

RECYCLING COMMITTEE
Town of Cape Elizabeth

Minutes of the Meeting of 1 September 2011

Present: John Kane, Chair, Patt Bothel, David Ernst, Peter Frye, Jamie Garvin, William Marshall, Jessica Simpson, Robert Malley, Director of Public Works
Guest: Kate Williams-Hewitt

- 1) The meeting was called to order by Chair John Kane at 7:05 p.m.
- 2) John Kane moved, seconded by Jessica Simpson, that the Minutes of the 7 July 2001 meeting be approved. Voted and passed.
- 3) As public comment, Kate Williams-Hewitt provided an overview of various recycling aspects in which she is involved, especially on the composting efforts at CEHS.

It was agreed the Recycling Ctee would send a representative to the CEHS Environmental Club which will meet on Wednesdays in Room 317 in CEHS at 2:30 p.m. beginning of Wednesday 14 September.

- 4) Bob Malley commented on the July Report which had previously been circulated/mailed.
- 5) Jessica Simpson reported on progress she has made on obtaining information from haulers re costs for performing special pickups for materials to be recycled. Jessica circulated a draft letter to be sent to condo owners. After discussion it was agreed that the condo sub-ctee would meet again on Monday 12 September at 1:00 p.m. at the Public Works Building.

6) Material had been forwarded from the State Planning Office, Waste Management and Recycling Program, regarding celebrating 25 years of recycling in Maine to be held 8 to 15 November statewide.

Bob Malley will work with Community Services to plan for this recognition in Cape Elizabeth. A suggestions was made regarding the possibility of having students paint another silver bullet for display.

7) No Courier articles or other possible outreach opportunities were suggested.

8) Bob Malley reported that he and Mike McGovern had met with Steve Ballou and Jo DiPofi of CLYNK on 17 August. They discussed the CLYNK business model and how it could be an option for servicing the Bottle Redemption Building at the Recycling Center. Mike has taken their proposal under advisement for the time being as it pertains to fundraising opportunities for booster clubs in general, which he will discuss with Meredith Nadeau, the new Superintendent. Bob also noted that any change in the third party servicing of the Bottle Redemption Building would most likely be done using a Request for Proposals process. (Preceding paragraph courtesy of Bob Malley.)

9) There was no additional public comment.
The meeting was adjourned at 9:50 p.m.

These Minutes were approved at the 6 October 2011 meeting of the Committee.

Respectfully submitted,
W. H. Marshall

