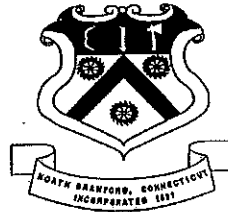


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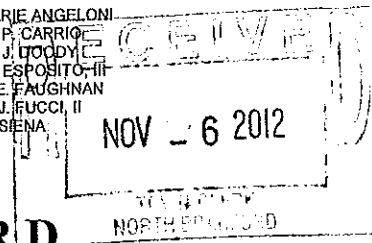
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Agenda Minutes
HAZARDOUS WASTE/RECYCLING COMMITTEE
Thursday, October 11, 2012
Town Hall - 7:30 p.m.

Members Present: Mary Bigelow, Thomas Scelfo, Elizabeth Boissard, Hank Petroskey, Donna Cordone, Deborah Anderson, Art Feldman and Nancy Cianciulli

Members Absent: David Bowen, Michael Martin, Abbie Walston and Michelle Knockwood

Guest: Debra Ferrara

- 1) **Call to Order**
The discussion started at 7:35 p.m. by Chairperson Mary Bigelow.
- 2) **Pledge of Allegiance**
The Committee faced the flag and recited the Pledge of Allegiance.
- 3) **Speaker- John Bozzuto**
Andy Bozzuto was unable to attend this month's meeting.
Tom Scelfo suggested when Andy Bozzuto attends a meeting, this committee should have a list questions for him.
- 4) **Approval of Minutes of September 13, 2012** Art Feldman made a motion to approve the minutes of September 13, 2012; seconded by Debbie Anderson; all were in favor.
- 5) **Correspondence**
 - We recycle.
 - Ifixit information
 - Ask Eartha on Shingles
 - P2View Pollution Prevention
- 6) **Report from Purchasing Assistant Michelle Knockwood: None**



7) Sub-Committee Reports:

School Liaison – Hank Petroskey– Hank heard Andrew Bozzuto met with the schools to discuss food waste and what he can do to help educate the schools; Hank mentioned he wished he was invited to this meeting.

Public Relations & Video presentations – Art Feldman – Gina has been unavailable but he will try to track her down to determine the most frequently asked questions about recycling and hazardous waste so our committee can make a question and answer video. He has contacted the Cable Access with updates from our committee about events. Art was on the John DeCosten radio station; he spoke on air about North Branford's recycling and our goals.

Website is still a problem. Art has gone through about half but still needs serious revision and updates.

Welcome Kit- Elizabeth Boissard- Liz reported that she sent out 10 cards for September. We will continue to send cards until November 3, 2012.

Answering Machine Information – Deborah Anderson – Deb said she updated the message.

Bin Row Containers – David Bowen – Nothing to report.

Publicity & Articles – Donna & Nancy – Donna continues to send press releases to The Totoket Times, The Sound and Patch.com.

Report Town Council – none

Report on October 6, 2012 Recyclables Collection-
77 cars for e-waste, 17 people for paper, 7 propane tanks; collected \$7
4 cards collection for recycling bins, 2 rechargeable batteries.

Solid Waste Contract – *Nothing to report*

Leaf start up – Liz has started contacting organizations for volunteers. There are time still available for the leaf drop off center.


8) Other Business:

- **Status regarding future appointments** Debbi Ferraro is interested in joining Mary asked her to give her a resume. Michael Martin was appointed to Hazardous Waste/Recycling Committee at the 10/16/12 Town Council Meeting.
- **Volunteers for November 3, 2012 Recyclables Collection**
Deb and Art volunteered.
- **SWAC Meeting Report:** Enforceable recycling for commercial/multi-family should be a priority but this town doesn't do that now; we need an enforceable officer, but no money in the budget.
The town sends out letter but that is not enough. City of New Haven is cracking down on this, that town has the resources. Schools are a big issue, in lot of towns. By March there should be a plan in place for latex paint.
- **Recycling Card Update:** Will discuss after meeting with Andrew Bozzuto, the card will have lot of changes.

9) Miscellaneous: Nothing

10) Citizen's Statement none

11) Adjournment: There being no further business, Tom made a motion to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Liz. The meeting was adjourned at 8:458 p.m.



Gina A. Cox, Recording Secretary
Hazardous Waste/Recycling Committee