

Strafford Recycling Committee  
September 26, 2016 – Recycling Center  
4:30 PM

- I. Attendance – Michael Scanlan – chair; Dori Wolfe – Recycling Coordinator; Dave Harris; Scott Moore; Vince Robinson
- II. Minutes from the last two meetings – 7/18/16 and 8/22/16 both approved
- III. Old Business
  - A. Training on proper disposal of mercury – Protocol for "white" appliances in the scrap metal: If the appliance might have a mercury switch or fluorescent bulb back-lighting, we need to remove the mercury first, so we will instruct volunteers to leave the appliance on the ramp in front of the bin, and we will check and remove any mercury before putting in the bin after marking “No HG”.
  - B. NEGRF Grant missed (Sept 15) for compactor in conjunction with “Strafford Stompers”. Getting pricing for compactor from Todd at Atlantic Recycling. 2017 project.
  - C. Large Trash Feedback – discussion about taking clean lumber and other building materials on site to compost or burn. Michael to research more what materials are “clean”, and what other options might we provide (like having a separate vehicle on Large Trash days for such material to be hauled separately).
  - D. Budget – have rough costs from Casella for compactor installation and tube rental to include as one of the options. Current plan is to stay with current process.
- IV. New Business:
  - A. Additional committee member/Recycling Coordinator needed to replace Dori (leaving end of December) – still researching.
  - B. Contents for an article for the Strafford News/Listserve – Strafford Stompers.
- V. Next Meeting: Monday, October 24 at 4:30 pm at the recycling center unless announced otherwise.  
Note – this is the 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month, due to schedule conflicts with the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday.