

Minutes of Greenville Board of Selectmen's Special Meeting

6:30pm Wednesday Dec 14, 2011 at the Fire Station meeting room

Board members/Staff Present at meeting:

X Vice Chairman Alan McBrierty X Chairman Bonnie DuBien X Selectman Bruce Hanson
 X Selectman Ellen Edgerly X Selectman Richard Peat X Town Manager Gary Lamb
 X Town Clerk Roxanne Lizotte

Others: Chris Bussell, Charlie Tarsook, Jim and Linda Comber, Ron Mace, Conrad, Craig Watt, Ken Snowden, Janet Chasse

1. Additions or Deletions to the Agenda - none

2. Public Comment Period - none

3. Discussion with Possible Action on a variety of transfer station and other solid waste issues

- Lengthy discussion ensued on transfer station windshield sticker prices
- Should the town allow non-Greenville trash into our transfer station but at a higher (and profitable price?) Some contractors would not mind paying more to come to us rather than haul a non-Greenville demo load to Lily Bay. Several comments made by selectmen and public indicating for-profit higher prices for non Greenville trash is a good idea and would ease burden on Greenville taxpayers
- Sean Bolen spoke about how his loads are generated and how he would prevent non Greenville trash from coming into the Greenville transfer station.
- Considerable discussion ensued on what selectmen want town staff to do to verify property ownership, residential or commercial tenancy in order to obtain a transfer station sticker
- New stickers must be affixed to windshields...no more stickers on pieces of plastic and floating between vehicles
- Sean spoke in favor of a higher sticker price to raise offsetting revenue...but do not charge businesses an additional tipping fee just because they generate more trash...doing this is too complicated and other towns have had problems trying this.
- Pay-per-bag and other PAYT options were discussed briefly...but will need much more discussion by selectmen and citizens before decisions are made
- No motions made or votes taken by selectmen on trash issues

4. Town Manager's Report - none

5. What's on your mind? - An opportunity for Selectmen to share questions, concerns, ideas or suggestions - informational only

Meeting adjourned at 7:53pm

