Minutes Canyon County Solid Waste Advisory Committee Regular Meeting Wednesday June 18, 2025 10:00 am –12:00 pm

Rollcall for Committee Members – Mark Christiansen, District 1 (unable to attend); Russ Shroll, District 2 (unable to attend); Hubert Osborne, District 3; Tom Points, City of Nampa (unable to attend); Bruce Mills, City of Caldwell; Doug Amick, City of Parma/Greenleaf/Wilder. We had no Quorum.

Ex-Officio Members in attendance were: Travis Williams, Hardin Sanitation; Craig Hunter, Tire Reclaim; Mike Murgoitio, Timber Creek Recycling; David Loper, CCSW Director; Daniel Pecunia, CCSW Deputy Director; Debbie Jenks, CCSW Business Manager; John Vietti, CCSW Landfill Supervisor; Kip Wiemers, CCSW Environmental Compliance/Safety Operator; Ahren Tryon CEO Bio Gas Development; Kyle Wilmot, CCSW Comptroller; Herb Cantu, Ada County Landfill; Dylan Ada County Landfill

Action Items: Toured the Ada County Landfill Gas Energy Facilities.

New Business: Do to no quorum; David Loper opened the general meeting by discussing the tour and future Gas to Energy Facility at Canyon County. David handed out the Tetra Tech scope of work for the task and cost associated with the future Gas to Energy Facility. Ahren with Bio Gas Development spoke about their company's commitment is with ADA County and what it would be if they were chosen for Canyon County. With much discussion members felt they needed more information on Gas to Energy and to do a Pre-RFP process to get everyone's input. David mentioned that this could be time sensitive due to the Tax Credits will be going away at the end of the year and feels that we need to make sure we take advantage of those before they are gone.

The Household Hazardous Waste is being put out for RFP and David asked for input on if there are any other companies that any of the Committee may be aware of to be invited to take part. Clean Earth, Clean Harbor and ACT with Republic were some of the few companies that were mentioned. David also mentioned the cost to recycle this type of waste is getting extremely costly and looking into other options from the Cities to take part would be beneficial. He proposed that maybe the future Transfer Station would absorb the cost of acceptance and the County Landfill pay the disposal costs. The Cities (based on population/percentage) would absorb the cost of labor, categorize the waste and transportation.

Mike Murgoitio gave an update on the Timber Creek Nampa Transfer Station. He indicated that it is still in the process and on track of opening soon.

Old Business/Action Items: None

Next Meeting Date: July 21st at 10:00am at Canyon County Landfill (Special Meeting)