

**Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the  
MONMOUTH COUNTY SOLID WASTE ADVISORY COUNCIL  
Thursday, January 15, 2015 7PM  
Planning Board Conference Room, Hall of Records Annex  
One East Main Street, Freehold, New Jersey 07728**

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**I. Meeting Opening –Attendance**

The meeting was opened at 7:00 PM by Vice Chairman Johnson. It was announced the meeting was being held in compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act, P.L. 1975, Chapter 231.

**Members Present:** Boodey, Branch, Johnson, Lomangino, McArthur, Posten, Snyder, Straus, Throckmorton

**Member Absent:** David

**Staff Present:** Metzger, Newman

**Counsel Present:** Jodi Howlett, Esq.

**I. Annual Reorganization Proceedings**

Johnson turned the meeting over to Secretary Newman for the reorganization proceedings. Posten made a motion, seconded by McArthur nominating Johnson for Chairman. So moved, all in favor. A motion was made by Posten nominating Boodey for Vice Chairman, seconded by Throckmorton. So moved, all in favor. Motion was made by Johnson nominating Newman for Secretary, seconded by Throckmorton. So moved, all in favor. As there were no other nominations for officers, those nominated were elected by acclamation. On a motion by Throckmorton seconded by Lomangino and approved unanimously the minutes for the December 4, 2014 meeting was approved.

**II. Correspondence, Reports and Announcements**

Metzger reported her office is continuing efforts with Monmouth University to site a food composting pilot program. Scheduling with the proper officials has been difficult. Hopefully, new advancements will happen soon. Nine Paper Shredding Events have been schedule for the year and posted online. Four Backyard Composting Workshops have been scheduled and are posted online. Metzger announced the County will be hosting the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Earth Summit on April 15, 2015 at the Fire Academy.

Newman reported the 2015 NJ Clean Communities Conference will be in Long Branch. There will be many kids attending and various activities are planned for them as well as an award's dinner at McLoone's Restaurant for the Clean Communities Coordinators. The event will take place May 20 – 22<sup>nd</sup>.

### **III. Regular Business**

Newman reported Mazza is hoping to increase their Class A permit from 10 tons per day to 100 tons per day. This would be a formality because they already have an inclusion in their Class B permit. Newman said an Administrative action is required. A motion by Snyder and seconded by Posten, 1 abstention by Straus.

Newman stated that a special public hearing on the Atlantic Tree Reality LLC, application will be heard in Marlboro sometime in February.

Throckmorton reported the Reclamation Center received 3,000 more tons of waste in 2013 than in 2014. He said a detailed report is available.

Newman told SWAC he plans to revise the current bi-laws where more structure will be part of the application process which will allow for more information up front from the applicant.

There being no further business before council, and no one else wishing to speak, it was duly moved by Throckmorton, seconded by McArthur, and unanimously approved to adjourn the meeting at 7:45 pm.