

MINUTES WASTE MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Tuesday January 21, 2014
3:00 p.m.
Central Composting Facility Boardroom
Resource Recovery Centre
1579 Burlington Street East, Hamilton

Present: Chair: Councillor Maria Pearson

Vice-Chair: Councillor Judi Partridge Members: Councillor Russ Powers

Kevin Hunt

Absent with

Regrets: Peter Hargreave

Also Present: Robert Norman, Director of Strategic Planning

Angela Storey, Manager of Business Services

Emil Prpic, Manager of Recycling and Waste Disposal

Andrew Grice, Manager of Policy and Programs Joel McCormick, Supervisor of Waste Processing

Kathryn Holloway, Policy Program Analyst

1. CHANGES TO THE AGENDA

Minor formatting changes made to the agenda in advance of the meeting were approved.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None to declare.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

3.1 That the minutes of the October 8, 2013 meeting of the Waste Management Advisory Committee be approved as amended.

PARTRIDGE/POWERS

CARRIED

4. CONSENT ITEMS

There were no consent items.

5. PRESENTATIONS

5.1 Multi-Residential, Commercial Green Cart Implementation Update

Councillor Powers requested that staff prepare a list of non-compliant buildings and send a courtesy notice to Ward Councillors whose constituents are included. This item is to be brought to the next meeting.

Councillor Powers requested that a cost/benefit analysis be done to determine if the City should collect green cart and blue box materials from nursing homes (institutional properties deemed ineligible as per By-Law 09-067). Staff will follow up on this request at a future meeting.

Motion to receive the Multi-Residential, Commercial Green Cart Implementation Update.

POWERS/HUNT CARRIED

5.2 2014-2015 Garbage and Recycling Guide

The committee reviewed the draft guide and offered comments and changes.

Motion to receive comments on the guide.

POWERS/HUNT CARRIED

6. DISCUSSION ITEMS

6.1 Approval of the Terms of Reference

Motion to approve as amended.

HUNT/POWERS CARRIED

- 6.2 Regional Public Works Commissioners of Ontario (RPWCO) Waste Sub-Committee Update
- 6.3 Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC)

Motion to receive MPAC Update and to combine items 6.1 and 6.2 in future meetings

POWERS/HUNT CARRIED

6.4 Dundas Reusearama

Motion to host the event in 2014 to gauge success and determine whether the event should be adopted annually.

POWERS/HUNT CARRIED

7. GENERAL INFORMATION & OTHER BUSINESS

7.1 Stewardship Ontario Plastics Campaign Advertising

Motion to receive information on Stewardship Ontario campaign POWERS/PARTRIDGE CARRIED

7.2 Clean Fill Materials

Motion to receive information on the disposal of clean fill materials PARTRIDGE/POWERS CARRIED

7.3 Mini Bin Contract

It was requested that staff investigate the mini-bin contract to determine the possibility of switching to a better option without additional financial costs.

8. ADJOURNMENT

That, there being no further business, the meeting be adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

POWERS/HUNT CARRIED

Copies to: Councillor Judi Partridge

Councillor Maria Pearson Councillor Russ Powers

Kevin Hunt Peter Hargreave

Gerry Davis, General Manager of Public Works

John Mater, Director of Corporate Assets and Strategic Planning

Rob Norman, Director of Strategic Planning

Craig Murdoch, Director of Environmental Services Andrew Grice, Manager of Policy and Programs