

Dover Recycling Committee
Minutes for September 6, 2011

Present: Scott Seidman, Amy Wilcox, Becky Gladstone, Becky Petersen, Matt Schmid, Valerie Waskiewicz

Minutes of June 6th, 2011 were approved.

New Members: We welcome new DRC members Savita Shukla and Valerie Waskiewicz.

Dover Days Fair: Becky shared the vendor map with members to confirm that our booth is in the same location as past years and that Great American Rail Barrels company will be promoting their product next to our booth. Becky will organize 1-2 hour shifts from 9am – 3pm and communicate via email before Saturday's event.

Grant Update: We have an existing \$2800 of grant money that needs to be spent. Becky reported that the schools could use some of the funding, especially if the Lucidomatic (a portable system for cafeteria food waste/recycling) is approved at Chickering. She will research current users of the Lucidomatic for testimonials and confirm Chickering's approval of the system. Other needs are new signage at the Transfer Station and updated Dover Recycling "How To" materials that are currently out of date.

New Residents: Our Welcome Packets to new Dover residents ("What Dover Recycles" materials, Recycle Bin coupon, etc.) are not being delivered. Amy will work on a welcome letter and updating the "Ho To" materials.

School Update: Becky G. and Amy spent the first week of school in the DS Region cafeteria helping train the students to scrape food scraps in to the pig bucket. George the Pig Farmer has agreed to pick up food waste every day after last lunch from Lindquist Commons, and all reports are that the program is running smoothly with teacher and administration support.

Deposit Trailer: Becky P. reported that Girl's Soccer has September, and Football has October.

Action Items for Next Meeting: Member roles and responsibilities defined and appointed, grant money allocation discussion.

Next Meeting: Monday, October 3rd, 8:15am in the Highway Garage Meeting Room.

Meeting adjourned.