



Benton County

Disposal Site Advisory Committee

July 27, 2016 Minutes

Members Present: Linda Brewer (Vice-Chair), Jeff Morrell, Jay Simpkins (Chair), Jim Leklem & Jenifer Stuber
Members Excused: Larry Sleeman, Chuck Kratch, Lynn Neville & Jeff Freeman
Guests Present: Julie Jackson & Randy Halcomb (Republic Services, Inc.), Rae Delay & John Deuel (Oregon State University Campus Recycling & Surplus)
Staff Present: Gordon Brown, Bill Emminger & JonnaVe Stokes (recorder)

- I. **Call to Order, Citizen Comments** - The meeting was called to order by Chair Simpkins at 6:40 p.m.
- II. **Introductions were made** - The committee introduced themselves to John Deuel the new Campus Recycling & Surplus Manager from Oregon State University.
- III. **Approval of the February 2016 Minutes** - The February 2016 minutes were presented for approval.
MOTION was made to approve the February 2016 minutes as written; motion seconded; all in favor, so approved.
- IV. **Current Landfill Operations** - *Jenifer Stuber, Republic Services, Inc. (RSI)*

Construction:

- Major excavation has begun again in cells V.b. – V.e. RSI is a third of the way through the cut at the top of the landfill and are in year 2 of the 3 year project. Material is now being hauled to the south side of Coffin Butte Road.
- Preparing for stormwater pond construction on the south side of the landfill in August.
- Four additional acres of Ethylene Propylene Diene Monomer (EPDM) cover will be placed in August and September.
- Currently there are 1.5 million gallons of leachate stored in the ponds that will be hauled to the City of Corvallis and Salem for treatment.

Odor Complaints:

- Received 2 odor complaints this year for the landfill and 65 total complaints for the Pacific Region Compost facility.

Committee member questions:

- *When you receive hazardous waste material what do you do with that?* RSI has an asbestos monofill for onsite storage that is open on Wednesday's.
- *Do you do any special handling for lead based paint?* No.

V. **Adjourn**

MOTION was made to adjourn; motion seconded; all in favor, so approved.

Meeting adjourned at 6:46 p.m.