

SOLID WASTE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES
June 6, 2018

SWAC MEMBERS

Sara Ducey, Chair
Mark Freedman
Linda Andrews

Kelly Doordan, Vice Chair
Mark Symborski
Jamie Andrews

Carol Jones
Sara Bixby
Sue Bumpous

Absent: Robert Brown

David Winstead

Heidi Lovett

Vacancies: 4

COUNTY STAFF - DSWS

Willie Wainer – Division Chief, Liaison

GUESTS

Bruce Howie - HDR
Christine Roarke - HDR
Jeff Martirano – HDR
John Meyer – MCPS
Richard Benjamin - MCPS

Richard Benjamin, SERT Program Manager - MCPS
John Meyer, SERT Recycling Manager - MCPS

The regular meeting of the Solid Waste Advisory Committee (SWAC) was called to order by the Chair at 5:30 PM on June 6, 2018 in the 6th Floor Conference Room at the Executive Office Building (EOB).
Introductions – around the table.

MAJOR PROGRAM PRESENTATION

Montgomery County Public School - Recycling Review - Richard and John provided the committee a detailed review of the County School System's energy and recycling program. The program includes: outreach and communication through contests and assemblies as well as many other tools to educate and shape our student's understanding of how they can have a positive impact on the environment. They also shared the results over the last 12 years that demonstrate a decrease in waste with a corresponding increase in enrollment.

HDR Report on Integrated Waste System Strategic Plan (IWSSP):

Willie on the process of the Master Plan Development. Plan is a 14-month effort (access, analyze, recommend). Howie/Christine reviewed the presentation.

Financial assumptions (capital budget). No limits on current effort. This will be a 25 year look ahead. We will review feasibility once plan is developed. Must fit into future.

Criteria for evaluation will include environmental impact, sustainability, health and other impacts. Weighting will be applied with discussion.

There is a lot of Stakeholder involvement in the effort. Many folks involved in the process. Information to be drawn from multiple sources. SWAC will be involved.

OLD BUSINESS

Subcommittee Reports:

No reports. Discussion on purpose and leadership of committees. Each committee will bring its chair name next meeting and discuss how it can be involved in the long-term plan development.

Budget – July 11th meeting. Location in SS? 5:30

Organic – phone call: time line for comments back to county by September. Linda to reach to PG on their facility. Kelly looking at procurement and distribution of material. Carol looking at capacity generation. Another phone call coming

Jamie will represent SWAC at this quarter's DAFIG meeting.

Membership Status: We now have 4 openings. 3 folks have applied. We have names to consider. Interviews and interviewers to be set up this month.

Legislative Concern: no discussion

NEW BUSINESS

No new business discussed

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

ADJOURN

Meeting was adjourned at 7:34. The next meeting is set for September 5, 5:30 PM, in the 6th Floor Conference Room at the Executive Office Building (EOB).

Doodle pole for June/July meeting of the subcommittees, searching for available dates.

ACRONYMS

CC	County Council	CE	County Executive
CNG	Compressed Natural Gas	CPI	Consumer Price Index
DAFIG	Dickerson Area Facilities Implementation Group	DSWS	Division of Solid Waste Services
DEP	Department of Environmental Protection	EfW	Energy from Waste
FY	Fiscal Year	ERP	Enterprise Resource Planning
MC	Montgomery County	HHW	Household Hazardous Waste
MES	Maryland Environmental Services	LF	Landfill
OCC	Old Corrugated Containers (cardboard)	MML	Maryland Municipal League
SCA	Sugarloaf Community Association	RRF	Resource Recovery Facility
SWAC	Solid Waste Advisory Committee	TPD	Tons per Day