

Shepherdstown Recycling Task Force Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, November 20, 2018
8:30 a.m.
Town Hall
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1. Members Present: Chris Stroech – Chair, Lori Robertson, Shane Broadwater, and Elizabeth McGowen
2. Members absent: None
3. Staff Present: None
4. Call to order – C. Stroech called Meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.
5. Approval of minutes-

C. Stroech – No new minutes to approve.
6. Visitors – None
7. Public Comment –
Logged in where applicable
8. Old Business:
None
9. New Business
 - a. Discussion/Action on November 7th public input meeting -
C. Stroech – 4-5 people came and spoke. One item brought up was the reuse of plastic bags already in circulation. Can they be reused? Can they be collected at a site in town? Can we create a cloth/reusable bag that has an interesting design in place of plastic bags? Do we allow biodegradable, and or compostable bags?
 - b. C. Stroech will put the final touches on the proposed ordinance, and send to Amy Boyd to be added to the Public Works agenda.
 - c. We need to compile a comprehensive list of distributors for alternative environmentally friendly source. We will each work on this.
L. Robertson – to check on reusable bags- cloth, etc.
L. Robertson – will reach out again to Bags to Benches program from Trex.

E. McGowen – if there are no objections, move to recommend the proposed Recycling Ordinance to Public Works. None noted.

C. Stroech – if there are no objections, move to adjourn 8:55 a.m. None noted.

Draft Minutes Respectfully submitted by Lori Robertson