May 1, 2018

ROOM 3500A
421 NORTH COUNTY FARM ROAD
WHEATON, IL  60187

1. CALL TO ORDER
8:45 AM meeting was called to order by Chair Amy L Grant at 8:45 AM.

2. ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Grant, Krajewski, Noonan, Wiley, Healy (8:59 AM - 9:07 AM)
ABSENT:  

3. CHAIRMAN'S REMARKS
None.

4. PUBLIC COMMENT
None.

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. Environmental Committee - Regular Meeting - Apr 3, 2018 8:45 AM

RESULT: ACCEPTED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:  Brian J Krajewski, Vice Chairman
SECONDER:  Sean T Noonan, District 2
AYES:  Grant, Krajewski, Noonan, Wiley
ABSENT:  Healy

6. SCHEDULE OF CLAIMS

A. Payment of Claims -- Schedule of Claims
RESULT: APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Kevin Wiley, District 6
SECONDER: Brian J Krajewski, Vice Chairman
AYES: Grant, Krajewski, Noonan, Wiley
ABSENT: Healy

7. STAFF REPORTS
Tom Ricker - GIS Manager

A. Staff Reports -- DuPage County Waste & Recycling Report 2017
Joy Hinz, DuPage County’s Building & Zoning Environmental Specialist updated the Committee on DuPage County Waste and Recycling Report for 2017. This report attempts to more thoroughly measure recycling within the County by incorporating special event collections into the overall recycling rate. This is a voluntary survey for the municipalities and communities and will be submitted to the Illinois EPA.

B. Naperville Household Hazardous Waste Facility
Ms. Hinz updated the Committee on a recent meeting between the Illinois EPA, the City of Naperville and representatives of the 3 other long-term facilities. $1.3 million from the State will go to the 4 long-term Household Hazardous Waste facilities for fiscal year 2019.

Member Krajewski inquired how the allocation is determined between the facilities. Ms. Hinz explained that the facilities are asked to work to together and stay within their previous 2017 expenditures.

Chair Grant asked when this contract will go into effect. Ms. Hinz informed the committee that a 6-month extension has been in place that expires on June 30. Ms. Hinz believes that they will be entering into a 5-year contract that will be tied to the appropriation on an annual basis.

Member Krajewski asked if Will and Kane Counties were present and if their allocations are continuing. Ms. Hinz replied that Will and Kane were present and to the best of her knowledge the contributions are not changing.

C. Tree-mendous Fair Update
Andi Dierich, DuPage County’s Building & Zoning Environmental Coordinator, informed the committee that last Friday, in celebration of Arbor Day and the Arboretum Designation, over 400 seedlings were given out with help from Building & Zoning, Stormwater and Environmental and have received great feedback from the employees.
D. Department of Transportation Update

Sidney Kenyon, Trails Coordinator, updated the Committee about the Trails Advocacy Meetup hosted by the Active Transportation Alliance on April 8th in Glen Ellyn. Much of the discussion was regarding the East Branch DuPage Regional Trail in order to advance the trails.

The Chairman’s Bike-to-Work from Elmhurst to the County Complex in Wheaton will take place on June 26. All are invited to ride.

Illinois Prairie Path Corporation and many volunteers took part in a major cleanup of the Prairie Path last weekend and the Great Western Trail the prior weekend.

8. PRESENTATIONS

A. Educational Partners - SCARCE DuPage County Projects

Kay McKeen of SCARCE provided a power point presentation to the committee and that presentation is now part of these minutes.

B. SCARCE 5/1/2018 power point presentation

9. OLD BUSINESS

Member Krajewski thanked Ms. Hinz for providing information on the Naperville HHW Facility at the last Board meeting.

10. NEW BUSINESS

None.

11. ADJOURNMENT

There being no other County business, Chair Grant accepted a motion from Member Wiley and seconded by Member Krajewsk to close the meeting at 9:07 AM.
CALL TO ORDER

8:45 AM meeting was called to order by Chair Amy L Grant at 8:47 AM.

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Grant, Krajewski, Noonan, Wiley
ABSENT: Fichtner, Healy

CHAIRMAN'S REMARKS

None.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. Environmental Committee - Regular Meeting - Mar 6, 2018 8:45 AM

RESULT: ACCEPTED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Amy L Grant, Chair
SECONDER: Kevin Wiley, District 6
AYES: Grant, Krajewski, Noonan, Wiley

ACTION ITEMS

A. EN-R-0128-18 RESOLUTION -- Intergovernmental Agreement Between the City of Naperville and the County of DuPage to Provide Funding for the Operation of a Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility - Not to exceed $100,000

Chair Grant's recapitulation to the committee members was that the Naperville Hazardous Household Facility has full funding until June 30, 2018, and after the 30th of June, new terms will have to be negotiated.
Nick Kottmeyer, the director of Operations, stated that Chair Grant was correct and that Jim Stran, Building and Zoning Department's Manager, along with staff including himself are in constant communication with Illinois Environmental Protection Agency and Naperville to hopefully ensure the continued success of this facility, as it is a very well-run facility and one of the busiest within the state.

Member Krajewski inquired if other funding partners could increase their funding. Director Kottmeyer informed that the City of Naperville is reviewing all options at this point regarding funding.

Mr. Kottmeyer also informed the committee members that our legislators are very much involved in this process and that all parties are aware of the funding levels, however decisions still must be made, we are unsure what lies ahead with the funding and exactly what the directives will be for the Naperville Hazardous Household Facility.

RESULT: APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Amy L Grant, Chair
SECONDER: Kevin Wiley, District 6
AYES: Grant, Krajewski, Noonan, Wiley

7. PRESENTATIONS

A. Educational Partners - SCARCE DuPage County Projects

Kay McKeen of SCARCE provided a Power Point Presentation to the committee members included in the presentation, Ms McKeen provided March 2018's metrics, upcoming events, and upcoming awards.

SCARCE's Presentation is attached here to and made part of these minutes.

B. SCARCE

1. SCARCE

8. OLD BUSINESS
None

9. NEW BUSINESS
None.

10. ADJOURNMENT
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<td>Promotional Thermo Strip Magnets - Cool DuPage</td>
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<td>Verizon Wireless</td>
<td>Wireless Phone Expenses - March</td>
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To: Environmental Committee
From: Joy Hinz,
Subject: DuPage County Waste & Recycling Report 2017
Date: April 25th, 2018
Since 1991, all counties of the State of Illinois are mandated to collect and report waste and recycling information to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency under the Solid Waste Planning and Recycling Act (SWPRA). The Act empowered counties and the City of Chicago with solid waste planning and set recycling goals. This Report provides data collected from DuPage municipalities and townships. This report attempts to more thoroughly measure recycling within the County by incorporating special event collections into the overall recycling rate.
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DuPage County collected waste and recycling data from municipal and township entities that provide waste hauling services to households during the time frame January 1, 2017 – December 31, 2017. This data provides information on residential recycling and waste trends in the County along with comparative data for hauling contracts between municipalities. Information will be utilized to track trends and provide insight into behaviors of County residents.

### 2017 WASTE AND RECYCLING DATA

DuPage County municipalities and townships conduct traditional curbside collection of materials such as paper, metals, plastics, landscape, and other special collection waste. Waste management companies track and provide weights of materials collected to either the municipality or township through obligation in contracts, or upon request. Table 1 provides a summary of the responses received from the 2017 waste and recycling survey. Data from 29 communities was received and reviewed. The amount of refuse collected from the curb was aggregated and measured 264,676 tons. The curbside recycling reported totaled 103,964 tons with landscape waste reaching 38,828 tons. When added to the curbside collected, the total amount of recycled material was 142,792 tons. The total waste generated overall was 407,468 tons.

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<th>Number of municipalities included</th>
<th>Refuse collected in tons</th>
<th>Recycling collected in tons</th>
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<td>264,676</td>
<td>103,964</td>
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Table 1: Curbside collected waste and recycling

A breakdown of each respondent is provided in Table 2. The recycling rate has been calculated by dividing the total recycled tonnage by the total waste tonnage. The average recycling rate based on the respondents is 35%. Five municipalities have a recycling rate over 40%. Out of those municipalities, Glen Ellyn comes in with the highest recycling rate at 43% and all communities exceeded the State goal of 25%.
Table 2 – Results of the 2017 Waste & Recycling Survey by Community

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<thead>
<tr>
<th>Community</th>
<th>Refuse Tonage</th>
<th>Recycled Tonage</th>
<th>Landscape Waste Tons</th>
<th>Total Recycled</th>
<th>Total Waste</th>
<th>Recycling Rate</th>
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<td>1870</td>
<td>6111</td>
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<td>Batavia</td>
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<td>3270</td>
<td>960</td>
<td>4230</td>
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<td>Bloomingdale</td>
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<td>1948</td>
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<td>Carol Stream</td>
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<td>1900</td>
<td>4200</td>
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<td>398</td>
<td>1451</td>
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<td>3436</td>
<td>1890</td>
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<td>Glendale Heights</td>
<td>7999</td>
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<td>1117</td>
<td>3084</td>
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<td>1350</td>
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<td>37%</td>
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<td>West Chicago</td>
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<td>633</td>
<td>3453</td>
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<td>Willowbrook</td>
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<td>527</td>
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<td>Total/Average</td>
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<td>38,828</td>
<td>142,792</td>
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<td>35%</td>
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Recycling was faced with a significant challenge in 2017 as China, a primary recipient of U.S. recycling exports, tightened their regulations. The “National Sword” policy follows China’s “Green Fence,” a 10-month policy the country enacted five years ago to set initial standards for lower contamination levels in recyclables. This policy enacted January 1, 2018, bans 24 types of solid waste, including various plastics and unsorted mixed paper. It also decreases the margin of acceptable contamination in China imported recycling loads. Although not enacted in 2017, the projected roll-out of the policy did create uncertainty among haulers, residents and government entities.

On November 14, 2017, County staff attended the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Recycling Forum. The forum addressed the prevalent contamination issues within recycling streams and the National Sword policy. Fifty-three attendees from private and public were present. A presentation at the forum by Greg Maxwell, Senior Vice President of Resource Management Companies, indicated that International Organization for Standardization, ISO certified recyclers were already bound to the lower contamination rates included in the National Sword policy. Therefore, there would be minimal impact on local Chicagoland area Material Recovery Facilities (MRFs.)

Due to the multitude of material packaging, and differences in material acceptance between haulers and municipalities, contamination is a continual concern. In general, most communities collect glass, cartons and the majority of plastics #1-5. Six communities accept the more restricted plastic #6, polystyrene.

Recycling #6 polystyrene must be done via special drop off or mail-in programs. Additionally for those in the southern and western portion of DuPage County, DART Container has a public 24 hour drop-off available in North Aurora for polystyrene foam. This drop-off accepts both foam food-service containers and packaging.
An average curbside recycling contamination rate has been estimated to be 20.7%\(^1\). Concentrated efforts have been put in place to assist with decreasing contamination. The County has produced a post card to indicate acceptable materials utilizing pictorial and written descriptions. In combination with outreach through the post card, staff developed a webpage to assist with correct and incorrect materials to recycle curbside.

Another challenge to recycling in DuPage County has been the closure of the Waste Management recycling facility in Carol Stream. The facility provided a free drop-off for traditional recyclable items including paper, cardboard, plastics and metal cans. It was open to all residents and businesses without residency restriction. Staff have been directing residents to sites in surrounding counties and encouraging residents to talk with their waste hauler for additional options.

### SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

In addition to curbside recycling collections, municipalities are supplying other opportunities to recycle specific commodity goods. These goods can vary and are prevented from being landfilled. The special collections result in larger volumes of a single item that is more valuable to a recycler. Figure 2 provides insight into the types of special collections occurring in municipalities and the number of respondent communities providing these services.

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\(^1\) Maxwell, Greg – Resource Management, Illinois 2016. Email communication, April, 12.
Communities across DuPage have adopted one-day recycling events as well as seasonal collections for certain items. These collections include a vast array of items which are collected for recycling or reuse. With the change of Illinois laws overseeing collection of organic food scraps, many communities have hosted pumpkin collections. Not all entities were able to provide data on the amount collected for these individual or on-going collections, but those that did report metrics are included in the table below.

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<th>Location</th>
<th>Item</th>
<th>Amount collected</th>
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<td>St. Mark’s Episcopal Church, Glen Ellyn</td>
<td>Pumpkins</td>
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<td>Village of Lisle</td>
<td>Pumpkins</td>
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<td>City of Elmhurst</td>
<td>Pumpkins</td>
<td>2.46 tons</td>
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<td>Village of Addison</td>
<td>Pumpkins</td>
<td>1.0 ton</td>
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<td>Village of Bartlett</td>
<td>Pumpkins</td>
<td>2 tons</td>
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<td>City of West Chicago</td>
<td>Pumpkins</td>
<td>1.0 ton</td>
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<td>Village of Carol Stream</td>
<td>Pumpkins</td>
<td>2.61 tons</td>
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<td>Holiday Lights</td>
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<td>Holiday Lights</td>
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<td>Holiday Lights</td>
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<td>Lead Acid Batteries</td>
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<td>Carol Stream</td>
<td>Pharmaceuticals</td>
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<td>Clothing/Textiles</td>
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<td>Electronics</td>
<td>17,000 lbs</td>
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**TOTAL** | **40.55 tons**

*Table 3: Metrics from individual events of respondent communities*
ELECTRONICS

The County continued its partnership with four municipalities (Burr Ridge, Lisle, Naperville & Wheaton) to collect and recycle electronics generated by residents. An additional drop off was secured at the vendor’s Elk Grove location.

The collection sites took in more than 1.3 million pounds of electronics over the year. Several one-day events were held collecting an additional 35,809 pounds.

There are other locations not hosted by the County that collect electronics as well. These are publicized on the County’s website as permitted. The programs vary in format. Some are drop offs with costs included in waste hauling fees and others choose to pay the fee for recycling on behalf of residents. Downers Grove Township operates a collection similar in design to the County’s program utilizing a user fee.

In 2017, the Illinois General Assembly adopted the Consumer Electronics Recycling Act (CERA) a revised program for the collection and recycling of electronics. The legislation requires that counties must opt-in to a manufacturer sponsored program. DuPage County Board approved Resolution EN-R-0060 which approved the County’s participation in the program beginning January 1, 2019. The County anticipates the format of the collection sites will be similar.

FOOD SCRAP COLLECTION

Food scrap collection continues to gain traction in DuPage County and the Chicagoland region. DuPage County again participated in the Illinois Food Scrap Coalition (IFSC) a statewide collaborative working to divert food scraps from entering Illinois landfills. Staff held an executive board position and sponsored the Coalition as a silver level partner. Following on the heels of the Food Scrap Composting Challenges and Solutions in Illinois Report that was released in 2016; IFSC in collaboration with Seven Generations Ahead, held the first annual Illinois Soil, Food, Water, and Composting Summit. The Summit was attended by over 200 participants from across the state. The Summit provided a glimpse into unique projects and program throughout Illinois that create a more sustainable framework for the circular loop of food production through use to end product recycling.

Communities are increasingly interested in providing the option for curbside food scrap collection however, participation remains relatively low where the service is offered. In 2017 three communities provided this service to their residents: City of Wheaton, Village of Glen Ellyn, City of Naperville and the Village of Schaumburg. In 2018, the Village of Lombard, the City of Elmhurst and Village of Downers Grove have added the service.
As part of this Annual Report, hauling contracts are reviewed for similarities and differences. The majority of community contracts charge a fee per month based on cart size, however, there are examples of communities with a flat fee regardless of cart size. In 2017 Republic Services held 52% of the contracts of communities that responded. Waste Management held 19% with Flood Brothers, Groot Industries, Advanced Disposal and Lakeshore Recycling each holding at least one community contract.

Contracts between communities and a waste hauler can incorporate several additional options. Fifty-two percent of respondents provided a senior citizen discount and 15% offered hauling services through their contract to their business community. The survey found that 52% of communities included multifamily units in their waste contract and another 15% offered the service with exceptions as to the size of the complex. Dense housing tended to be the exception for most contracts.

Additional elected services found in waste and recycling contracts included white good pick-ups. White goods include, refrigerators, freezers or dehumidifiers and were provided a curbside pick-up service in 85% of contracts.

DuPage County has again exceeded the State’s mandate of recycling 25% of waste generated. With the addition of the special collections in the report this year, the overall recycling rate reached 35%.

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Table 4: Tonnage of all recycled goods accounted for by survey responses
Cooking Oil Recycling Expands to Bensenville

New Collection Site:
Bensenville Public Works
717 East Jefferson
M-F 7:30am-3pm

Joins 8 other locations:

• Downers Grove Sanitary Treatment Center
• Glenbard Wastewater Authority
• Household Hazardous Waste – Naperville
• Salt Creek Sanitary District – Villa Park
• City of Wheaton
• Wheaton Sanitary District
• Winfield Township
• Woodridge-Greene Valley Wastewater Facility
Villa Park Police Station Joins RX Collection

- Located in lobby
- Open M-F 7am-7pm, Saturdays 9am-5pm
- Total of 24 participating police stations in DuPage County
12th Annual Sustainable Design Challenge

• Awards presentation: May 8th
Naperville Park District Awarded Ecology & Earth Flags

Awarded on April 12th for their wide breadth of sustainable efforts.
Domtar Awarded Earth Flag

- Addison facility
- Presented April 19th
Avery Coonley Re-certifies Earth Flag

• Presented April 25th to Downers Grove school
CoreCentric Awarded Earth Flag

- Carol Stream business
- Presented April 26th
Food Scrap Compost Service Expansion

- Elmhurst & Lombard have added food scrap composting, starting in June
- Hammerschmidt Elementary School, Lombard begins food scrap pick up in May
Upcoming Recycling Events

May 5:
• Itasca Recycling Extravaganza
• Burr Ridge Recycling Extravaganza

May 12:
• Woodridge Recycling Extravaganza
• Addison Recycling Extravaganza
April Metrics

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Program notes:

- After hours: we did (4) evening programs, (3) weekend programs, and (5) Saturday Recycling Extravaganzas
- Provided materials for (3) events at: Hendrickson (Woodridge), Good Samaritan Hospital (Downers Grove), 1st United Methodist Church of Downers Grove
- (7) Lunch’n Learns at five businesses (Carol Stream, Downers Grove, West Chicago, Addison, Itasca)