
HANOVER-WALKERTON WASTE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MINUTES

Tuesday May 11, 2021| 9:00am
By Zoom

MEMBERS PRESENT: Ron Cooper | Warren Dickert | Gregg Furtney | Ed King | Bruce Davidson | Tim Elphick

OTHERS PRESENT: Brian Tocheri

MEMBERS ABSENT:

1. **DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST** – None declared.
2. **DELEGATION** – None
3. **ADOPTION OF PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES**

Moved by ED KING / Seconded by TIM ELPHICK

THAT the minutes of January 26, 2021 meeting be approved as printed and circulated.
CARRIED

4. **BUSINESS ARISING –**

4.1 **Polystyrene Recycling**

- Both Ron Cooper and Gregg Furtney advised that monthly collection by Second Wind Recycling is continuing with minimal amounts of polystyrene from the commercial sector.
- Bruce Davidson advised that 7 of 8 municipalities from Bruce County are using Second Wind Recycling for collection. The Town of Blue Mountains, Meaford, West Grey and Grey Highlands are considering the program.

5. **ITEMS FOR DECISION/DISCUSSION**

5.1 **Household Hazardous Waste Event**

- The Committee discussed the date for the Household Hazardous Waste event. The Committee subsequently approved the following motion.

Moved by WARREN DICKERT/ Seconded by ED KING

THAT the Household Hazardous Waste Event be held on September 25th at the Hanover Public Works yard 70 14th Avenue from 10:00am to 2:00pm for both Hanover and Walkerton residents to attend.

CARRIED

- Notices will be placed on both municipalities websites, social media and in local newspapers.

6. ITEMS FOR INFORMATION/CORRESPONDENCE

6.1 Annual Monitoring Report for 2020

- The Committee reviewed the background, purpose, site operations, conclusions and recommendations of the 2020 Annual Monitoring Report.
- Warren Dickert inquired about the curbside blue box tonnage of 454.26 tonnes as to whether this was from Walkerton or all of Brockton as it was higher than the 438.77 tonnes collected curbside for Hanover.
- A subsequent followup confirms the Walkerton curbside collection to be 289.38 tonnes excluding cardboard collected at the Walkerton Recycling Depot.
- Bruce Davidson inquired about reviewing leachate disposal options. Ron Cooper advised that Cobide Engineering are currently reviewing and upon completion the report will be provided to the Committee.
- Based upon the fill volume of 11,100 cum in 2020 the remaining capacity in Cell 1 and 2 will be utilized by early 2026. Using the current three year average volume (12,418cum) the remaining site life is 27 years (2048).

6.2 Landfill Quantities

- The Committee reviewed the landfill monthly quantities to March 31st, 2021 noting overall site usage has increased by 13.2% as compared to 2020.

6.3 Landfill Operation Report

- The Committee reviewed the landfill site operations report for January, February and March with no concerns expressed.

7. NEW BUSINESS

7.1 Clay Capping

- Tim Elphick inquired about completion of the clay capping of the north slope of Cell No.1 which Ron Cooper advised that it is to be completed in June.

7.2 Site Hours

- Tim Elphick advised that he had an inquiry about extending the site closing time. Ron Cooper was instructed to look at time of day site usage and report back to the committee.

7.3 Reuse Trailer

- Bruce Davidson advised that floor repairs would be required prior to any further use of the Reuse Trailer which is currently closed due to COVID.

8. NEXT MEETING DATE –

- The next meeting is Tuesday June 29th, 2021 at 9:00am by zoom.

9. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 9:50am.

Minutes prepared by Ron Cooper, Director of Public Works

Chair/Secretary, Ron Cooper