



Keep Cass County Beautiful

Meeting Minutes – November 2, 2016

6:00 p.m. Plattsmouth Public Library

Attending: Ex. Dir. L. Behrns, President M. Pearrow, Secretary R. Yoder, Members R. Behrns and T. Lorensen,

Meeting called to order 6:00 pm

OLD BUSINESS

1. Approve October Minutes
 - a. **Motion** by R. Behrns to approve minutes, seconded by T. Lorensen; motion **passed**.
2. Treasurer's Report
 - a. **Motion** by R Yoder to approve report, seconded by T. Lorensen; motion **passed**.
3. USDA Grant launch/reporting
 - a. **Motion** by R Yoder to set a budget not to exceed \$100 for a kickoff meeting with Cass County businesses, seconded by R. Behrns; motion passed.
Meeting Nov. 15.
4. Amazon Smile update
 - a. Go to Smile.Amazon.com and choose Keep Cass County Beautiful for 0.05% of sales donated to KCCB

NEW BUSINESS

1. Executive Director's report
2. KCCB membership drive
3. New KCCB board members
4. 2017 DEQ Waste Reduction & Recycling Grant
 - a. Project options discussed.

Meeting adjourned 7:08 pm

FUTURE MEETINGS- 2016

Dec. 7

PROGRAMS, INITIATIVES, & DEADLINES

- *Waste in Place*: Youth Environmental Programs
- Youth Advisory Council activities at Louisville Pub. Schools- ongoing
- Educational Recycling Programs @ Louis. Middle School for all 6th graders: Oct. 31 – Nov. 3
- Cass County Electronic Recycling Event: Nov. 5 from 9 am – 2 pm Louisville
- America Recycles Day- Nov. 15
- KAB #BeRecycled Sweepstakes – enter to win prizes by Nov. 18

Director's Report for Nov. 2, 2016 Meeting

- Participated in YAC monthly call with KAB
- Attended Louisville B.U.I.L.D. meeting
- Met twice with KCCB Youth Advisory Council: identified litter interventions and made litter awareness posters for the school
- Delivered recycling bins to Bloom Where Planted Farm & to Plattsmouth for Car Show- cub scouts collected cans & bottles
- Taught 294 Louisville elementary students recycling programs through the library classes
- Toured Cross Electronic Recycling organization in Omaha
- Made plans for Cass County Electronics Recycling event in Louisville on Nov. 5
- Viewed WasteCap Webinar on *Composting*
- Submitted Qrt. 3 DEQ grant reports for reimbursement: litter cleanup & public education
- Prepared flyers and sent out all advertising for Cass County Electronics Recycling event: KCCB will pay half of the recycling fee of one item per household for items with a fee.
- Louisville School composting program going well plus they've collected 3,620 lbs. of recyclables since school started!
- Completed final report to Midland's Community Foundation for \$750 grant
- Sent personal thank you's to all volunteers for Youth Environmental Fair
- Participated in KAB webinar –“America Recycles Day Media Training”
- Registered 2016 ARD events and 2017 GAC program on KAB website.
- Met with Supt. Farber about adding more trash cans on school campus.
- Working with Ash Grove to obtain three 55 gallon drums for trash cans at LPS
- Submitted Qrt. 1 USDA grant performance activity report
- Taught 25 6th graders @ LPS about Plastics and Recycling in two programs