

TOWN OF SILVER CITY RECYCLING ADVISORY COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES Sept. 1, 2015

Held at Annex II, (old Shamrock station) Silver City, NM

Call to Order: Meeting called to order at 3:00 PM. Members in attendance: Terry Timme, acting chair , Connie Glenn, Jane Riger, Gordon West , Alan Archer Absent: Tommy Ogas, Recycling Supervisor , Kelduyn Garland, David Krisch.

Minutes: Minutes from previous meeting approved by voice vote.

Old Business:

- Recycling bins in parks: Terry has found some glass beer bottles and some “contamination” of recycling bins.
- Recycled Art Festival: discussion of planning and timing. Decision to tentatively schedule for Earth Day, 2016. Terry will meet with Santa Fe organizers of art festivals and ask for their guidelines.

New Business:

- Chicano Music Fest Sept. 5&6: Q’s will be providing the beer garden. Terry will touch base with them.
- Pickamania Sept. 12&13: Mike Sauber will oversee recycling efforts. Jane R and Connie G will check on bags and replace if necessary.
- Red Hot Children’s Fiesta Sept. 26: will be arranged.
- Gem & Mineral Show Sept. 5&6: held at WNMSU – no responsibility for recycling.

SWSWA Report (Tommy Ogas): No report this month.

Update from the Office of Sustainability (Terry Timme)

- NMRC Executive Director English Bird stepping down. Terry, as secty. for the coalition will be in Albuquerque this Thursday to discuss administrative changes etc.
- ALCS tour of landfill & recycling Center: was rerouted to the water treatment center due to heavy rains and flooding at the land fill.
- Food Policy Council Compost Work Group: toured Townside Farms. Doug is obtaining foodwaste from local restaurants. Potential meeting in the next month to apply for Freeport-McMoran community grant.
- Meeting with Andrew Slade Broadway Metals (Phoenix) Sept. 23: Andrew previously worked for UNICORE, but has moved to Broadway Metals. Possibility of e-waste deal with them.

Other Business:

- “Gordon W. has obtained a grinder. He is working with Boulder, CO, for foodwaste/biochar agreement. He is hoping to establish a contract with SWSWA.

Adjournment, Next Meeting - Meeting adjourned at 4:00 PM . Next meeting : **Thursday, Oct. 1, 3:00 pm.**