

**Regular Meeting of the Burrillville Rubbish and Recycling Committee to be held Monday, June 25, 2012 at 6:37 P.M. at the Town Hall Annex, 144 Harrisville Main Street, Harrisville, RI.**

**PRESENT: Andrea Hall, Christine Mulligan and Robyn Volpini.**

**OTHERS PRESENT: None**

**MEMBERS ABSENT: Donald Blanchard was absent and Colleen Joubert and Greg Mislick were excused.**

**PUBLIC COMMENT: None**

**1. VOTED to approve the minutes of meetings held on June 25, 2012 and April 23, 2012; and dispense with the reading of said minutes.**

**Motion by Andrea Hall. Seconded by Christine Mulligan. The vote was unanimous by the three members present.**

## **2. Discussion of May recycling statistics**

**There was discussion of the importance of watching the trends now that single stream and automated will be underway. Andrea Hall stated that there was an increase in bulky items due to the fee that will be charged once automated starts.**

## **3. Discussion/action regarding an automated collection display at the Jesse Smith Library**

**Andrea Hall stated that the display had not yet been completed.**

**Leslie Mundy at the library offered to take care of it.**

#### **4. Discussion/action relative to Automated Collection transition**

##### **a) Automated Collection Demo Day**

**There was discussion of the public's positive response to the new program and how impressed the Committee members were with the Waste Management driver who demonstrated the operation of the truck. Andrea Hall stated that she gave feedback to Waste Management on the professionalism of the driver.**

##### **b) Education and Awareness campaign**

**Andrea Hall outlined the various materials to be distributed to residents, the artwork for the overflow bags and carts. All literature has been ordered. Flyers mailed to households will contain a 10% off Bagster coupon.**

**There was discussion of attendance at the Farmers' Market on July 14 to answer questions and display the carts.**

##### **c) Logistics**

**Delivery of the carts will be the week of July 24. Andrea Hall is working with local retailers to carry the overflow bags.**

#### **d) Termination of Coastal Services**

**Service seems to be getting worse. Waste Management starts July 1.**

#### **5. Review and discuss items proposed for future meetings**

**Recycling essay contest to be held by the JMS Library. Deadline for submissions is July 30.**

**EcoDepot and Shred event on August 18.**

**Farmers' Market participation.**

#### **6. VOTED to adjourn at 7:10 p.m.**

**Motion by Christine Mulligan. Seconded by Andrea Hall. The vote was unanimous by the three members present.**

**Christine Mulligan, Secretary**

**Minutes Approved**

**Date:\_\_\_\_\_**