

**ACCOMACK COUNTY SOLID WASTE COMMITTEE MEETING**  
**August 9, 2023**

The Accomack County Solid Waste Committee met in the Public Works & Facilities Office on Wednesday, August 9, 2023 at 4:00 p.m.

**Members Present:**      **Committee Chairman Ron Wolff- Accomack County Board of Supervisors**  
**Honorable Robert Crockett- Accomack County Board of Supervisors**  
**Marilyn Ailes- Waste Watchers**  
**Terre Hendricks – Waste Watchers**  
**Michael Smith**

**Member Absent:**      **Barry Brooks**

**Others Present:**      **Stewart Hall -Deputy County Administrator- Public Works & Facilities**  
**Greg Duncan - Deputy Director of Solid Waste**  
**Trystan Wagner - Recycling & Litter Control Specialist**  
**Dawn McGuire- Departmental Administrative Coordinator**  
**Monty Pugh – Retired citizen**

**Call to Order**

Chairman Ron Wolff called the meeting to order with introductions.

**Consideration of Minutes – May 10, 2023**

The Honorable Robert Crockett made a motion to accept the May 10, 2023 minutes. Marilyn Ailes seconded the motion. The motion was carried with Barry absent from the meeting.

The vote on the motion: ALL Ayes

**Old Business & Updates**

Stewart stated for 15 years we had Tidewater Fiber Corporation to do our single-stream recycling service, however; they gave us a 30-day notice that they were ceasing their operations on the Shore. He also stated that we did find a hauling company in Salisbury, Maryland to partner with for the time being. Michael asked the question - do we know what percentage of recycling is being recycled. Stewart responded by saying that it has been as high as 50 percent. A lengthy discussion ensued.

Stewart stated we have five people to interview as far as the Roadside Litter team. A discussion ensued.

Greg stated we have done ½ ton of pick up with the litter vacuum. He said that we only have two employees available for roadside litter. He also stated that there are not enough people available to do what we really want to do. The Honorable Robert Crockett stated to the new members that this was why we want a 5 member dedicated litter team. A discussion ensued.

Greg stated that we are in the process of getting glass recycling cans made and that they will be purple in color. When the program starts, the County will be transporting the full cans to the glass company. Chairman Ron Wolff asked if the containers will be placed at all of the convenience centers. Greg replied that initially they will not be placed at all of the convenience centers, they will be placed at the Fisher's Corner Convenience center first. A discussion ensued.

**New Business**

Stewart stated that the Solid Waste Management Plan is a document that covers all of how solid waste is handled in the County and the Plan is required by DEQ. He also stated that the Plan is supposed to be updated every five years. Monty Pugh volunteered to assist, as he is able, with the next update. A lengthy discussion ensued.

**Other**

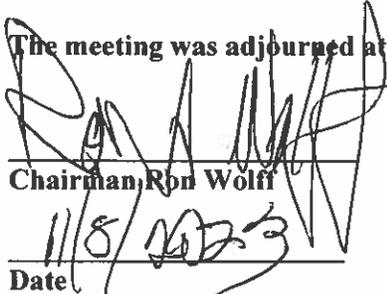
Chairman Ron Wolff stated that Tom Willett is the Code Enforcement Officer for the County if you need to call him regarding litter. The Honorable Robert Crockett stated that you just call the office and they will do a call for service. A discussion ensued.

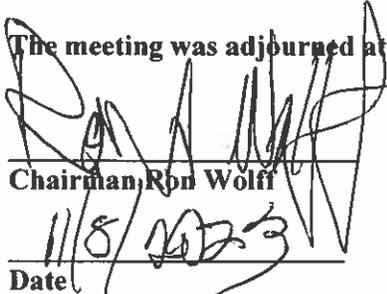
**Adjournment**

The Honorable Robert Crockett made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Michael Smith seconded the motion. The motion was carried with Barry Brooks absent from the meeting.

The vote on the motion: ALL Ayes

The meeting was adjourned at 5:04 p.m.

  
Chairman Ron Wolff

  
Date