



Solid Waste Planning Committee

November 21, 2022, 6:30 PM

ORDER OF BUSIENSS

1. Call to Order
2. Attendance and Determination of Quorum
 1. Roll Call with Sign-In Sheet
3. Modifications to the Agenda
4. Minutes
 1. Minutes to be submitted by Secretary or appointed
5. Financial Report
6. Public Comment
7. Hearings (if scheduled)
8. Old Business
 1. Have the bylaws been approved by the Commissioners, submitted this summer?
9. New Business
 1. Speaker 1: Dan with West Michigan Sustainability Business Forum Summary of where we are at with research and findings.
 2. Township Research
 3. Approval of 2023 meeting dates
10. Miscellaneous Round Table
 1. EGLE - Fred Sellers to field questions on Part 115
11. Determination and Recognition of the Next Meeting Date
12. Adjournment

CASS COUNTY SOLID WASTE COMMITTEE

August 15, 2022

The meeting was called to order at 6:38pm by Chairperson Susan Donoho.

The secretary called the roll: Present- James Dodd, Linda Preston, Dan Stutsman, Susan Donoho, Barbara Ballard, Korie Blyveis, Jeremiah Jones and Naomi Ludman. A sign in sheet circulated. A quorum was present.

D. Stutsman moved, B. Ballard second to approve the agenda as presented. Voice vote. All ayes.

L. Preston moved, J. Jones second to change the meeting time from 6pm to 6:30pm. Voice vote. All ayes.

D. Stutsman moved, J. Jones second to approve the minutes as presented. Voice vote. All ayes

- Old Business: The CCSW By Law review is required to go through the County Appointments Committee before the County Commissioners review.
- New Business: Dan Shoonmaker of WMSBF was present. He is part of a 7 County RRS Grant to update Cass County Solid Waste Plan. List Stakeholder engagements to work. Reunite Solid Waste Plans. There is pending legislation on changing Solid Waste plans.

Out initial goals – Mega data report

4 Priorities for Cass County

1. Economic Development opportunities
2. ~~Unique~~ Hazardous Wastes
3. Sustainable funding (ie millage)
4. Visioning for the County Staffing/goals (top 5 items to invest in)
Communication/Promotion/Education

2. Hazardous Waste

Collection more often (have fringe participation now)
In County Ag Collection- Containers/contaminated plastics
(Clean Sweep- Berrien County)

Location/Facility

Operation



Stakeholders

1. Economic Development Opportunities

To supply chain issues
Grants- Scale
MRF (Materials Recovery Facility)
Material Marketplace (Green Earth Electronics Recycling)

County Buy in



Funding \$\$

3. Sustainable Funding- Millage

How you fund it?

How you staff it?

Public Comment: None

Cass County is hosting a Tire Collection & Hazardous Waste on August 17th.

D. Stutsman moved, J. Dodd second, all in favor to adjourn at 7:54pm

Linda Preston, Secretary

2023 Solid Waste Meeting Dates

@ 6:30 p.m. – Kincheloe Room

January 16

February 20

March 20

April 17

May 15

June 19

July 17

August 21

September 18

October 16

November 20

December 18