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APPROVED

SOUHEGAN REGIONAL LANDFILL DISTRICT

January 7, 2021

Bruce Bowler, Chairman, called the Meeting of the Souhegan Regional Landfill District to order at 6:06 P.M. Because of Covid 19 restrictions, the meeting was held via Zoom. Members attending were Eddie Arnold, Joan Cudworth, Dan Veilleux, Frank Powers, & Eric Hahn. Also attending were Dennis Slocomb & Debra Quinlan.

CITIZENS FORUM – N/A

MINUTES OF DECEMBER 3, 2020 –Eddie pointed out that the start time recorded in the minutes should be 6:00p.m. rather than 7:00p.m., Joanie made a motion to accept the amended minutes and Eddie seconded. Roll call vote: Bruce: yes, Dan: yes, Eddie: yes, Eric: yes, Frank: yes, Joanie: yes.

UPDATE BY TOWN

AMHERST –Eric reported that all is fine.

<u>BROOKLINE</u> – Eddie mentioned that Mike would like to receive tonnages more frequently. He was told that since Deb does not receive the tickets for the month until after month end, he'd have to call Dennis for more frequent info.

HOLLIS –Joanie reported that all is fine.

MONT VERNON – Jack reported via email that everything is okay.

RECYCLING UPDATE

Dennis mentioned that he has been sending cardboard to Office Paper. He also reported that Hollis was paid \$1160/ton for their 3.52-ton load of milk jugs. Lastly, he reported that he had hauled a load of glass and found that the NRRA site was closed due to a snowstorm. The NRRA had not notified him or anyone with the SRLD of the closure. Dennis wasn't sure who should pay the hauling charge. The board agreed that it was unlikely that the NRRA would provide reimbursement so the SRLD would absorb the cost. Joanie said she would bring it up to the NRRA.

Dennis provided the following prices from Office Paper via email:

Mixed Paper \$45 Cardboard \$90 Newspaper \$120

SLOCOMB REPORT/ EQUIPMENT UPDATE

<u>NEW TRAILER</u> – Dennis reported that, if ordered soon, the new trailer could be delivered by May.

<u>CAN BLOWER</u> – Dennis provided a quote for the can blower with the necessary modification. All agreed that it would be too expensive. Joanie suggested coming up with a simpler solution.

OLD BUSINESS

<u>NEW TRAILER</u> – Eddie made a motion to purchase a new trailer for Brookline and Frank seconded the motion.

Roll call vote: Bruce: yes, Dan: yes, Eddie: yes, Eric: yes, Frank: yes, Joanie: yes.

<u>USED COMPACTOR</u> – Dennis said that the used compactor is currently being refurbished and he is going to try to go see it.

 $\underline{GROUNDWATER\ MONITORING\ REPORT}-Bruce\ reported\ that\ the\ groundwater\ monitoring\ report\ had\ been\ submitted\ to\ the\ NHDES.$

NEW BUSINESS

STATE OF NH REPORT – Joanie mentioned that the annual report is due in March and asked if the trash/recycling spreadsheets would be available in time. Deb responded that the spreadsheets would be emailed within a few days of the meeting as usual.

<u>REDUCTION OF SOLID WASTE</u> – Joanie suggested that members come up with a way to get a strong message to residents that it is important to reduce solid waste.

NEXT MEETING – The next regularly scheduled meeting will be February 4th at 6:00 p.m. via Zoom.

Frank made a motion to adjourn & Eddie seconded. Roll call vote: Bruce: yes, Dan: yes, Eddie: yes, Eric: yes, Frank: yes, Joanie: yes. Meeting adjourned at 6:39 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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