

# **Central Newfoundland Waste Management**

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# **BOARD MEETING –Norris Arm** 1:00 p.m. January 23, 2020 **Attendance**

Gary Noftle Buchan's Junction – Ward 1

Robert Elliott Point Leamington – Ward 2 – Chair

Kevin Butt NWI/Twillingate – Ward 3 Wayne Collins Fogo Island – Ward 4 Keith Howell Gander Bay – Ward 5

Percy Farwell
Glenn Arnold
Town of Gander - Ward 8 – Secretary
Glenn Arnold
Terra Nova – Ward 7 – Vice Chair
Rod Bennett
Town of Grand Falls-Windsor – Ward 9
Ed Evans
Chief Administrative Officer – CNWM

Karen White Attwood Manager of Finance/Administration – CNWM

Mark Attwood Manager of Operations – CNWM

**Apologies** 

Lloyd Pickett Indian Bay – Ward 6

Ross Rowsell Norris Arm/Norris Arm North – Ward 11

Derrick Luff Direct Haul – Ward 12 - Treasurer

Perry Pond Bishops Falls/Botwood/Lewisporte – Ward 10

Brad Hefford Service NL Wayne Lynch Service NL

Jerry Collins Dept of Municipal Affairs and Environment

1. Review of Minutes of December 9, 2019

MOTION: Moved by W. Collins to adopt the minutes of December 9, 2019. Second by K. Butt.

M.C.

# 2. **Business Arising**

Regional Meetings – three meetings are set

- Buchans February 4
- Fogo Island February 6
- Direct Haul February 18
- Remaining Wards to schedule for this Spring

# 3. Financial Report

# MOTION: Moved by K. Howell to approve payment of invoices from November 23, 2019 – January 13, 2020 in the amount of \$458,434.57. Second by G. Noftle. M.C.

#### 4. Review of Commercial Haulers accounts

# MTL Waste Disposal

- Legal issue ongoing

# Dump Depot

- First payment received by CRSB legal counsel on December 15, 2019.

# Meeting with Minister Haggie on MTL Waste Disposal

- Presentation given by Chair and CAO

#### 5. Other Business

#### Update on Cell #3

- Dillon Consulting is now preparing the Tender documents for CRSB and DMA&E to review and approve. This process should be completed by April 2020. Construction on Cell #3 should begin May /June 2020 and completed by September /October 2020.
- MRF Contract with HRI Signed

# Wood Fiber Processing

- Going out for tender for Transfer Stations only
- Tender documents ready and received for review by CRSB and DMA&E. When the review is completed and approved it will be advertised through Work Services and Transportation.

# Review of Central and Western Disposal Tip Fees

- An Audit of the 2019 Landfill cost must be carried out
- Auditor to be determined
- The Chair will contact DMA&E to see if a new tender for Auditing Services would be required or if we could use White-Abbott Consulting.

#### Update on New Maintenance Garage/Wash Bay

- To be reviewed once Provincial Review of the Waste Management Strategy is completed
- CRSB Mechanics are experiencing health issues

#### **Enforcement Officer**

- CRSB and MMSB carried out a 1-year pilot project with some success
- COA will contact MMSB to discuss a potential 3 year contract for this position

# WRWM – Blue Bag

- CRSB has contacted its legal firm to start a statement of claim to begin the process to collect this outstanding fee.

Update on Pumper Truck Building

- Ongoing

#### Fire Plan

- The fire Commissioners office reviewing a legal document on Town concerns

# Maintenance on all CRSB Buildings

- Ongoing

Results from Industrial Hygiene Assessment carried out at the Landfill and the Maintenance Garage

- High amounts of bacteria and mold
- 7 Recommendation to address the issues
- The Board will forward report to DMA&E with Recommendations to construct a wash bay and additional maintenance garage.
- Health issues for Mechanics and other employees are existing in the present maintenance garage office and lunchroom.

# Policy on Curb Side Collection

- CRSB currently has a Policy on Curb Side Collection. It is the consensus of the Board for all garbage to be at the curb on day of collection, either covered with blankets/nets/tarps or in a mobile container. A letter is to be sent to all communities for residents to be informed. A start date will be noted in the letter.

MOTION: Moved by K. Howell that all non-essential files at CRSB that are over 7 years old be destroyed. Second by W. Collins.

M.C.

- 7. Next meeting –call of the Chair.
- 8. Adjournment

Motion: Moved by P. Farwell for adjournment. Second by R. Bennett. M.C.