

WILLISTOWN RECYCLING COMMISSION MEEETING

APRIL 16, 2013

Attendees: Mark Bem, Brian St. Clair, Karl Malessa, Ken Lehr and Jim Tate

- I. Old business: Hauler Notification letter and Commercial Accounts Letter are still unfinished business. The purpose of these letters is to restate the regulations of the township that each business must follow.
- II. Updating of the township's recycling ordinance is underway. About 75% of the Terms and Definitions' section was presented in draft form by JT. Each member of the commission is to review the draft copy and make any recommendations it deems worthwhile prior to the next RC meeting on May 14th.
- III. The annual Spring recycling event was a success. eForce, our electronics recycler, packed and removed 18.169 tons, a significant increase over 2012 (13.88 tons). Attendance was steady throughout the day. There were very few surges of residents driving onto the site to drop off materials. Charges from eForce amounted to \$158.00 for fluorescent bulb recycling. As of 4/22, we do not have a statement from CSR, our metal recycler.
- IV. May events reminder. On May 11th, tree limbs and branches will be chipped on the 688 Sugartown site and documents will be shredded on St. Francis in the Fields church site at 689 Sugartown. Attention RC members. How many can work to direct traffic on that day at either site? Please advise JT ASAP.
- V. MB reminded the commission that PADEP's 902 grant round is open until May 31st. JT will discuss types of recycling equipment the township could use with Bill Hagan, PW Director. Bill is familiar with this grant program.
- VI. Next meeting: May 14th, 7PM, 40 Lloyd Ave.

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Chairman
Recycling Commission