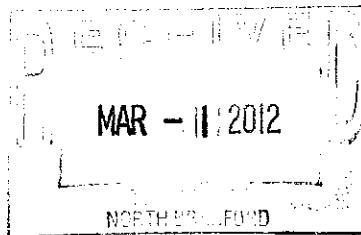


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Agenda Minutes

Hazardous Waste/Recycling Committee
Thursday, February 9, 2012
Town Manager's Conference Room

1. Call To Order

Present: Mary Bigelow, Thomas Scelfo, Elizabeth Boissard, Deb Anderson, David Bowen ,
Nancy Ciancuilli, Hank Petroskey and Art Feldman

Absent: Donna Cordone

Guests: Town Manager, Richard Branigan

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. **Approval of Minutes** – January 12, 2012 – Hank Petroskey made a motion to approve the minutes of January 12, 2012; with a few changes; seconded by Art Feldman; all were in favor; Dave Bowen abstain.

4. **Correspondence** – Resource Recycle Magazine, P2View Magazine, Connecticut Department & Energy letter from Robert Isner and Got Books Fundraising Newsletter.

5. **Report from Town Manager** – Town Manager mentioned Solid Waste Sub-Committee met in January. Covanti is a big player in the Solid Waste industry and the Solid Waste Committee met with the folks from Covanti, the folks wanted the town to sign up at that very moment. Town is still reviewing different options and no decision has been made as of yet. The Town is looking into different options for the Town's website nothing has been decided as of yet and will pass information as it is received. The committee asked Town Manager about purchasing a sign for the Recycling Center and Town Manager approved the money for the new sign, the cost is approximately \$150. Art Feldman is working with New Haven Sign.

6. Sub-Committee Reports

- *School Liaison* – The Environmental Club will be having a Science Fair for Earth Day instead of a Recycling Fashion Show. It was discussed to see if anyone from Bozzuto's would like to attend or help out with the fair. (Gina will contact the Bozzuto's and they will call Hank directly).

- *Public Relations & Video presentations* – Art Feldman – Suggested having a Question and Answer show regarding trash and recycling will be held on the Totoket Cable channel.

- *Welcome Kit* – Liz Boissard – Sent out 4 cards this month. Liz mentioned in the beginning of March she will contact volunteers for the Leave drop off center.

- *Answering Machine Info* – Deb Anderson – Answering machine is up and running .

- *Containers for Phone Books, Goodwill Box and Book Container* – Dave Bowen – "Got Books" container still needs to be emptied.



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- *Publicity & Articles* – Nancy Cianciulli & Donna Cordone – Nancy mentioned they will do an article regarding E-Waste in April and how the commission are still looking for volunteers for this committee.

- *Report to Town Council* – None

- *Report on February 4, 2012 Recyclable Collection* – There was 47 people for the recyclable collection, \$3.00 was collected for propane tank and two (2) cards for recycle bins were collected.

- *Solid Waste Committee* – Tom Scelfo – Town Manager covered this during his report.

- *Earth Day* – Art Feldman – will contact the Environmental Club regarding the Science Fair and see if this committee can help with the Fair.

7. Other Business:

- Appointments – Mary will contact Joanne Wentworth to have reappointments updated.

- Volunteers March 3, 2012 Recyclables Collection – Dave Bowen and Art Feldman will be the volunteers.

- Discussion on Sub-Committees reorganizations – will discuss at March meeting.

- Budget discussion – Discussed with Town Manager who has approved the sign and the money. Sample of the sign is attached with some corrections (attachment 1). Designed by Art Feldman.

- Mission Statement – With a few changes the committee has a Mission Statement thanks to Nancy..

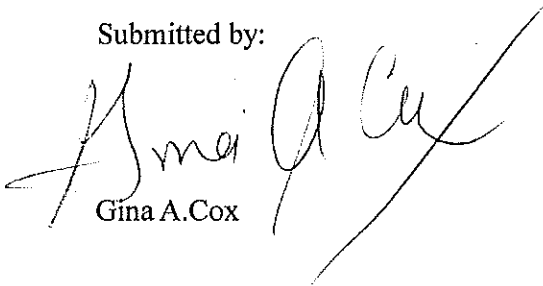
- Education material for teachers – Mary asked for some ideas for the next meeting.

8. Miscellaneous – Mary mentioned displaying the HazCentral sign at the Libraries and the Science Fair. Mary also mentioned Tom Burns was hired at the Regional Water Authority to assist Lori Vitagliano with Haz/Waste.

9. Citizen's Statement - None

10. Adjournment – Art Feldman made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:45 p.m., seconded by Liz Boissard; all were in favor.

Submitted by:



Gina A. Cox

North Branford Recycling Center

North Branford Residents Only

Open the First Saturday of Every Month – 9 AM to Noon
(Except the Second Saturday in August & September)

We recycle at this location:

- Paper and Paperboard

Restrictions listed below

- Propane and Helium Tanks

Charge for small propane tanks & helium tanks

- Rechargeable Batteries

- Cell Phones

- Books, Phone Books, Clothing, Etc.

Three Special Bins:

1 - Donate Books (Got Books) Bin

- Books – Hard Cover & Paperback
(No Encyclopedias)
- DVD's & CD's
- Audio Books
- Records

2 - Phone Books in "Phone Books Only" Bin

3 - Easter Seals – Goodwill Bin

- Clothing
- Shoes

- Limited Hazardous Materials

Motor Oil & Vehicle Batteries ONLY

Adjacent to the Bins - Special Hours:

Monday to Friday 8 AM to 2:30 PM

(Summer Hours: 7:30 AM to 2 PM)

ONLY when the Town Garage is open

Paper and Paperboard Restrictions

Acceptable

- Magazines
- Catalogs
- Office and School Paper
- Fax & Other Thermal Paper
- Junk Mail
- Envelopes - Windows OK
- Computer Paper
- Food Boxes With Liners Removed
- Corrugated Paperboard
- Books – You Must Use the "Donate Books" Dumpster
- Phone Books – You Must Use the "Phone Books Only" Dumpster

We DO NOT Accept:

- Food Boxes With Liners
- Cushioned Mailing Envelopes
- Carbon Paper
- Foil Laminated Paper
- Metallic Paper

Electronics Waste ^{NO CHARGE} Note: 4 collection dates per year

For dates, times and acceptable items:

- Visit the Hazardous Waste & Recycling page on the North Branford Town Website: TownOfNorthBranfordCt.com/town_services.htm
- Or call the Recycling Hotline 203-484-4091

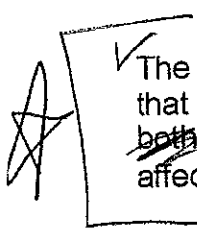
Next Electronics Waste Collection Date

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Nancy

From: "Nancy" <pepc0142@comcast.net>
Date: Thursday, February 09, 2012 4:26 PM
To: "Nancy" <pepc0142@comcast.net>
Subject: mission statement

The Recycling Committee's Mission is to provide the Town Of North Branford Ct. with convenient and cost effective waste reduction and recycling programs, and to promote environmental sustainability and preservation.



Waste
The mission of the Recycling Committee is to recommend, develop, and facilitate programs that will encourage recycling and waste reduction among our residents. Our goal is to have ~~both the residential and commercial~~ community conscious of recycling and related issues that affect the quality of life in North Branford Ct.

safe disposal

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Nancy

And educational communities