



Meeting Agenda

Thursday, September 22nd, 2011

Tour of

Washtenaw County Hazardous Household Waste Facility

**Recently upgraded/renovated to accommodate the Clean Sweep Grant!*

Located @

705 N Zeeb Road

5:00 PM

WCCSWM Meeting

5:30 PM

1. Call to Order and Introductions
2. Approve Agenda for September 22nd, 2011
3. Approve Minutes from August 25th, 2011
4. Task Force Updates
 - a. Open to any subjects. Recent subjects include: Master Composting, Pharmaceutical Take-Back, Electronic Waste, etc.
5. Legislative Updates
6. Local Community Updates
7. Adjourn

WCCSWM Meeting Minutes

Tour of Veolia ES Arbor Hills Landfill given by Dave Rettell

Attendance:

Dan Moody, Washtenaw County
Carly Goldberg, Washtenaw County
Jeff Krcmarik, Washtenaw County
Phil Polyard, WWRA
Alex Williams, Superior Township
Dave Rettell, Veolia ES

- 1. Call to Order and Introductions (5:54pm)**
- 2. Approve Agenda for August 25th, 2011**
 - a. Approved as printed
- 3. Approve Minutes from July 28,2011**
 - a. Approved as printed
- 4. Task Force Updates**
 - a. Master Composting - No Updates (Chris Simmons not present)
 - b. Pharmaceutical Take-Back
 - i. Jeff Krcmarik - Met in Jackson County. Six locally-owned pharmacies in Jackson County are doing the Yellow Jug Mail-Back Program. \$30/month
 - ii. Lenawee County - Currently using a drug abuse and prevention program. Need to see if they can accommodate 3 bins in locations. Also trying to work out a system that holds pharmacies accountable for their own mistakes.
 - iii. October 29th is Annual Rx Take-Back Day
 1. Still need to talk to City of Chelsea to figure out location for collection
 2. Will accept narcotics on this day.
 - iv. Clean Sweep Program-
 1. Had their first pick-up two Saturdays ago. The business was an orchard.
 2. Put dontflushdrugs.com add on 26,000 pharmacy bags at Kroger
 - v. Drug Take Back Program-
 1. A new pharmacy in Saline and University of Michigan University Health Services is now part of the program.
 - c. Any other task forces
 - i. Electronic Waste- Vintage Tech is offering free service to municipalities.
 1. Vintage Tech has a processing facility in Chicago, but is currently building one in Livonia, MI
 2. Alex Williams still needs to look into Vintage Tech's proposal

5. Legislative Updates

- a. Dave Rettell- The state just passed a surcharge increase from \$0.07 to \$0.12 per cubic yard for solid waste at landfills. This increase will be enforced in two years because the state must find a sustainable method of creating funds.
- b. Phil Bolyard- Hearings for renewing WWRA will be in October. After the hearings, it will go to the Board of Public Works.
 - i. Six townships are in support of renewing.
 - ii. City of Chelsea will be the only area receiving curbside pick-up.

6. Local Community Updates

- a. County Clean Up Day- October 8th at Eastern Michigan University from 9am-2pm
 - i. 500 cars last year. Expecting 600 cars this year.
- b. Clean Sweep Event in Jackson- September 15th at the Environmental Health Building in Jackson on Lansing St. It is by appointment only and for commercial and residential purposes.
- c. Clean Sweep Event in October for Lenawee County. Date TBD.
- d. Washtenaw County held an information table at the Heritage Festival in August.

7. Adjourn (6:25pm)