

Pacific County

Solid Waste Advisory Committee

January 20, 2015

10:00am

Ilwaco- Peninsula Sanitation Office

The meeting was called to order at 10:00am by Michael Spencer

Approval of the minutes from the previous meeting were motioned by Diane Carter and seconded by Anne Steele. Motion passed.

Amendments were made to the agenda.

Education programs to get the information out to the public more. Having a booth at the fair, visit schools to teach about recycling. Mainly need to get the word out and grab the community's attention. Recruit high school seniors to create a senior project on the topic of Solid Waste. Schools that currently recycle: Naselle/Long Beach/South Bend

Public Disclosure Requests (PDR's)- emails could become public. Contact Marie Guernsey if you would like more information. Online training curriculum should be completed and certificated emailed to Amanda Bennett.

Would like to work on recruiting more citizens.

HHW- working on installing an eyewash station, per the requirements of L/I.

The SWAC would like a copy of the HHW numbers report for 2014.

Maybe once a year appliance pick-up due to the decrease in numbers. DOL going to crack down on unlicensed scrappers.

Public advertising for next meeting.

Washaway Beach: The County is working with multiple agencies to get funding. Eight thousand pounds of garbage was picked up during the beach clean-up. There is also a big problem with staging garbage and squatters using the areas that are about to wash away. The County has created an Erosion Hazard Zone= no more building permits will be issued. Currently there is no help from the Federal Government.

Need to relocate the bins that are currently at Taylor Industrial park. We were told we have 45 days to move them. Raymond doesn't allow the bins within city limits possible looking into somewhere in South Bend or at 8 street park. If there is money in the budget they would like to repair the bins, possibly even paint them.

Illegal dumping is occurring at the Bay Center bins, contact the Bay Center advisory board about handling this.

Michael Spencer motioned that Dennis Hein be nominated for Chair. Seconded by Megan McNelly. Motion passed 4 yeas, 0 nays.

Diane Carter motioned that Michael Spencer be nominated for Vice Chair. Seconded by Megan McNelly. Motion passed 4 yeas. 0 nays.

No public was present for comments.

The next meeting was set for April 21st at Bay Center.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:10 by Michael Spencer.