

Darien Transfer Station Advisory Committee

Meeting Date: Thursday, May 30, 2013

Time: 4:00 pm – 4:45 pm

Location: Room 119 in Town Hall

Attendees:

TSAC: Craig Flaherty, Finlay Wetmore, Carolyn Bayne, Allison Stolar, Susan Cameron, Dot Kelly, Chris Oxe

Haulers: Tom and Collette Conte

Public – Madeline Eng – substitute clerk, Sophie Cirillo, Jayme Stevenson

***Special Meeting with Darien haulers**

Next meeting is scheduled for Friday, June 14th at 9:00 am

Discussion Topics. 4:00-4:45

1. Single-stream recycling feedback
 - Reduction in MSW and increase in recyclables
 - Time it takes haulers to collect is proportional to the change
 - Increased understanding after some trial & error
2. Marketing and Sharing of Updated Information
(Brochure, Map, and possible Sticker)
 - Create a regular presence in news/media and advertise new services
 - Make monthly statistics on MSW and recycling available in the news
3. Challenges to Successful Switch to Single-Stream
4. DPW list of residents using haulers
5. Municipal Receptacles at Public Events
6. DHS Composting
 - Compost is exceeding current capacity, may need additional composter
 - Need to keep trash, recycling, and composting bins in the same location