

Town of Onalaska
Refuse and Recycling Committee Meeting
June 25, 2014

The Refuse/Recycling Committee meeting was called to order by Chairman Frank Fogel at 7:00 pm at the Town of Onalaska Town Hall, N5589 Commerce Road, Onalaska. Members present were Frank Fogel, Stan Hauser, Joel Miller, Jerry Bonsack, and Mary Rinehart. Harry Helfrich was excused. Employee Bill Ribel, and Gary Hougum also present.

A motion was made by Hauser and seconded by Bonsack to approve agenda as presented. Motion passed unanimously.

Motion to approve September 26, 2011 and April 23 ,2014 made by Bonsack seconded by Miller. Motion passed unanimously.

Discussion and recommend possible action of town refuse and recycling expense. Motion to recommend to board to increase trash bag prices to \$1.75 each to cover cost of pick up and disposal made by Hauser seconded by Miller. Motion passed unanimously

Discussion and recommend possible action on refuse and recycling. Motion to recommend to board to charge \$10 each for stickers for Midway Recycling Center drop off beginning with the 2015 season, and change the color of the sticker to a neon-bright color made by Bonsack and seconded by Miller. Motion passed unanimously. Motion to recommend to board immediate implementation of enforcement of current policy at large item drop off center with board, committee and community volunteers to assist during open hours while public adjusts to implementation made by Hauser seconded by Bonsack.

Discussion and recommend possible action on Recycling Center Drop off signage. Motion to recommend new signage as follows made by Bonsack seconded by Miller: Large sign for entrance of center to read: TOWN OF ONALASKA RESIDENCE ONLY No Admittance without Sticker Violators will be prosecuted per ordinance # _____. Overuse will void privilege. Large sign for rear of facility to read: No Admittance without sticker Violators will be prosecuted per ordinance # ____ Lawn and Garden waste only Brush on Drop Off Days Only No Removal without permission. Small signs: Lawn and garden waste, wood chips free, clean fill, No removal without permission. Signs for dumpsters: wood only, metal only, and cardboard only.

Motion to adjourn made at 9:45pm by Rinehart, seconded by Miller. Motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted by Mary Rinehart, Committee Clerk/Secretary

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