – The next regularly scheduled meeting will be January 7th at 6:00 p.m. via Zoom.

Eddie made a motion to adjourn, Jack seconded, and all voted in favor. Meeting adjourned at 6:41 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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