

Ontario County
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY COMMITTEE MINUTES
December 11, 2013

Committee Members: *BAKER*, Angelo, Huber, Evangelista, Sheppard, and Singer

Attendees: All Committee Members except Supervisor Angelo; John Garvey, Darlys, McDonough, Tim Jensen, and Linda Frasca.

Consultants/Guests: Carla Jordan (**Casella Waste Management**); Bob Walls (**Casella Waste Management**)

Chairman Baker called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m., and declared Supervisors Angelo necessarily absent

Approval of Minutes: *Motion was made by Supervisor Sheppard, seconded by Supervisor Singer to approve the minutes of the 11/27/2013 meeting as presented.* Motion carried.

Solid Waste Management Plan:

Update: County Administrator John Garvey reported that the County has heard nothing from the consultant or the state on the SWMP. He will be checking in with them both periodically over the next few weeks.

360 Expansion Permit

Update: Mr. Garvey stated that he had no update at this time.

Landfill Operational Update:

Casella Waste Management: Ms. Jordan reported on the ongoing construction project at the landfill. All the gas connections are now made so the gas connection portion of the project is completed. The remainder of the project is related to an existing cap that needs work as there are some areas where leachate seems to be pushing out against the cap. The work to be completed will ensure that the leachate is draining correctly. While this part of the project is going on there are some areas of the cap that are exposed so there may be some odor leakage. Work on this part of the project should be completed within the next week. The cap is being covered at the end of the day in order to alleviate odor issues. Casella did receive two odor complaints last week; one forwarded by the County and one by Supervisor Sheppard. The complaints correspond with the last leg of the cap project that is being worked on. Everything is up to date at this time.

Bob Walls informed the Committee that outdoor lighting has been installed on the Manor house.

Other:

Chairman Baker thanked everyone for a great year, and gave special note of thanks to Supervisor Sheppard for being Vice Chair of the EQC and for chairing a few of the meetings when Supervisor Baker was unable to attend. He also thanked Supervisor Huber for her many years of service on the Committee and the Board of Supervisors and stated she would be very much missed.

Adjournment: There being no further business to come before the committee, ***motion was made by Supervisor Sheppard, seconded by Supervisor Singer, to adjourn.*** The meeting was adjourned at 4:06 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda R. Frasca

Sr. Clerk