The Mahaska County Solid Waste Management Commission will meet in regular session after the Commission and the public is notified.

Joe Farris, Landfill Manager

WHERE: Mahaska County Courthouse, 3rd Floor

WHEN: Thursday, January 9, 2025

TIME: 6:30 P.M.

Deletions and re-ordering of the agenda

Public Comment

Roll Call

Ronda Almond, Chair

Approval of the minutes for the December 12, 2024 regular meeting

Election of Officers and Committees

Bills

Financials (Profit and Loss – Balance Sheet)

New Business

- Mahaska County Solid Waste FY 23-24 Audit (Alex Barr Anderson, Larkin & Co.)
- 2025 Holiday Schedule

Old Business

Update on Liquid Waste Program

Committee Reports

- Executive
- Finance
- Personnel
- Equipment/Landfill
- Recycle

Landfill Managers Report



Ronda Almond, Chair

Joe Farris, Landfill Manager

Meeting Minutes of the Mahaska County Solid Waste Management Commission Meeting

Date: December 12, 2024

Time: 6:30 PM

Location: In-person meeting

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 PM after due notice had been given to all members of the Commission and the public.

Approval of Agenda

Motion to approve the agenda was made by Groenendyk, seconded by Greenlee. The motion passed unanimously.

Public Comment

None.

Roll Call

Present: Alan DeBruin, Eric Dursky, Tom German, Doug Greenlee, Mark Groenendyk, Russ Hammes, Dave Krutzfeldt, Steve Phillips, Ron Terpstra, Richard Thomas, Henry VanRoekel.

Absent: Ronda Almond, Jake Dannels, Jeff Innis, Barb DeGeest, George Toubekis, Janet VanderBeek, Randy Veldhuizen.

Others Present: Deb Danley, Joe Farris (Landfill).

Approval of Minutes

Motion to approve the minutes of the November 14, 2024, meeting was made by Greenlee, seconded by Hammes. The motion passed unanimously.

Approval of Bills

Motion to approve the bills was made by Hammes, seconded by German. The motion passed unanimously.

Approval of Financial Reports

Motion to approve the financial reports was made by Krutzfeldt, seconded by Phillips. The motion passed unanimously.



New Business

Ziegler Caterpillar D6T Undercarriage Replacement

Motion to approve the replacement was made by DeBruin, seconded by Terpstra. The motion passed unanimously.

Landfill Alternative Daily Cover Tarps

Motion to approve the purchase of an extra tarp was made by Phillips, seconded by DeBruin. The motion passed unanimously.

Maintenance Shop Roof Sealing/Coating

Motion to approve the lowest bid was made by German, seconded by Greenlee. The motion passed unanimously.

Old Business

Terms and Conditions from Alliant Energy / Update on Liquid Waste Program

Initial Motion:

The motion to approve the signing of the terms and conditions from Alliant Energy was made by Phillips, seconded by DeBruin.

Motion to Table:

Motion to table the decision to approve the terms and conditions from Alliant Energy was moved by Dursky, seconded by Groenendyk.

A show of hands vote was requested by Krutzfeldt.

Vote Results:

In Favor of Tabling: 4 Opposed to Tabling: 5

Outcome:

The motion to approve the signing of the terms and conditions passed by vote.

Committee Reports

Executive: None

Finance: CDs were renewed at Leighton State Bank from Midwest One.

Personnel: None

Equipment/Landfill: None

Recycle: Joe is still investigating options for textile recycling.



Landfill Manager's Report

DEA Inspection-The anticipated date to receive material if accepted is Mid-March or later.

Financial Audit

Delayed until January. The three-year contract is up this year.

Leachate

We have been constantly hauling Leachate.

Emergency Response Plan

Joe is working with Josh Stevens on an Emergency Response Plan.

Christmas Hours

We will have shortened hours on Christmas Eve (7:00-11:45 AM), closed on Christmas Day, and back to normal hours on Saturday.

Adjournment

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:47 PM was made by Groenendyk, seconded by German. The motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted by Deb Danley.