



**Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the
Monmouth County Solid Waste Advisory Council
Thursday March 16, 2017
Monmouth County Reclamation Center
6000 Asbury Ave. Tinton Falls, NJ**

I. Meeting Opening – Attendance

The meeting was opened at 7:06 pm by Vice Chairman Boodey. It was announced the meeting was being held in compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act, P.L. 1975, Chapter 231.

Members Present: Boodey, David, Lomangino, McArthur, Posten, Rainforth, Throckmorton

Members Absent: Branch, Johnson, Snyder, Straus

Counsel Present: Jodi Howlett, Esq.

I. Approval of Minutes:

On a motion by Posten, seconded by Lomangino, and approved unanimously, the minutes for the January 19, 2017 meeting was approved.

II. Correspondence, Reports and Announcements

No SWAC Members Report

Metzger told the group that the Recycling Tonnage Reports are due to the State and the Recycling Office April 30, 2017. Metzger mentioned that the second printing of the Recycling Directory is in progress. Paper Shredding Events commence March 18, 2017, and run through November. Metzger said the County recycling truck that is used for collection of the recyclables from County offices is breaking down too frequently, so the County is looking to replace the truck with a new truck. Metzger also informed the SWAC that the Association of NJ Recyclers is having their Annual Meeting at the Eco Complex in Burlington County on April 12, 2017.

III. Regular Business

Newman reported that a Public Hearing took place on March 9, 2017 for Gold Star Paving, Inc. Morganville, NJ. There were no comments and the application passed unanimously and he will file the papers with the NJDEP.

Resource Engineering - SW Management Plan Amendment - Newman read letters from Mr. Ward (Insite Engineering) and Beekman Law Firm told the group he will follow up with County Traffic Engineer. He also read a letter from the Township of Howell that said the town has reviewed the Traffic Signal Warrant Analysis report prepared by Drive Engineering, dated January 13, 2017. Newman said he will be working with County professionals (Howell Fire Co.). Boodey asked if SWAC should come to visit the Howell site. Newman said he will let the SWAC know.

Mazza – Newman read a letter from T & M where there are concerns about the truck traffic on Shafto Rd. The Borough has deep concerns that there will be substantial increase in truck traffic if there is an expansion. Tinton Falls also has an agreement with Mazza that it is required to install a traffic signal when warrants are met due to cumulative traffic generation from the development of individual lots within the previously proposed subdivision. Boodey said there is more discussion needed to proceed. Newman said he will make contact with the County.

Metzger reported there has been no movement on the E-Waste. The State continues to work on putting a plan together. One meeting was held by the State for County Recycling Coordinators. Boodey asked if we are paying more to dispose electronics than the landfill costs, the answer is NO.

Newman mentioned the various clean-ups that the Clean Communities Coordinator is (has done). He is currently working with the prisoners cleaning Sandy Hook.

Newman talked about the MCRC offering tours of the Landfill they are available for schools, civic groups & environmentalists.

There being no further business there was a motion by Posten, seconded by Lomangino for adjournment at 8:06 p.m.