1. Recycling Committee Meeting Materials

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York Recycling Committee
Agenda June 19, 2020, 9 AM

1. **Discussion with Dean Lessard, Director of DPW** (40 minutes)
   a. Ask Dean to identify problems with the current recycling program and how we can work together to solve these.
   b. Ask Dean questions regarding the Casella contract. Carol and Mark - Can you have some questions prepared? Please have access to the contract available while we review it. Ask Dean to share invoices with us.
   c. Share our concern that, in spite of Erica Bayley’s presentation at public Select Board meeting and subsequent press, local residents continue to put unacceptable items in their blue bins. Discuss an updated flyer or supplement that would inform about waxed cardboard and single use plastic as unacceptable and use the terms; **jugs, tubs and lids** (instead of numbers) to indicate what is acceptable in line with the Casella Recycle Better web site. (Please have your 2019-2020 flyer from the town and access to the Recycle Better web page so we can discuss the differences).
   d. Discuss the advantages of a more aggressive tagging program to include bins that contain contaminants i.e. plastic bags, tanglers as specified on the Casella web site.
   e. Ask about Witchtrot land fill.
   f. Ask Dean if he agrees that town wide composting is a worthwhile goal.
   g. Establish a process for regular communication with him and/or his administrator.

2. Approve minutes from June 5th.

3. Discuss our charter as edited by Steve with special attention to restricting our communication with Casella. Please have that accessible for purposes of discussion.

4. Tagging program - Hilary

5. Budget - Mark (very preliminary)

6. Composting - no response from my third letter to Hannaford about the possibility of providing a site. Ideas about how to proceed?

7. Extended Producer Responsibility Bill. Chrissy Adamowicz, NRCM, will present at our July 17th meeting.

Anything else?

Schedule next meeting for July 3.

Adjourn.