

Milford Recycling and Solid Waste Committee Meeting Minutes

July 21, 2020 6:30 p.m.

Via Zoom Meeting

In Attendance:

Jerry Guthrie, Chair
Celeste Barr, Secretary
Gary Daniels, Selectmen's Rep.
Mary Burdett, Vice Chair

Nancy Amato
George Hoyt

1. **Opening.** The meeting was opened at 6:30 p.m. by Chairman Jerry Guthrie.
2. **Approval of Minutes** The Committee approved the May and June minutes.
Nancy-yes Gary - yes George -yes Mary -yes Celeste-yes Jerry-yes

3. Old Business

Signage at Recycling & Transfer Station

The Town Administrator responded to the committee's request for 3 A-frame signs stating that he felt they were not needed at this time because the Transfer Station would be going back to normal operations in the near future.

Our request for lettered A-frame signs is not solely for the purpose of pandemic notices. They will be used for recycling education.

New Business

Mary requested recycling and solid waste data from Rick Riendeau which we received July 16th. Mary will write a letter to back to Rick Riendeau, DPW asking if there is a long range strategic plan for the Recycling Center.

She will also ask for clarification of what constitutes the revenue column of the chart Rick shared. (Does it include revenue from Bulky and Demolition fees paid by residents? Does it include revenue from income producing recyclables such as aluminum and mixed metals? 0 We will ask Tammy and Rick if they receive weights from the textile recycling bins.

Is there a way to estimate and present the monetary savings of recycling efforts in Milford so that residents can easily see what they are achieving?

Creation of a Transfer station video tour is on hold until full operations resume.

Next meeting

The next meeting will be August 18, 2020 via Zoom meeting. Celeste will request a zoom link from Chris Gentry.

6. **Adjournment:** Nancy moved to adjourn the meeting. Celeste seconded the motion. Participants unanimously approved. The meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Celeste Philbrick Barr, Secretary