



***City of Sioux Falls Solid Waste
Planning Board Minutes
Downtown Library
200 N Dakota Avenue
Monday, April 26, 2021; 5:30 pm***

Call to Order/Roll Call

A regular meeting of the Solid Waste Planning Board was called to order at 5:36 pm by Andy Berg, Environmental and Stormwater Manager. A quorum was present.

Roll Call:

Members Present:

Andy Berg, Environmental and Stormwater
Manager City of Sioux Falls
Cindy Neuroth, Waste Hauling Industry
Representative
Doug Swenson, Citizen Representative
Don Kuper, SFRSL Superintendent
Shannon Dwire, Recycling Industry
Representative
Greg Bertsch, Business Community
Representative
Ron Sauby, South Dakota Multi-Family
Housing Association Representative
Holly Meier, City of Sioux Sustainability
Coordinator
*Tim Edman, Citizen Representative
Barbara Hamer, Citizen Representative
Jon Hanson, Lincoln County Representative

*Arrived after roll call

Members Absent:

Lyle Van Hove, Turner County
Representative
Scott Anderson, Minnehaha County Planning
Representative
Nancy Korkow, McCook County
Representative
Mandi Anderson, Lake County Representative

Others present:

Lauri Cressman, Advanced Recycling; Dan Neuroth, D&C Solid Waste Services; Mike Herbst,
Novak Sanitary Service; Jesse Cody, Waste Management; Jesse DeWitt, A-OK Sanitary Service;
Troy Lambert, City of Sioux Falls Public Works; Mark Kaufman, Turner County; Tim Deppe, Novak
Sanitary Service

Approval of Agenda

A motion was made by Doug Swenson and seconded by Cindy Neuroth to approve the agenda as presented.

Vote to approve: Yeses, Neuroth, Swenson, Hamer, Hanson, Kuper, Sauby, Dwire, Berg, Bertsch, Meier.
9. Noes, 0. Abstains, 0. **Motion passed.**

Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Cindy Neuroth and seconded by Greg Bertsch to approve the minutes of the Solid Waste Planning Board meeting of January 26, 2021.

Vote to approve: Yeses, Neuroth, Swenson, Hamer, Hanson, Kuper, Sauby, Dwire, Berg, Bertsch, Meier.
9. Noes, 0. Abstains, 0. **Motion passed.**

Introduction

1. Board Update
 - Mark Kaufman is the new Turner County Representative beginning 3rd quarter 2021

Unfinished Business

1. Ordinance Revisions
 - Chapter 57 ordinance review and license capping discussion continues
 - Present to City Council during informational meeting on May 11th
 - Further action to follow

Continuing Business

1. Landfill Report – Don Kuper
 - 1st Quarter MSW tonnage
 - 47,911
 - Up 1.1% from 2020
 - 1st Quarter C&D tonnage
 - 13,389
 - Up 2% from 2020
 - 1st Quarter E-waste recycled
 - 184,697 lbs.
 - 1st Quarter HHW processed
 - 172,808 lbs.
 - Ordinance Revisions
 - City council on May 11th to discuss curbside pickup
 - Projects/Updates
 - Operation
 - Commercial lane will open to public on busy days
 - Asphalt mill and overlay projects may require occasional detours
 - Cell four progress
 - Two bids for liner install came in at 5.2 million
 - Higher cost than anticipated due to material price increases
 - Landfill Gas and Leachate

- Sales up 14.2% as POET is back online and buying gas
- LFG and leachate infrastructure improvements going out for bid
- Landfill leachate forced main
 - Controls and pump equipment going out for bid

2. Environmental Report – Holly Meier

- 2021 Recycling Update
 - 2020 annual reports out in February
 - One hauler did not make standard and receiving enforcement
 - 2021 Goal: 22.1%, down from 22.5% in 2020
 - Standard: 17.7%
 - 1st quarter recycling rate 21.9% , 2020 - 21.8%
 - Impact campaign ongoing
 - Largely focused on social media
 - Stickers and recycling guides still available to haulers
- Sustainability Master Plan
 - Update process started in February
 - Led by 26 member Steering Committee
 - Six Focus Areas decided upon
 - One is Materials Management and Waste.
 - April is Community Engagement month
 - Next few months, goals and strategies selection
 - Goal for City Council adoption and release of plan in 2022
- Andy Berg leaving Environmental Division and is now the new City Engineer

3. Recycling Industry Report – Shannon Dwire

- Markets
 - Overall demand is increasing for all material
 - Export is good
 - Freight and shipping availability/cost continues to be the biggest limiting factor
- Material/Contamination
 - Haulers are bringing in good clean material

4. Solid Waste Industry Report – Cindy Neuroth

- No Report

5. Citizen Representative Report – Barbara Hamer

- No Report

6. County Reports

- Lake
 - No Report
- Lincoln
 - No Report
- McCook

- No Report
- Minnehaha
 - No Report
- Turner
 - No Report

New Business

1. 2021 Initiatives

- Discussion on licenses capping ongoing
 - Will include a new license for City of Sioux Falls haulers in addition to landfill license
 - Ordinance change required
 - Will continue to work through process after meeting with City Council in May

Public Input

- No public input

Adjournment

A motion was made by Greg Bertsch and seconded by Doug Swenson to adjourn the meeting at 6:07 pm

Vote to approve: Yeses, Neuroth, Swenson, Edman, Hamer, Hanson, Kuper, Sauby, Dwire, Berg, Bertsch, Meier. 10. Noes, 0. Abstains, 0. **Motion passed.**