

**SUNSHINE COAST REGIONAL DISTRICT
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN MONITORING ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

February 16, 2021

RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN MONITORING
ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING HELD VIA ZOOM

PRESENT:

(Voting Members)

Chair
Vice-Chair
Members

I. Winn
S. White
J. Boyd
D. New-Small
M. Cambon
G. Bennett

ALSO PRESENT:

(Non-Voting)

Director, Electoral Area E
Director, Electoral Area A
Manager, Solid Waste Services
Solid Waste Programs Coordinator
Infrastructure Services Assistant/Recorder

D. McMahon
L. Lee
R. Cooper
A. Patrao
M. Martel

REGRETS:

PMAC Members

B Hetherington
P. Robson

Directors, staff, and other attendees present for the meeting participated by means of electronic or other communication facilities in accordance with Sunshine Coast Regional District Board Procedures Bylaw 717.

CALL TO ORDER

11:02 a.m.

AGENDA

The agenda was adopted as presented.

MINUTES

Recommendation No. 1 *PMAC Meeting Minutes of January 19, 2021*

The Solid Waste Management Plan Monitoring Advisory Committee recommended that the Solid Waste Management Plan Monitoring Advisory Committee meeting minutes of January 19, 2021 be received for information.

PRESENTATIONS AND DELEGATIONS

Chris Arkell and Cinci Csere, co-founders of Sea to Sky Removal, offered a presentation which included the background of the company, overview of the waste in today's construction industry, their unique environmental approach to construction waste and the products, tools and resources their company offers.

Discussion included the following:

- Recommend a bylaw to mandate practices for all construction building permits
- Scalability of the services offered
- Need for infrastructure to recycle all materials
- Benefits of Re-Use It Centers for building materials
- Encourage builders pre construction, during and post construction to incorporate recycling

Recommendation No. 2 *Waste and Issuance of Building Permits*

The Solid Waste Management Plan Monitoring Advisory Committee recommended that the SCRD make the issuance of building permits conditional on the applicant adopting the principles of zero waste by providing a zero waste plan, with zero waste as defined in the SCRD's Solid Waste Management Plan;

AND THAT the SCRD Board send a letter to the other local governments on the Sunshine Coast to request that they take the same approach to the issuance of building permits.

Recommendation No. 3 *Presentation to Infrastructure Services Committee*

The Solid Waste Management Plan Monitoring Advisory Committee recommended that Sea to Sky Removal be invited as a delegation to an Infrastructure Services Committee meeting.

BUSINESS ARISING FROM MINUTES AND UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Recommendation No. 4 *SCRD Board Resolutions Related to Solid Waste – January 2021*

The Solid Waste Management Plan Monitoring Advisory Committee recommended that the report titled SCRD Board Resolutions Related to Solid Waste – January 2021 be received for information.

REPORTS

Recommendation No. 5 *January 2021 Special ISC – Solid Waste Staff Reports*

The Solid Waste Management Plan Monitoring Advisory Committee recommended that the report titled January 20, 2021 Special Infrastructure Services Committee – Solid Waste Staff Reports be received for information.

Discussion included the following:

- Diversion requirements for landfill, waste export and waste to energy options
- Landfill approval in British Columbia
- Sunshine Coast limitations for waste to energy options as it relates to waste volume and contradictory to overall objective of reducing waste
- Waste export final destination could be changed in future

Recommendation No. 6 *February 2021 Special CAS – Solid Waste Staff Reports*

The Solid Waste Management Plan Monitoring Advisory Committee recommended that the report titled February 1, 2 & 5, 2021 Special Corporate and Administrative Services Committee, Round 1 Budget – Solid Waste Staff Reports be received for information.

Discussion included the following:

- Most budget proposals had been discussed at previous PMAC meetings as proposed initiatives
- Review of new budget proposals that had not been shared at previous PMAC meetings

Recommendation No. 7 *February 2021 ISC – Solid Waste Staff Reports*

The Solid Waste Management Plan Monitoring Advisory Committee recommended that the report titled February 11, 2021 Infrastructure Services Committee – Solid Waste Staff Reports be received for information.

Discussion included the following:

- Landfill and transfer station schedule optimization; impact on wait times, service level/budget impacts, commercial vs. residential
- Landfill re-diversion funding and implications

Recommendation No. 8 *Billboard at Sechelt Landfill*

The Solid Waste Management Plan Monitoring Advisory Committee recommended that a billboard be erected at the Sechelt Landfill, as a visual indicator, showing fill level relative to annual maximum capacity.

NEW BUSINESS

NEXT MEETING Tuesday, March 16, 2021

ADJOURNMENT 12:52 p.m.