

Minutes of Solid Waste Task Force Meeting September, 15, 2022

Meeting was called to order. Ron Graettinger was the chairman, Aletha King the secretary.

Present were: Mike Flaherty, Marilyn Schutz, Ron Larson, Nick Heiman, April Green, Carmen Moser, Robin Jamison, Ron Graettinger, Linus Solberg and Aletha King. Harry Bormann was one the phone to make a quorum for the vote.

Much discussion was held in regards to the proposed contract with Shamrock Recycling. Items brought forward were the 7 year length of the contract, any other options available to the County for recycling, the dumping fees for the roll-offs on 17th Street in Emmetsburg and what other counties are paying to meet the requirement to reduce waste going to the Landfill.

Other discussion was about getting the recycling trailers hauled and dumped with the hours that Shamrock currently offers. Shamrock has offered to accommodate the Transfer Station employees other times other than Tuesday and Friday afternoon. We will try to get something in writing with Shamrock as to a better schedule and times.

Nick and April were present to discuss the recycling trailer that Ayrshire owns. The trailer has become a problem with being able to get it dumped at Shamrock Recycling. They agreed to keep ownership of the trailer and the county employees at the Transfer Station will be in charge of dumping it. Aletha will meet with Anna and get recycling information to her for the Ayrshire residents.

Mike made a motion accept the contract with Shamrock Recycling. Second by Ron. Motion carried with all ayes. Motion by Linus to adjourn. Second by Ron. Aletha King....secretary