# MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE EASTERN RENSSELAER COUNTY SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY

A Regular Meeting of the Members of the Eastern Rensselaer County Solid Waste Management Authority took place on the 26th day of October, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. at the ERCSWMA offices located at 21 Church Street, Melrose NY.

The following persons were present:

- Tim Salisbury, Representative of Schaghticoke
- Bob Russell, Representative of Pittstown
- Denile Pero, Representative of Valley Falls
- Charlie Collins, Representative of Nassau
- Matt Curley, Executive Director

Absent: Representatives of Stephentown, Hoosick Falls and Castleton

Chairman calls the meeting to order at 5:58 PM.

The Minutes of the Regular Meeting, Organizational held on January 24th, and the regular meeting held on June 9<sup>th</sup> 2022 were presented for review.

The minutes of June 9th will be voted on at the next meeting of the ERCSWMA

**Motion** to dispense with the reading of the Minutes and to accept them as printed made by: Charlie Collins seconded by: Bob Russell

**Discussion:** none

Vote: 4-0

Chairman calls for Committee Reports. The finance committee presented the current Profit and loss statement and the Balance sheet.

Chairman calls for Executive Directors Report.

#### **Old Business**

#### **DEC Solid Waste Management Plan**

The Executive Director explained that some help may be required to complete the plan prior to the deadline this was issued with NYS DEC.

# **Household Hazardous Waste Day**

The board discussed the 2023 hazardous waste event to held in Schaghticoke.

### New Business

### 2023 Lease Agreement

The board discussed 2023 lease agreement between the ERC Community warehouse and ERCSWMA

# 2023 request for bid for electronics pick up

The board discussed the need to go out to bid for electronics

# Legal Agreement for general and regulatory advice

The board discussed retaining Farrel Fritz as attorneys for ERCSWMA N

# Joining NYSAR for 2023 and attending the NYSAR Conference in 2022

The board discussed once again joining NYSAR and their conference

# 2023 ERCSWMA tentative budget

The executive director explained where the budget should be at for 2023

**Motion** to contract with Mallory Cail to assist completing the NYS Solid Waste Plan for a cost not to exceed \$7500.00 due upon completion of the document. made by Charlie Collins, seconded by: Denile Pero

**Discussion: None** 

Vote: 4-0

**Motion** to approve the 2023 lease agreement between the Eastern Rensselaer County Solid Waste Management Authority and the ERC Community Warehouse as presented. made by Charlie Collins, seconded by Bob Russell.

**Discussion: None** 

**Vote:** 4-0

**Motion** to go out to bid for electronics pick up and recycling starting 2023 for the Eastern Rensselaer County Solid Waste Management Authority as presented. made by Charlie Collins, seconded by: Tim Salisbury

**Discussion: None** 

**Vote:** 4-0

**Motion** to allow the executive director sign the engagement letter with Farrel fritz attorneys for general and regulatory advice.

made by Charlie Collins, seconded by: Denile Pero

**Discussion: None** 

**Vote:** 4-0

**Motion** to have ERCSWMA join NYSAR for one year for a cost of 295.00 and attend the 2022 fall conference including milage and room and board.

made by Charlie Collins, seconded by: Bob Russell

**Discussion: None** 

**Vote:** 4-0

**Motion** to approve the 2023 Eastern Rensselaer County Solid Waste Management Authority budget as presented for \$143414 as the tentative budget. made by Charlie Collins, seconded by: Tim Salisbury

**Discussion: None** 

**Vote:** 4-0

**Public Comment:** There was no one from the public who commented.

There being no other business before this Board a Motion made by Charlie Collins and seconded by Bob Russell to adjourn the Regular Meeting at 6:45 PM with an oral vote of 4-0 in favor.