

## Beaver County Solid Waste Advisory Committee Meeting Summary

Meeting held on February 28, 2025 at the Brady's Run Ice Arena Observation Deck at 1:30 pm and adjourned at 3:00 pm.

Meeting attendees: Log in sheet and documentation of virtual attendees is attached to this summary  
Housekeeping and Introduction of all of those in attendance both in person and virtually.

M. Nestor presented a power point presentation, the topics covered as a part of the presentation:

County's Primary Responsibilities under ACT 101

Flow Control Strategies

Obtaining Landfill Disposal Capacity

Current Trends

Future Landfill Capacity

Summary of the Discussion of the Presentation:

M. Nestor highlighted a component of the previous plan that will not be included in the revision. Language in previous plans included "back up" landfills where waste could be diverted if daily intake capacity had been met.

Materials presented included a limited data range 2019-2022. 2023 data will be added to the draft plan. Dep's database was not available.

The first few chapters of the draft plan will be available on the County's web site as soon as the 2023 data is available and can be added.

The County's prior solicitation of interest process was discussed. J. Manning and J. Pflug asked about the Department's sustainability fee. J. Manning stated that cost of the programs must be supplemented by grants and other revenue sources to continue the current services.

J.Pflug inquired as to whether, or not the current fee covers the expenses.

B. Naber addressed J.Pflug's inquiry, the operational budget of the Department (the budget is available on the County's website) varies year to year, but currently is around \$150,000 and the fee generates \$110,000-\$120,000. Other Recycling Grants supplement the operations (902 and 904 grants). The operational budget does not include the wages.

M. Nestor proposed that Beaver County participate in a meeting with the Department of Environmental Protection to discuss the fee and the solicitation of interest process.

Housekeeping note: Liz Bertha will no longer be on the SWAC Committee, she is taking a new position. Joe McWilliams will be representing Vogel Holdings.

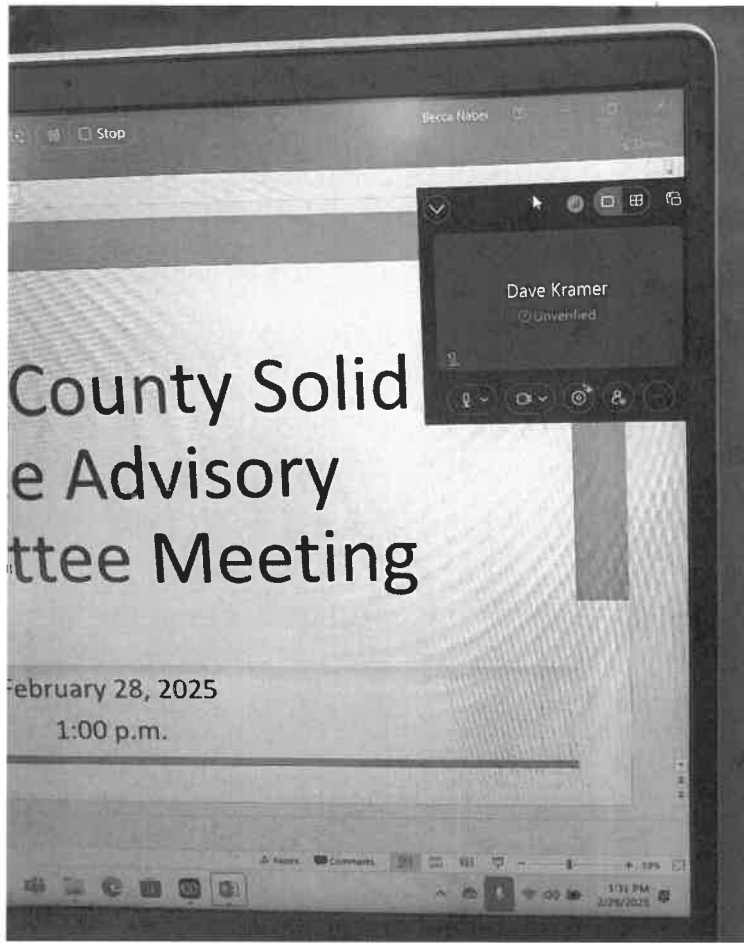
Charles Jones, Beaver Falls was unable to get logged into the meeting virtually. B. Naber will follow up with the I.T. Department.

Beaver Co. SWAC Committee

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Meeting Start Time: 1:30 PM Meeting End Time: 2 PM

Please Sign/Initial or Indicate Attended Virtually:	Name	Organization, Agency or Office	Address	City, State, Zip Code
<i>AMM</i>	Commissioner Jack Manning	Beaver County Commissioner	810 3rd Street	Beaver, PA 15009
<i>AMM</i>	Jeff Pflug, District Manager	Beaver Conservation District	156 Cowpath Road	Aliquippa, PA 15001
	Bryan Dehart, Township Manager	Brighton Township	1300 Brighton Road	Beaver, PA 15009
	Charles Jones	City of Beaver Falls	715 15th Street	Beaver Falls, PA 15010
<i>AMM</i>	Mario Leone	Ambridge Borough	600 11th Street	Ambridge, PA 15003
<i>Joseph Brunner</i>	Joseph J. Brunner Jr.	Joseph J. Brunner Inc.	211 Brunner Lane	Zelienople, PA 16063
<i>Tom Conner</i>	Travis Cavanaugh, Borough Manager	Economy Borough	2856 Conway Wallrose Road	Baden, PA 15005
<i>Vicky Michaels</i>	Vicky Michaels, Executive Director	Independence Conservancy	PO Box 248	Industry, PA 15052
<i>Susan Boser</i>	Susan Boser, Educator	Penn State Cooperative Extension	1000 3rd Street, Suite 3	Beaver, PA 15009
	Josh Francis	Bills Tree Service	118 Thorndale Drive	Beaver Falls, PA 15010
<i>Cory Dollear</i>	Cory Dollear, Operations Manager	Republic Services	73A Noblestown Road	Carnegie, PA 15106
<i>Jim Wilson</i>	Jim Wilson	Freedom Conway Recycling LLC	2001 Crows Run Road	Conway, PA 15027
	Doug Vogel or Joe McWilliams	Vogel Disposal/Valley Waste	121 Brickyard Road	Mars, PA 16046
<i>Elizabeth (Liz) Bertha</i>	Elizabeth (Liz) Bertha	Seneca Landfill/Vogel Holding Co.	PO Box 1080	Mars, PA 16047
Virtual	Dave Kraver	Monarch Manager		
Attendees				
<i>Becca Naber</i>	Becca Naber	Beaver Co. Sustainability and Waste Management	469 Constitution Blvd.	New Brighton, PA 15066
<i>Jessie McNear</i>	Jessie McNear	Beaver Co. Sustainability and Waste Management	469 Constitution Blvd.	New Brighton, PA 15066
<i>Wendy Yurcica</i>	Wendy Yurcica	Hobbesell Top	1700 Clark Blvd	Aliquippa PA 15001



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Virtual attendance