

Hopkinton/Webster Recycling Committee

September 14, 2011

Unofficial until approved at October 12th meeting

Present: Katherine Mitchell, Bob LaPree, Mary Leadbeater, Sally Embley, Sara Crane and Denis Goddard - Selectmen's representative

Meeting called to order at 7:15pm at the Library

Minutes of the August meeting minutes approved.

Hopkinton/Webster Refuse Disposal Committee report: Sally reported that the Refuse Disposal Committee (HWRDC) voted to ask the Hopkinton BoS to install video security surveillance at the transfer station facility using funds from the Recycling Revolving Fund to finance the purchase.

Sally asked what the likelihood that Hopkinton would establish town wide curbside pick-up of trash and recyclables with a discussion among the members that concluded that it is the goal of some of the selectmen to pursue in the future.

Sally also recommended that "No Idling" signs should be posted at the TS recycling area, the issue will be brought up with the HWRDC at its next meeting.

The satellite recycling drop-off program has not been implemented and will not be pursued further this year.

Members of the committee discussed various ideas to pursue in observance of America Recycles Day coming up in November. Sara has been in contact with the Interact Club at the high school, Mary will contact the NRRA for materials.

Mary will contact some members of the school faculty to see if there has been any communication from Supt. Chamberlin regarding a district wide recycling program.

Mary also asked if there might be a vendor who could set-up a recycling program at the Hopkinton Fair.

Adjourned at 8:25pm

Next meeting October 12th at Library Local History Room.

Submitted by Bob LaPree