

MINUTES OF THE YOLO COUNTY WASTE ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING OF February 23, 2017

John Geisler called the February 23, 2017 meeting to order at 3:30 p.m. Those present were:

Members:

John Geisler, Michael McDonald, Paulina Benner, Roberta Childers,

Richard Tsai, Carol Scianna and Larry Fisher

Staff:

Linda Sinderson - Yolo County DCS, DIWM

Guests:

Jennifer Gilbert – Conservation Coordinator for City of Davis

Reyna Pinon – City of Woodland Dorthy Pritchard – BOS Yolo County Dagoberto Fierros – City of Winters David Powell – Yolo County Resident

Sue Vang - UC Davis

Introduction

Introductions were made around the room.

Public Comment

None

Consent Agenda

1. Approve Meeting Minute

Any changes to our last minutes – No Approved – Yes

2. Approve 2017 Meeting Calendar

Calendar was reviewed with no comments from those attending

Regular Agenda

3. Election of 2017 Chair and Vice Chair

MOTION: Robertas Childers nominated Richard Tsai for Committee Chair.

Paulina Benner seconded the nomination.

DISCUSSION: None

MOTION: Passed

MOTION: Carol Scianna nominated herself for Committee Vice Chair.

Larry Fisher seconded the nomination.

DISCUSSION: None

MOTION: Passed

4. Member Updates

Yolo County - Linda Sinderson

• A lot is going on right now. I don't have any updates at this time to report.

City of Davis - Richard Tsai

 City received \$197k from CalRecycle to update the downtown Davis recycling containers. The existing concrete ones will be removed and reused elsewhere in the city.

Davis is offering 8 workshops in April; they cover a variety of environmental topics.

City of West Sacramento – Paulina Benner

 The City is updating municipal code so that we may require a hauling permit for businesses that haul organic waste and recyclables in the City.

City of Winters - Carol Scianna

• The Winters schools are doing an E-waste event on 2/25 as a fundraiser.

City of Woodland - Roberta Childers

Nothing to report

UC Davis - Sue Vang

- UCD Campus Center for the Environment is hosting a backyard composting workshop on March 11.
- UCD is piloting a solar compactor on campus to collect compost outdoors this spring.

5. MAC (Meeting of Area Coordinators) Update - Linda:

- Upcoming filter exchange. I don't have the dates right now.
- Jennifer Gilbert Our CalRecycle oil grant manager is withholding approvals of our filter exchange event until we can confirm with Autozone that they will participate. He indicated that AutoZone stores are now requiring EPA ID for each store that the filters will be collected and wanted to know if AutoZone had asked any of our jurisdictions to obtain an EPA ID for filter collection and to pay for any other related expenses. West Sac was able to confirm Autozone participation without any problem, Woodland is in the process of confirming with them.

6. Composting and C&D Issues- Linda:

- Composting: Still working on permits. After looking into the grant for the organics we found that we didn't qualify for it.
- C&D issues Linda

Question: What is going on with any rejected load?

Answer: I haven't heard of any loads being rejected at this time.

Update: Linda followed up with Jeff Keiffer, manager of the C&D facility. He explained that as of 3/1/17, no C&D loads have been rejected; however, 17 loads (about 56 tons) have been changed to low quality C&D loads. All but a couple of

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the loads were delivered by Waste Management, the remainder by Davis Waste Removal.

7. IWMD (Integrated Waste Management Division) Business Plan - Linda

• I will be going on vacation in March would everyone like to cancel the March meeting? Everyone agreed to cancel the March meeting. The business plan was passed out and those attending agreed to send any ideas to Linda by March 23.

Member Questions

Non at this time

Meeting Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned by Chairman John Geisler at 4 p.m.

Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Yolo County Waste Advisory Committee is scheduled for April 27, 2017 at 3:30 p.m. in the Conference Room of the Yolo County Central Landfill.

John Geisler, Chair Yolo County Waste Advisory Committee

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