Dover Recycling Committee
Minutes of March 9, 2009

Present: Kerry O’Brien, Scott Seidman, Becky Gladstone, Becky Petersen, Fran Aikman, Matthew Schmid, Abby Howe, John O’Keefe

Minutes of Feb. 2, 2009 were approved

Treasurer’s report was handed out and Fran reported that the Cub Scouts are manning the Deposit Trailer in March. There was a brief discussion about warning groups who do an inconsistent job that they may lose their month. Scott is meeting with Heath Rollins (HS Ath. Dir.) and will discuss his possible involvement with the sports teams that man the trailer.

The 2008 Municipal Recycling & Diversion Data Sheet has been completed and e-mailed to the DEP.

Town Wide Clean Up Day – March 28th – Becky G. will order banner and put it up in the center of town ASAP. John has articles ready to go for this week’s paper (and continuing until the 28th). The articles will direct those interested to the town website for further details and who to contact. John has arranged for the Highway Department to pick up full trash bags on 3/28. John will order trash bags ASAP – 33 gallon, black plus a different color for recyclables and with a draw string. Scott will captain the sorting of recyclables at the TS the afternoon of the 28th.

Becky P. will approach the library about the Spelling Bee on 3/26. Do they have a need for the canables? Could they use some recycling bins for paper? Becky P. will coordinate getting these to the event and back if they can use them.

Schools: Becky G. reported that Chickering continues to hold a waste free lunch each month. Kerry is meeting with her contacts at the MS and HS to assist them with Earth Day activity planning.

Abby will contact the Selectmen’s office and find a meeting for the Recycling Committee to be on the agenda.

Next meeting – March 23rd – 8:15 Highway Garage. Trash bags to be distributed.