

**Bonner County Solid Waste Advisory Committee  
Meeting Minutes**

**Monday, December 9, 2019, 9:00 A.M.**

Third Floor, Bonner County Administration Building  
1500 Hwy 2, Ste. 338, Sandpoint, Idaho

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Members present: Bob Howard, Melissa Libbers, Sandi Hampton, Dave Gebhardt, Dawn Schatz & Sherrel Rhys**

**Others Present: Commissioner McDonald**

1. Approval of SWAC Meeting Minutes

-Dawn made a motion to approve the previous SWAC Meeting minutes from 9/9/2019. Sandi seconded the motion. All in favor. The motion passed.

2. Public Comment to the Board - None

3. Business – Action Items/Discussion – Decision – Recommendation

-Old

-Single Stream

-Suggestion of a \$45 sticker fee

-Discussion of other avenue possibilities for recycling

-Discussion of contamination levels

-Discussion of making the recycling process much simpler for people to understand, leading to the potential for less mistakes

-Discussion of public outreach, possibly a survey

Sherryl made a motion to continue recycling aluminum, newspaper and cardboard and do away with single-stream recycling. Dawn seconded the motion. All in favor. The motion passed.

-Secured Loads

-Bob has spoke to Kootenai County regarding secured loads

-Discussion of current ordinance and how it could be changed, extremely hard to enforce

-Discussion of social media “reminders” of how important it is to secure your load

-Composting

-RFP suggestion

-New

-Financing Improvements

-Still looking into opportunities

-Public Meeting – Wrenco/Laclede

-Still looking for a new site, continuing abuse at the current unmanned site

-Solid Waste Fees on Additional Dwelling Units

-Melissa read a letter from a citizen regarding the fee on an additional dwelling unit

-Suggestion of having square footage dictate the percentage of the fee that needs to be paid, the language would need to be specific, need to apply every year

Dawn made a motion to create legal language with maximum square footage with a 50% reduction with an annual application process. Sherryl seconded the motion. All in favor. The motion passed.

-Miscellaneous

4. Adjournment of SWAC Meeting

Chairman Howard adjourned the meeting at 9:57 a.m.

Next Meeting January 13, 2020 at 9:00 a.m.

Clerk: Claire May

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Approved

3/9/2020

Date