

Allegan County Solid Waste Planning Committee (SWPC)



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Garth Llewellyn, Chairman
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Coordinator

SOLID WASTE PLANNING COMMITTEE – AGENDA

Vacant
Solid Waste Industry
Representative

Tuesday, May 23, 2023 – 6:00 PM

Zimmerman Room, Human Services Building, 3255 122nd Avenue, Allegan

William Walker
General Public
Representative

CALL TO ORDER:

ROLL CALL:

Vacant
Township
Representative

COMMUNICATIONS: EGLE letter re: Westshore and EGLE sent an email with a link to a survey to local units re: what recycling services/management infrastructure are provided in their jurisdictions.

Vacant
Industrial Waste
Generator
Representative

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:

APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

PRESENTATIONS: None

David Redding
City Government
Representative

ACTION ITEMS:

Denise Webster
General Public
Representative

- a. No Action

Garth Llewellyn
General Public
Representative

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

Gale Dugan
County
Commissioner

- b. Legislative Update re: Solid Waste Plan
 - i. EGLE has not provided a letter to Allegan County regarding updating the Solid Waste Plan.
- c. Do SWOT analysis on 3 options on planning (attachment in packet)
 - i. Regional planning using a consultant
 - ii. SWPC Sub-Workgroup
 - iii. SWPC using a consultant
(Resource Recovery Coordinator is funded thru Participating Governmental Units so that time can not
- d. Review funding structures for new members (attachment in packet)
- e. Resource Recovery Coordinator's Report
- f. Reimbursement Process (attachments in packet)

Jack Brown
Solid Waste Industry
Representative

Daniel DeFranco
Environmental
Representative

Randy Rapp
Environmental
Representative

Matt Rosser
Solid Waste Industry
Representative

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:

ROUND TABLE:

ADJOURNMENT:

NEXT MEETING: August 22, 2023 @ 6:00 PM.

Vacant
Regional Solid Waste
Planning
Representative

Vacant
Solid Waste Industry
Representative

Mission Statement

"Allegan County shall plan, develop and evaluate the necessary policies and resources to ensure our county continues to progress and prosper"



GRETCHEN WHITMER
GOVERNOR

STATE OF MICHIGAN
DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENT, GREAT LAKES, AND ENERGY
KALAMAZOO DISTRICT OFFICE



DANIEL EICHINGER
ACTING DIRECTOR

March 23, 2023

VIA EMAIL

Justin Obermeyer, Environmental Manager
Westshore Recycling and Transfer Station
4376 60th Street
Holland, Michigan 49423

Dear Justin Obermeyer:

SUBJECT: Westshore Recycling and Transfer Station Operating License - Administratively Complete Application (WDS 474845), Allegan County

The Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE), Materials Management Division (MMD), acknowledges the receipt of your administratively complete, but technically unevaluated, operating license application for the Westshore Recycling and Transfer Station located in Laketown Township, Allegan County. The administrative completeness review was performed pursuant to the requirements of Part 13, Permits, and Part 115, Solid Waste Management, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended. The application was determined to be administratively complete on March 23, 2023.

As a result of this application being considered administratively complete, the 90-day processing period under Part 13 review deadline for this application has started. Consequently, the 90-day deadline for the MMD's decision on this application is June 20, 2023. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Dania Alsaïd, Environmental Engineer, EGLE, MMD, Kalamazoo District, at 269-391-3092, or you may contact me.

Sincerely,

Fred L. Sellers
Kalamazoo District Supervisor
Materials Management Division
269-569-1476

cc: Laketown Township Clerk
Allegan County Health Department
Rhonda Oyer, EGLE-Lansing
Jeff Spencer, EGLE-Lansing
Jim Arduin, EGLE- Lansing
Dania Alsaïd, EGLE-Kalamazoo
Nathan Whitmyer, EGLE-Kalamazoo



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STATE OF MICHIGAN
DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENT, GREAT LAKES, AND ENERGY
LANSING



AARON B. KEATLEY
ACTING DIRECTOR

May 18, 2023

Tom Mahoney, General Manager
Allied Waste Systems, Inc.
4376 60th Street
Holland, Michigan 49423

Dear Tom Mahoney:

SUBJECT: Application for Solid Waste Disposal Area Operating License; Westshore Recycling and Transfer Station, LLC; Waste Data System Number 474845; License Number 9705

Staff of the Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE), Materials Management Division (MMD), has reviewed your application for Westshore Recycling and Transfer Station, located at 4376 60th Street, Holland, Allegan County, Michigan. This review was conducted under the provisions of Part 115, Solid Waste Management, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended.

Based upon our review of your application, your operating license is hereby granted. Enclosed is your license.

Should you require further information, please contact Fred Sellers, Kalamazoo District Supervisor, MMD, at 269-569-1476; sellersf@michigan.gov; or EGLE, 7953 Adobe Road, Kalamazoo, Michigan 49009.

Sincerely,

Rhonda S. Oyer, Manager
Solid Waste Section
Materials Management Division
517-897-1395

Enclosure

cc: Allegan County Health Department
Laketown Township Clerk
Fred Sellers/Dania Alsaïd/Nathan Whitmyer, EGLE – Kalamazoo
Facility File



MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, GREAT LAKES, AND ENERGY

MATERIALS MANAGEMENT DIVISION
SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL AREA OPERATING LICENSE

This license is issued under the provisions of Part 115, Solid Waste Management of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended, MCL 324.11501 et seq., and authorizes the operation of this solid waste disposal area (Facility) in the state of Michigan. This license does not obviate the need to obtain other authorizations as may be required by state law.

FACILITY NAME: Westshore Recycling and Transfer Station

LICENSEE/OPERATOR: Allied Waste Systems, Inc.

FACILITY OWNER: Allied Waste Systems, Inc.

PROPERTY OWNER: Allied Waste Systems, Inc.

FACILITY TYPE(S): Solid Waste Processing and Transfer Facility

FACILITY ID NUMBER: 474845

COUNTY: Allegan

LICENSE NUMBER: 9705

ISSUE DATE: May 18, 2023

EXPIRATION DATE: May 18, 2028

FACILITY DESCRIPTION: The Westshore Recycling and Transfer Station, a solid waste processing and transfer facility, consists of 14.0 acres located at 4376 60th Street, Holland, Allegan County, Michigan, as identified in Attachment A and fully described in this license.

AREA AUTHORIZED FOR DISPOSAL OF SOLID WASTE: See Attachment A.

RESPONSIBLE PARTY: Tom Mahoney, General Manager
Allied Waste Systems, Inc.
4376 60th Street
Holland, MI 49423
(616) 662-6839

RENEWAL OPERATING LICENSE: This License Number 9705 supersedes and replaces Solid Waste Disposal Area License Number 9516 issued to Westshore Recycling and Transfer Station on April 12, 2018.

This license is subject to revocation by the Director of the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (Director) if the Director finds that this Facility is not being constructed or operated in accordance with the approved plans, the conditions of a permit or license, Part 115, or the rules promulgated under Part 115. Failure to comply with the terms and provisions of this license may result in legal action leading to civil and/or criminal penalties pursuant to Part 115. This license shall be available through the licensee during its term and remains the property of the Director.

THIS LICENSE IS NOT TRANSFERABLE.

Rhonda S. Oyer, Manager, Solid Waste Section
Materials Management Division

Licensee: Allied Waste Systems, Inc.
Facility Name: Westshore Recycling and Transfer Station
Operating License Number: 9705
Issue Date: May 18, 2023

The licensee shall comply with all terms of this license and the provisions of Part 115 and its administrative rules. This license includes the license application and any attachments to this license.

1. The licensee shall operate the Facility in a manner that will prevent violations of any state or federal law.
2. The attached map (Attachment A) shows the Facility, the area permitted for construction and/or placement and acceptance of waste, and the following, if applicable: monitoring points, leachate storage units, site roads, other disposal areas, and related appurtenances.
3. Issuance of this license is conditioned on the accuracy of the information submitted by the Operator/Applicant in the Application for License to Operate a Solid Waste Disposal Area (Application) received by EGLE on March 21, 2023, and any subsequent amendments. Any material or intentional inaccuracies found in that information is grounds for the revocation or modification of this license and may be grounds for enforcement action. The licensee shall inform EGLE's MMD Kalamazoo District Supervisor of any inaccuracies in the information in the Application upon discovery.
4. This license is issued based on EGLE's review of the Application, submitted by Justin Obermeyer, for the Westshore Recycling and Transfer Station, dated March 16, 2023 and revised April 28, 2023. The Application consists of the following:
 - a. Application Form EQP 5507.
 - b. Application fee in the amount of \$500.00.
 - c. Certification of construction by N/A.
 - d. Financial Assurance.

Financial Assurance Required:

The amount of financial assurance required for this Facility was calculated based on the requirements of Section 11523(1)(d), is indicated on the form EQP5507ACE entitled, "Form A Financial Assurance Required," and is \$20,000.00.

The Facility has provided financial assurance totaling \$20,000.00, based on the requirements of Section 11523 of Part 115. The financial assurance mechanism used by the Facility is summarized below.

The following financial assurance has been received from the licensee to meet the amount of financial assurance required:

Surety Bond	\$20,000.00
Total Amount Received:	\$20,000.00

5. The following documents approved with Construction Permit Number(s) , 4051 on May 12, 2003, are incorporated in this license by reference:

Application Binder, Westshore Recycling and Transfer Station, revised April 7, 2003.
6. The following additional documents, approved since the issuance of the construction permit(s) referenced in Item 5, are incorporated in this license by reference: N/A.
7. Consent Order/Judgment Number: N/A.

Licensee: Allied Waste Systems, Inc.
Facility Name: Westshore Recycling and Transfer Station
Operating License Number: 9705
Issue Date: May 18, 2023

8. The licensee shall conduct hydrogeological monitoring in accordance with the approved hydrogeological monitoring plan, dated N/A. The sampling analytical results shall be submitted to EGLE's MMD Kalamazoo District Office.
9. Modifications to approved engineering plans that constitute an upgrading, as defined in R 299.4106a(e), may be approved, in writing, by the EGLE's MMD Kalamazoo District Supervisor.
10. **SPECIAL CONDITIONS:** While this license authorizes both solid waste processing and solid waste transfer activities at this facility, the licensee must comply with MMD approved engineering plans or construction permit and operations plans. In addition, the licensee must also comply with the approved solid waste management plan or its materials management plan, as applicable.
11. **TERM:** This license shall remain in effect until its expiration date, unless revoked or continued in effect, as provided by the Administrative Procedures Act, 1969 PA 306, as amended, or unless superseded by the issuance of a subsequent license.

END OF LICENSE

If you need this information in an alternate format, contact EGLE-Accessibility@Michigan.gov or call 800-662-9278.

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This form and its contents are subject to the Freedom of Information Act and may be released to the public.

Attachment A

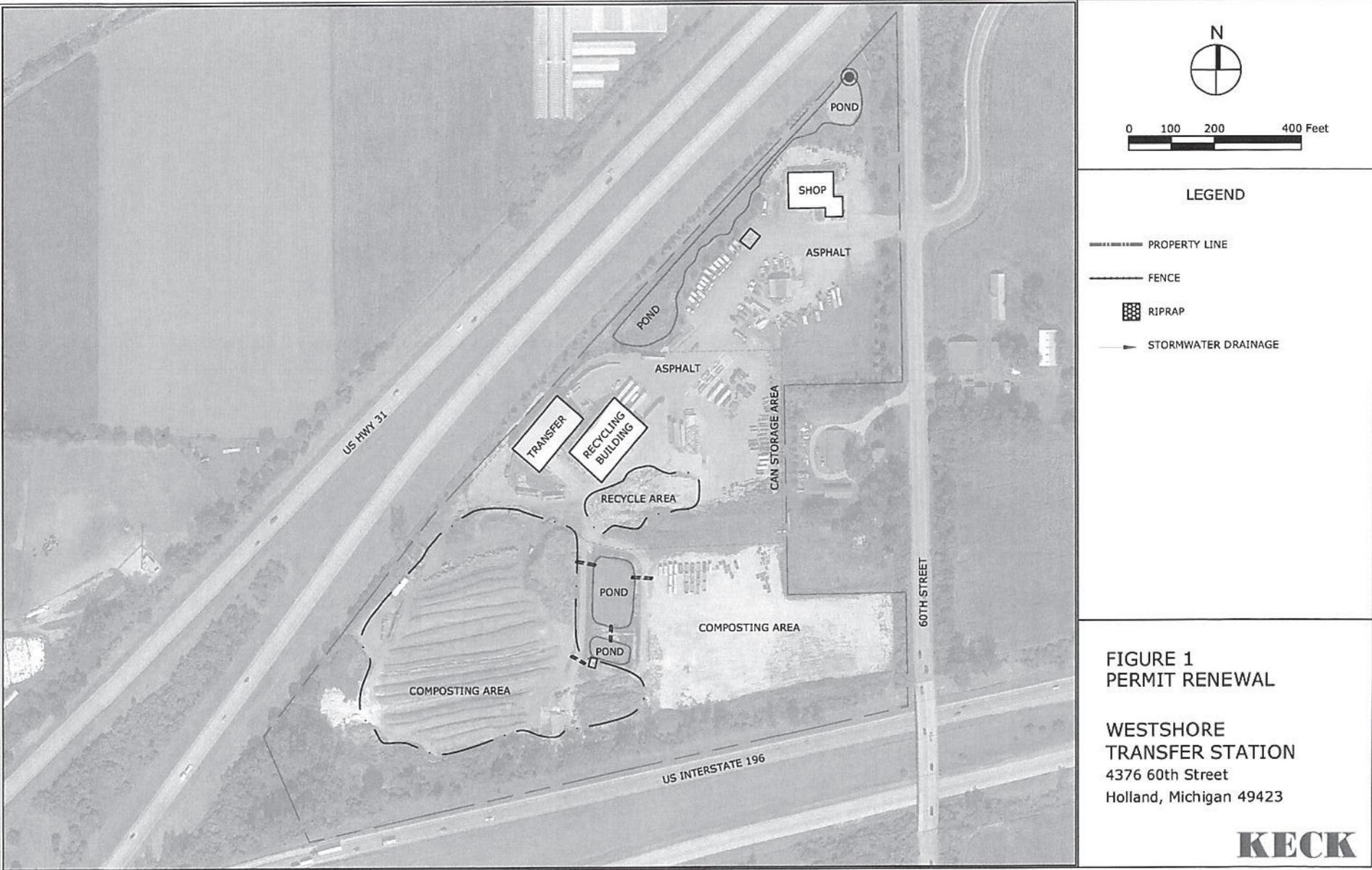


FIGURE 1
PERMIT RENEWAL

WESTSHORE
TRANSFER STATION
4376 60th Street
Holland, Michigan 49423





MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENT, GREAT LAKES, AND ENERGY

Municipal Measurement Program

Michigan is in the process of transforming its Solid Waste Management program to include ALL managed materials including materials such as solid waste, recyclables, and organics. As Michigan transitions, the State is looking to gather more complete data on the status of materials management infrastructure and programs available throughout the State. This will allow us to determine gaps and challenges at a local level, as well as plan for the future. The [Materials Management County Engagement \(MMCE\)](#) grants were developed to help counties in this transition and help counties get baseline information from their municipalities.

HOW IS MUNICIPAL DATA BEING COLLECTED?

The Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE) is using a planning tool called the [Municipal Measurement Program](#)[™], developed by Emerge Knowledge and nicknamed the **eMMP**.



Data provides the backbone to materials management planning in the state. Investing in data collection is necessary to make informed decisions for the future and allow the state to increase waste and recycling opportunities.

The eMMP's core reports, also known as surveys, have been designed to streamline the reporting experience. Depending on responses to certain questions, additional questions and sections may become available and questions that do not apply to your municipality will be hidden.

Municipalities will complete the three core eMMP surveys:

- 1 The **About Your Municipality** survey collects general demographic information about your municipality and information about your education and outreach programs.
- 2 The **Residential Curbside Program Assessment** survey collects information about the curbside programs available to residents in your municipality, including municipal solid waste (MSW), single-family recycling, multi-family recycling, and organics collection.
- 3 The **Residential Drop-Off Assessment** survey collects information about the drop-off sites operated by your municipality, including MSW, recycling, source separated organics, household hazardous waste, scrap tires, electronic waste, construction and demolition, and scrap metal/white goods.

HOW WILL YOUR DATA HELP?

- It will support the future materials management preparation of county planning and identify opportunities to improve programs. It will help to measure goals and aid in contract negotiations

It will provide a baseline for County Materials Management Plans and identifies opportunities for regional collaboration

BENEFITS OF PARTICIPATING IN THE PROGRAM



Participation Is Easy and Free

The program is free to join, and most municipalities complete the program assessment surveys within 90 minutes.



Benchmark Results

Compare your municipal program performance to county, state, or national averages.



Standardize Surveys

Optimized to streamline data entry, the program assessment surveys are standardized to facilitate consistent measurement.



Improve Programs

Turn insights into action by generating the program recommendations report. Discover new ways to improve program performance.



Monitor Year-Over-Year Performance

Measure the effect that new programs or initiatives have on annual performance.



Support County Planning

Data entered into the program will be available to counties/regions to develop their future County Solid Waste Plan.

ACCESS POWERFUL ANALYTICS



Program Recommendations



Economic Benefits of Recycling



Environmental Benefits



Tonnage Analysis



Program Performance Benchmarking



Annual Trend



Lbs Per Household



Annual Diversion Rate

YOUR PARTICIPATION MOVES MICHIGAN FORWARD

Through the MMCE grants, counties have a goal to achieve 2/3 municipal engagement. EGLE encourages all municipalities to join the eMMP to measure program performance, benchmark results, and discover opportunities to improve programs. Your participation is needed to help create a more accurate understanding of materials management, gaps and challenges, and potential opportunities.

Join the eMMP by completing the [application form](#) found at [MunicipalMeasurement.com](https://www.michigan.gov/EGLE).

To learn more about the eMMP, check out the [quick introduction video](#).

Complete the MMP

Spread the Word



Move Michigan Forward

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SOLID WASTE PLANNING COMMITTEE – AGENDA and Minutes

Vacant
Solid Waste Industry
Representative

Tuesday, February 28, 2023 – 6:00 PM

Zimmerman Room, Human Services Building, 3255 122nd Avenue, Allegan

William Walker
General Public
Representative

CALL TO ORDER:

ROLL CALL:

COMMUNICATIONS: EGLE re: Stoddard and Sons

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: Jeffry Krcmarik (EGLE) presented on grants for municipalities and encouraged SWPC members and resource recovery to consider applying.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: Motioned by Member Gale Dugan and supported by Member Denise Webster and all in attendance.

Vacant
Township
Representative

Vacant
Industrial Waste
Generator
Representative

David Redding
City Government
Representative

PRESENTATIONS: Fred Sellers (EGLE) re: Part 115 and Allegan County SWPC (siting process and the definition of “Active Work Area”).

Denise Webster
General Public
Representative

Garth Llewellyn
General Public
Representative

ACTION ITEMS:

Gale Dugan
County
Commissioner

- a. Approve consistency of the siting application Anaegeria/Fishbeck.
 - i. Motion made and approved to move the application to the full Solid Waste Planning Committee meeting, scheduled for February 28, 2023, for further review and vote and requested input from EGLE regarding the definition of “Active Work Area”. The Sub-Committee further determined that according to their determination of the Allegan County Solid Waste Plan’s definition of “Active Work Area” the application does not meet the criteria of the Plan.
 - ii. The Solid Waste Plan has not been updated since 1997 and one objective of having this siting process in place is to ensure that environmental risk is mitigated. EGLE was asked to come and discuss the definition of an “Active Work Area”.

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Representative

Daniel DeFranco
Environmental
Representative

Randy Rapp
Environmental
Representative

Matt Rosser
Solid Waste Industry
Representative

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Regional Solid Waste
Planning
Representative

- iii. Discussion occurred and Fred Sellers was able to answer questions around what an Active Work Area is and that it only related to landfills. SWPC discussed the fact that the proposed transfer station and/or processing facility does not meet criteria 1 and 2 setback requirements listed on page III-28b of the SWP. However, both of these criteria apply only to the “active work area” of a facility. The definition of “active work area” contained in the Part 115 regulations, appear to apply only to landfills and not to solid waste transfer or processing facilities. In addition, the

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SWPC understands that the only uses of the term “active work area” in the regulations are contained in the sections regulating Type II and Type III landfills. Consequently, the SWPC agreed that criteria 1 and 2 (as well as criteria 13 and 14) are not applicable to the indoor transfer station and/or processing facility with concrete flooring that you have proposed. The SWPC also determined that this application met criteria 7 due to the location of the proposed facility not located in a wellhead protection area. A motion was made by Gale Dugan and supported by member Denise Webster and all in attendance.

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

- b. Legislative Update re: Solid Waste Plan- discussed timeline and requested members be prepared to provide feedback on how the SWPC wants to provide recommendations to the Board of Commissioners on how Allegan County should proceed with updating the Materials Management Plan.
- c. Report
 - i. SWPC membership update & position vacancies and welcome the two members
 - 1. Daniel DeFranco
 - 2. David Redding
 - 1. Update on Participating Governmental Units surcharges for 2023 and 2024- Fillmore-Collected on their 2023 Winter taxes.
 - 2. Cheshire- is currently in the program (has 2023 cards) and will increase in 2023 winter tax bill to \$50.00 (voter approved).
 - 3. Valley- is voter approved. Cannot collect until 2023 winter tax bill and then we will start providing services in 2024.
 - 1.Begin working with them to establish their level of participation.
 - 4. Watson-is voter approved Cannot collect until 2023 winter tax bill and then will start providing services in 2024.
 - 1. Begin working with them to establish their level of participation.
 - 5. Dorr Township-went to \$50.00.
 - 6. Allegan Township went to \$50.00.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS: Legislative Timeline and Brainstorming on Options

ROUND TABLE:

ADJOURNMENT:

NEXT MEETING: May 23, 2023 @ 6:00 PM.

SWOT ANALYSIS PROCESS FOR GAINING FEEDBACK ON SWPC REVISION PROCESS

STRENGTH

What strengths does this option have for the planning .



WEAKNESS

What weakness are there to this option



OPPORTUNITY

If this option is chosen what opportunities does that present.



THREAT

What threats or challenges are there to this option. .



Recycling and household hazardous waste funding options for local units of government in Allegan County



The Agenda

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Introduction to funding options

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Interlocal partnerships

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Questions

Introduction

Described in this presentation are a variety of funding mechanisms that may be used by local units of government in Allegan County to fund recycling and household hazardous waste services for residents.



Interlocal Partnerships

Public Act (PA) 69 of 2005 - Allegan County Resource Recovery Program

PA 69 of 2005: This funding mechanism allows counties to work with some or all of their local units to establish a recycling, composting, and/or household hazardous waste project. The county may collect up to \$25 per year from households in local units that have approved an interlocal agreement with the county. Subject to the approval of local voters, the county may collect up to \$50 per year from households in a local unit with an interlocal agreement. To hold an election on the increased surcharge, the county board of commissioners must pass a resolution with specific recycling surcharge election information. The initial authorization for the recycling surcharge election is for a period of five years. Subsequent authorizations are for 10 years. The surcharge approved by voters would not apply to vacant land, land owned by a public-utility, rights-of-way, and easements that do not generate solid waste. Benzie, Leelanau, Allegan, and Cheboygan Counties use this funding mechanism.

Interlocal Partnerships

Interlocal agreement with Allegan County

Household Hazardous Waste and Events Only: Through interlocal agreement, the Allegan County Resource Recovery Program provides services related to household hazardous waste collection and regional collection events. Local units of government may allocate general fund dollars or other local funding to cover the cost of annual program administration and service fees. No action is needed by local units or voters. Overisel Township in Allegan County uses this mechanism.

Local options

Millage

Dedicated Millage: Incorporated Cities and Charter Townships in Michigan can charge an additional millage for solid waste and recycling services up to limits specified by statute. No action by voters is required. Royal Oak, Ann Arbor, Troy, Birmingham, Southfield, and Pontiac Counties use this funding mechanism.

Voter Approved Millage: Any local unit of government and/or a county can put a vote to the people for a temporary or permanent millage to fund a solid waste or recycling program. Examples include Royal Oak, Chippewa, Charlevoix, and Tuscola Counties.

Local options

Fee based

Fee: If approved by voters, a city may collect a per household fee to fund a recycling program. The fee is collected with the property taxes. City of Lansing uses this funding mechanism.

Intergovernmental Agreement and Hauler Licensing: Counties and local units and/or local units working together on their own can act in unison through intergovernmental agreements and a uniform ordinance that requires private waste haulers to meet certain recycling requirements in order to do business and to include the costs for those programs in their overall solid waste service fees. No action by voters is required. Grand Traverse County Curbside Recycling, Eaton and Kalamazoo Counties use this funding mechanism. Eaton County Solid Waste Ordinance on 1993 authorizes a \$0.60 per month surcharge fee, paid by residents on their waste hauling bills.

Local options

Special assessment

A special assessment is a charge against real property (i.e., immovable property such as land and structures -- not personal property) for an improvement or service that confers a benefit to those living within the special assessment district. Special assessments are used by municipalities to fund projects or services that would otherwise not be possible, such as road repairs, water and sewer mains, street lighting, police and fire protection, and garbage and recycling services. Special assessments can be used in conjunction with general fund revenues, service fees, user charges, grants, or other sources of funding. Salem Township in Allegan County uses this funding mechanism.

Grants

Public and private grants

EGLE: The Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy makes grant funding available annually to support projects that will contribute to Michigan's environmental and recycling goals through enhanced materials management. Grant categories are updated annually but have included funding for infrastructure, scrap tire collection, market development, and education.

Grants have been offered through:

Environmental Protection Agency

The U.S. Department of Energy

The U.S. Department of Agriculture

Food Service Packaging Institute

Foam Recycling Coalition

The Environmental Research & Education Foundation

The Carton Council of North American

National Science Foundation

The Glass Recycling Foundation

Reducing Embodied-Energy and Decreasing Emissions Institute

Carpet America Recovery Effort

The Recycling Partnership

ReFED COVID-19 Food Waste Solutions Fund

The Mattress Recycling Council

Keep America Beautiful nonprofit

The Can Manufacturer's Institute

and more!

The funding mechanisms presented may not be the only funding mechanisms available to your local unit of government. For more information on funding recycling and household hazardous waste collection programs please reach out to the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy or the Michigan Recycling Coalition.

These resources were referenced for the creation of this presentation:

Carton Council, Recycling Program Funding Options for Local Governments at <https://www.cartonopportunities.org/sites/default/files/files/Recycling%20Program%20Funding%20Options%20for%20Local%20Governments%20FINAL.pdf>

EGLE Recycling Grants at https://www.michigan.gov/egle/0,9429,7-135-70153_69695---,00.html

Funding Options for Michigan Recycling Programs at https://www.michigan.gov/documents/deq/deq-rmd-recycling-funding_355618_7.pdf

Michigan's Residential Recycling Initiative, Guide: Use of Special Assessments to Fund Recycling Services and Facilities at https://www.michigan.gov/documents/deq/ResidentialRecycling-SpecialAssessments-web_489180_7.pdf

Michigan's Residential Recycling Initiative, Guide: Operation and Funding Options for Municipal Recycling Programs at https://www.michigan.gov/documents/deq/Residential_Recycling_-_Funding_Mechanisms-web_489181_7.pdf

Questions:



S T A T E O F M I C H I G A N

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF ALLEGAN

2023-24 BOARDS & COMMISSIONS PER DIEM

BE IT RESOLVED that the Allegan County Board of Commissioners (Board) does hereby revise the following Boards and Commissions per diem compensation effective January 26, 2023; and

Boards & Commissions	Per Diem Rate
911 Operational Policy & Procedure Committee	\$50
Area Agency on Aging of W. Michigan Board of Directors	\$50
Board of Canvassers	\$50 half day/\$100 full day
Board of Public Works	\$50
Boundary Commission	\$50 half day/\$100 full day
Broadband Action Workgroup	\$50
Brownfield Redevelopment Authority	\$50
Building Authority	\$50 (Non-County Employees)
Commission on Aging	\$50
Community Corrections Advisory Board	\$50
Economic Development Commission	\$50
Human Services Board	\$50
Jury Board	\$50 half day/\$100 full day
Local Emergency Planning Committee	\$50
Parks Advisory Board	\$50
Soldiers & Sailors	\$50
Solid Waste Planning Committee	\$50
Tourist Council	\$50
Water Study Workgroup	\$50
West Michigan Regional Planning Committee	\$50
<p>The total meeting(s) time in one (1) day more than four (4) hours shall be considered one (1) full day. The total meeting(s) time in one (1) day of four (4) hours or less shall be considered one half (1/2) day. In the event an individual is a member of more than one board or commission and they may attend multiple meetings in a single day, the total per diem for that day shall not exceed \$100. Travel time is included.</p>	

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that members shall also be eligible to receive mileage reimbursement at the 60% of the current IRS rate; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that only members not already receiving compensation as part of their regular work duties or paid for by another source when attending meetings shall receive per diem and mileage; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the Board shall review per diem in accordance with term or compensation review; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that this action shall become an attachment to the Board Rules of Organization.

Moved by Commissioner Beltman, seconded by Commissioner Kapenga to approve the per diem rates in the attached schedule and award mileage at 60% of the Federal rate. Motion carried by roll call vote. Yeas: Storey, DeYoung, Kapenga and Beltman. Nays: Dugan.

ATTEST, A TRUE COPY



_____, Clerk-Register

APPROVED: January 26, 2023

cc: Admin. - Finance - Human Resources

