

Buffalo County Minutes

Committee/Board: Recycling Committee

Date of Meeting: June 15th, 2023

Date of Filing: June 20th, 2023

The meeting was called to order by Max Weiss at 6:00 p.m.

Max Weiss opened the meeting for the Recycling Committee and Tony Pfaff took roll call.

Roll Call of Members: Calvin Loewenhagen, Jeannie Czaplewski, Claire Waters, Bruce Kees, Perry Pronschinske, Bob Traun, Brian Michaels, Dwight Ruff, Max Weiss

Public Present: Ron Kazmierczak, Rafael Dedios Sanchez

Public Comment Regarding Posted Agenda Items: None

Review/Discussion/Action – Approve Minutes of Previous Meeting: Bruce Kees made a motion to accept the minutes from the previous meeting. Jeannie Czaplewski second the motion. Motion carries

Review/Discussion – Clean Sweep Report: Tony Pfaff presented the committee with the final report from the Clean Sweep. He said the overall outcome was a success. Historically the Clean Sweep is held every 2 years in Buffalo County. The committee asked if that is enough or should we look at annually? Tony said every other year is still ideal financially and for the residents/farmers of the county.

Review/Discussion – 2023 Annual Recycling Grant: Tony Pfaff explained the Annual Recycling Grant we received this year is very similar to past years. The total amount received from the Wi DNR on June 1st of 2023 was \$99,038

Review/Discussion/Action – Other Reports: There were five other reports. First, a quick report was given by Tony Pfaff updating the committee that the annual payments to the City of Mondovi and BBC&M/WRT were processed. The second report was as of April 1st the Recycling Dept partnered with the Hwy Dept and we now use diesel from their tanks. Thirdly, Per Capita invoices were sent out March 1st and all municipalities paid in a timely manner. The fourth report was an update on Bob Fort Trucking. Buffalo County issued him a Solid Waste Haulers Permit after he fixed his non compliance issues. The last report given by Tony was a Green Circle Recycling cost analysis over the last 4 years. This report gave breakdowns and final costs to process single stream recyclables sent out by Buffalo County Recycling.

Public Comment Unrelated to Agenda Items: None

Review/Discussion/Action - Next Meeting Date and Time: The next Recycling meeting was set for Thursday, September 14th @ 6pm.

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Adjourn: Motion to adjourn by Dwight Ruff. Claire Waters second the motion. Meeting adjourned @ 6:35 pm.

Respectfully Submitted:

Tony Pfaff
Buffalo County Recycling Facility Supervisor