



# *Meeting Agenda*

**Thursday, February 26<sup>th</sup>, 2008**

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**Tour of Pharmacy Solutions**  
5204 Jackson Rd. Suite-C, Ann Arbor, MI 48103  
5:00 pm

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## **WCCSWM Meeting**

held at 705 N. Zeeb Rd., Ann Arbor, MI 48103  
5:30 pm

1. Call to Order and Introductions
  2. Approve Agenda for February 26<sup>th</sup>, 2009
  3. Approve Minutes from January 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2009
  4. Task Force Updates
    - a. E-waste
    - b. Pharmaceutical Take-Back
    - c. Shrink-Wrap
  5. Legislative Updates
  6. Local Community Updates
  7. Adjourn
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# Meeting Locations



# WCCSWM Meeting Minutes

## Leslie Science and Nature Center

### January 22, 2009

1. **Call to Order and Introductions (5:53PM).**
2. **Approve Agenda for January 22, 2009.**
  - a. Add “meeting schedule finalization” to agenda.
  - b. Approved as corrected.
3. **Approve Minutes from December 11<sup>th</sup>, 2008.**
  - a. Approved as printed.
4. **Task Force Updates**
  - a. E-waste
    - i. Jeff K: Brought a copy of HB 6714-6715, signed on December 26<sup>th</sup>, requiring electronic retailers to take-back for recycling.
    - ii. Dan: noted that printers are not to be included until 2011.
    - iii. Jeff A: Foresees a potential problem with large electronic deliveries.
    - iv. Jeff K: Addresses concern of Mercury exposure of Fluorescent Lamps disposal in commercial settings. Working with City to develop ordinance to prohibit their disposal. Will need to look into whether fluorescents would qualify as “electronic waste” and thus will fall under the Bill, therefore requiring all fluorescent retailers to take-back fluorescents.
    - v. The bulb eaters are still thought to be dangerous in terms of the Mercury powders emitted.
    - vi. Nancy: Should put out a press release reminding people of February 17<sup>th</sup> Analog to Digital transition and recycling options for TVs. Wants to include that these analog TVs are still good for gaming.
    - vii. Dan: Reminds that Drop-Off Station still accepts all electronic waste and charges for TVs and computer monitors.
    - viii. Discussed rumor that transition may be postponed due to lack of federal funding.
    - ix. Chris: Thinks force should meet to discuss further actions to prevent dumping, land-filling, etc. Will discuss in “meeting scheduling.”
  - b. Pharmaceutical Take-Back
    - i. Jeff: 2 new pharmacies on board, Wenk’s and their other location on Ellsworth Rd.
    - ii. Dan: Received phone call from some veterinary offices interested in the program. Washtenaw Animal Hospital: 4 locations.
    - iii. New participants are paying under the county’s contract, with lower price for them and no additional cost for the county.
    - iv. Dan: Looking into “Green Pharmacy Toolkit” The cost is \$95, but hoping to get discounted price.

- v. Nancy: Idea of WCCSWM purchasing and loaning it out.
- c. Shrink-wrap
  - i. Dan: Brief overview of shrink-wrap program and working with Michigan Sea-Grant to put together shrink-wrap brochure. Trying to get marinas and nurseries on board to participate in program.
  - ii. Idea to purchase domain name.
  - iii. Vote to purchase domain name for plastics recycling.
    - 1. Motion Passed Unanimously.
  - iv. Preference for [www.recyclemyplastics.com](http://www.recyclemyplastics.com)
  - v. Jeff to contact Google to inquire about free advertising.

## **5. Local Community Updates**

- a. Dan: Annual Report for 2008 up on website to be viewed.
- b. Dan: Tentative Date is May 2<sup>nd</sup> for first 2009 clean-up day. \$20,000 budget. Know we will have at least two, maybe 3 collections in 2009. Will be asking local communities for sponsorship to help offset costs and promote partnership.
- c. George: bulky waste,
- d. Dan: Veolia landfill may expand. Having preliminary conversation about the expansion.

## **6. Legislative Updates**

- a. Significant legislative update mentioned under “e-waste” HB 6715-6715. (Previously mentioned)
- b. Requested by John Dingle’s office to put together shovel-ready projects list.

## **7. Meeting Schedule Finalization**

- a. Scratch Toyota for February meeting location. Trying to organize tour of Pharmacy Solutions instead, with meeting location at Zeeb Road.

## **8. Adjourn (7:00PM).**