



MEETING MINUTES

Solid Waste Resource & Management Plan Monitoring Advisory Committee

Friday, October 6, 2023

1:00 PM – 4:00 PM

Location: Zoom & SLRD Administration Office

DRAFT Minutes of the SWRMP Monitoring Advisory Committee (PMAC) of the Squamish-Lillooet Regional District held via Electronic Facilities on Friday, October 6, 2023 at 1:00 PM. Meeting location: SLRD Administration Office, 1350 Aster Street, Pemberton, BC.

In attendance electronically:

Committee: C. Stacey; D. Imbeau; A. Tucker; S. White; M. Cossette, S. Maxwell;
S. Kerr; M. Lampman; ME; C. Reid; K. Bayley

Staff: ML. Leblanc (Chair – SLRD Resource Recovery Coordinator)

Public: None

In attendance at the SLRD Administration Office:

Staff: V. Lafontaine (SLRD Communications and Projects Coordinator)

Regrets: S. Senger; L. Phillips; T. Laviolette; A. Arnott; M. Lampman

1. Call to Order

ML called the meeting to order at 1:10 pm.
Welcome and land acknowledgement.

2. Adoption of Agenda and Meeting Notes

It was moved and seconded:

THAT the agenda be approved.

C. Stacey requested the opportunity to share her experiences relating to waste and illegal dumping after the Gun Lake wildfire. Included in the Roundtable Discussion.

CARRIED (MOTION 1)

It was moved and seconded:

THAT the June 21, 2023 minutes be approved.

CARRIED (MOTION 2)

3. Actions from Last Meeting

SLRD to organized a Pemberton Transfer Station tour in 2023

Tour was scheduled for this meeting but due to schedule conflicts and lack of participants it was cancelled. Members were invited to reach out individually if there was interest in organizing a tour.

1. Village of Pemberton – Green Team Presentation

Village of Pemberton staff presented the initiatives and projects completed and/or initiated by the Green Team in 2023.

- Pitch-In Week
- Staff waste education (Staff Summer Party)
- Cigarette containers
- Canada Day education booth

Future Projects

- Pitch-In 2024
- Pop-up educational booths
- Streetscape bin project
- Staff compost
- Dog waste

2. Solid Waste & Resource Management Plan 5-year Review - Ecoinspire

SM presented the Draft Solid Waste & Resource Management Plan 5-year Review.

Presentation outline:

- Plan Goals
- Action Review
- Key Factors
- First Nations
- Waste Analysis
- Green House Gases
- Economic Development
- Compliance

- Partner Input
- Effectiveness
- Recommendation
- Questions/Discussion

Answers to questions:

- Start SWRMP update in 2025 with a target completion date of 2027.
- Develop a framework in 2024 to assist members in assessing time requirement.

Discussion topics:

- Textiles

PMAC members are to submit their final comments on the Draft Solid Waste & Resource Management Plan 5-year Review by October 20, 2023.

3. Roundtable Discussion

Members were invited to share updates and discuss current initiatives.

CS Concerns regarding post wildfire illegal dumping generated by properties being cleaned without appropriate permits and consequently hazardous waste being spread in the natural areas.

MC Concerns regarding the Pemberton Transfer Station only accepting residential waste especially for small businesses.

4. Next Steps

Actions:

1. Committee members are to submit their final comments regarding the SWRMP 5-year review by October 20, 2023.

5. Next Meeting / Adjournment

Next meeting date to be confirmed.

Location: Online and SLRD Administration Office.

Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 4:00 pm.