

Milford Recycling Committee Meeting Minutes

March 20 20, 2018, 6:30 p.m.

Board of Selectmen Meeting Room, Town Hall

Gil Archambault	George Hoyt	Leighton White	
Celeste Barr, Secretary	Tammy Scott	Rob Canty	
Jerry Guthrie, Acting Chair	Gary Daniels, BOS Representative		

1. **Opening.**

- Jerry Guthrie opened the meeting at 6:30 p.m.

2. **Approval of Minutes**

- Committee voted to accept the January and February 2018 minutes.

3. **Old Business.**

- Jerry Guthrie and George Hoyt have been reappointed to the committee. Kathy Fay has been newly appointed. Leighton White is eligible for reappointment.

4. **New Business**

- Jerry contacted Troy Swanick of Milford DPW to request some recycling bins be put in Keyes Park as the Park is used year round and there is only one recycling barrel at the pavilion (far across the snow from playground, basketball, walking trail and skateboard park.
- Celeste requested Tammy send the Milford trash and recycling data for 2017 to the committee members. Gil requested a hard copy.
- George said "The Transfer station needs more help" Gary suggested the Committee discuss staffing needs at the Recycling Center 6-9 months from now since the town has just passed the new municipal budget.

Upcoming

- Sustainability Fair at Wilton Lyndeborough High School on April 14.
- 37th NRRA Recycling Conference is in Manchester May 21 and 22nd. There is a discounted ticket for > 3 people from an organization such as the town to attend.

Schedule of Future Recycling Education spotlights:

- March 2018 – Metals educational presentation by Tammy Scott.
The town of Milford Town accepts computer monitors and printers for \$10 each, CPUs and laptops cost \$5, and TVs <19" cost \$10. TVs over 19" cost \$20 to dispose of. Fax machines can be recycled for free.
A local Nashua Company RMG recycles these electronics. Stop at the Transfer Station office to recycle these items and pay the fee.
Plastic phones can be thrown into trash but they are rechargeable phones, please remove the batteries to be recycled first.
Electronics with refrigerants such as refrigerators and air conditioners cost \$16 to dispose of.
- April 2018 meeting – Paper and Cardboard educational presentation by Tammy
- May 2018 meeting--Metals educational presentation by Tammy

Future Issues for Consideration

- Creating an educational Transfer Station “tour” video for posting on the Web and viewing on the cable access channel—George will followup with Mike McInerney
- Enhancing the Recycling Brochure—Gary will forward the old recycling brochure to committee members. Should we ask MHS Business Technology or Graphic Arts for redesign.
- Encourage residents to get a current Transfer Station sticker if they have one that has expired

Future Events

2018 Household Hazardous Waste Collection Schedule

Day	Date	Time	Location
Saturday	April 21	8:00 am - noon	Nashua Public Works Garage
Saturday	May 5	8:00 am - noon	Milford Public Works Garage
Thursday	June 7	3:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Nashua Public Works Garage
Saturday	August 4	8:00 am - noon	Nashua Public Works Garage
Saturday	October 6	8:00 am - noon	Nashua Public Works Garage
Saturday	November 3	8:00 am - noon	Nashua Public Works Garage

Locations: Nashua Public Works Garage, 9 Stadium Drive, Nashua (all dates EXCEPT May 5, 2018 which is at Milford DPW, South Street)

For details on what is collected: see <http://www.nashuarpc.org/energy-environmental-planning/household-hazardous-waste/>

5. **Next Meeting.** The next regular meeting of the Recycling Committee will be on Tuesday, April 17, 2018 at 6:30p at the Board of Selectmen Room.
6. **Adjournment:** Gary Daniels moved to adjourn the meeting. George Hoyt seconded. All were in favor and the motion passed. The meeting adjourned at 7:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Celeste Philbrick Barr
Secretary