

RECYCLING TASK FORCE
Monday, June 23, 2008
DRAFT Minutes and July Supervisors' Report

The fifth meeting of the Recycling Task Force was held on Monday, June 23, 7:00 PM, Municipal Building. Present were Chairman Rhona Klein, Ridings Way, Mary Marines, Pennock Insurance, Donna Reeves, DNB Bank, Toni Sciallo, Painters Crossing, Paul Reusselle, Painters Crossing, Daniel Hoffman, Hunters Lane, and Lynn Jarke, Spring Lane. Minutes from the May 27th meeting were reviewed and approved.

Residents Survey: The group approved the content and layout of the Residents Survey, as well as the accompanying news article. Both will be emailed on June 24th to Jill Egan, editor of the Civic Association newsletter, who will arrange printing and distribution via the Summer Issue of the Chadds Ford Times. Lynn volunteered to collate survey responses and provide a report prior to the August meeting. *Owner: Lynn*

Businesses Survey: We confirmed our prior decision to distribute the Businesses Survey via the Chadds Ford Business Association's website and/or email capability. Mary will work with the Business Association to distribute the survey ASAP. She will also work with Maryann Furlong to determine what businesses are not covered by this distribution mechanism, and will arrange distribution via surface mail. *Owner: Mary*

Residents Recycling Day Sept 27th: We reviewed progress Donna has made lining up vendors for the event. Decisions and next steps are as follows:

- Paper Shredding – a vendor identified by Donna, price being negotiated (currently \$750)
- Propane Tanks – Comfort Home & Hearth identified by Donna; free
- Tires – Paul will check with his friend; Donna will check with local auto shop
- Computers/Electronics – Toni will check with her contact; Donna will check with "Supreme"
- Appliances – Donna will check with Kodish
- Clothing – Donna will check with Goodwill on logistics and costs (if any)
- Sneakers – we will handle collection ourselves and ship to Nike "Reuse a Shoe"
- Household Hazardous Waste – will not be included

Owner: Donna

Community Education: We discussed the challenge we face disseminating information to the residents and businesses in Chadds Ford about what, how, when and where to recycle. Our only low-cost mechanism today is the quarterly Civic Association newsletter. We agreed to use this vehicle each quarter, but recognized the importance of also being able to post information on the Township website. Lynn will follow up with the supervisors to identify the issues(s) preventing this. Mary offered free webmaster services if helpful. *Owner: Lynn*

Preliminary Topics for July 28th Meeting (7 PM, Township Building)

- Recycling Day - finalize materials, vendors and costs for approval by supervisors at August Township meeting
- Legislation – review resolutions/ordinances in neighboring non-mandated townships; discuss options and recommendation for Chadds Ford
- Community Education – share progress regarding use of the Township website

Respectfully submitted,
LYNN JARKE, Recording Secretary