Greater Bridgeport Regional Recycling Interlocal Committee Meeting Thursday, December 01, 2022 10:00 am

ACTION MINUTES

Members present:

Bridgeport: Paul Cantino; **Easton**: Ed Nagy; **Fairfield**: John Marsilio, John Cottell; **Milford**: Mayor, Ben Blake, Steven Johnson, Justin Rosen; **Monroe**: Christopher Nowacki; **Trumbull**: George Estrada; **Westport**: First Selectwoman, Jennifer Tooker, Peter Ratkiewich; **Woodbridge:** Anthony Genovese.

Members absent: Southbury, Stratford, West Haven.

Others present: Steven Edwards, Deborah Barbieri, D.Shea, Sophia Muce, Blake Leonard,

Bruce Loomis.

WIN-Waste: Chad West

I. The Meeting was called to order at 10:03 am by Chairwoman, Jennifer S. Tooker.

II. Motion to approve the Minutes of June 16, 2022, was made by Mr. Marsilio, seconded by Mr. Nowacki, and carried unanimously.

III. Motion to re-elect the current 2022 GBRSWIC Officers for 2023 was made by Mr. Marsilio, seconded by Mr. Nowacki, and approved unanimously.

Chairwoman: Westport First Selectwoman, Jennifer S. Tooker Vice-Chairwoman: Fairfield First Selectwoman, Brenda Kupchick

Secretary: Milford Mayor, Ben Blake

Treasurer: Trumbull First Selectman, Vicki Tesoro

- IV. Motion to approve the 2023 Meeting Dates of Thursday, June 15th, 2023, and Thursday, December 7th, 2023, was made by Mr. Estrada, seconded by Mr. Marsilio, and approved unanimously.
- V. The Status of Oak Ridge Recycling Operations was given by Mr. Sardone. An overall decline in demand for all commodities has the commodities marketplace spiraling downward, while contamination is still a major issue.
- VI. Discussion of GBRRIC- wide glass pilot program was continued.
- VII. A motion to name the same subcommittee for Oak Ridge Contract negotiations as was decided for the GBRSWIC WIN-Waste negotiations was made by Mayor Blake,

seconded by Mr. Nowacki and carried unanimously. A discussion concerning how to fund attorneys followed, as well as discussion on steps to reduce recycling contamination.

VIII. A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Mr. Marsilio, seconded by Mr. Estrada and carried unanimously

Meeting was adjourned at 11: 28 am

Respectfully Submitted, Deborah Barbieri Town of Westport