

Sweetwater County Solid Waste District #2  
Landfill located 265 Crooks Gap  
County Road 23  
3 Miles South of Wamsutter  
Main Office: 509 Indian Paintbrush Ave Bairoil, WY 82322  
307-328-2084

**Minutes  
October 19, 2023  
Conference call @ 5 p.m.**

Chairman Clawson called this meeting to order at 5:15 p.m.  
Board members present at the Bairoil office were Butch McFall,  
Clerk-Manager Sue Rigano and Landfill Supervisor Jeff Evans  
Board Member present via telephone at Wamsutter, Vice-Chairman Gary Waldner, Seth Rauch,  
Landfill Operator Ben Carter.  
Guests present via telephone were Nicole Gardner and Patrick Gonzales representing Dirty Boyz.  
Secretary-Treasurer Dean Martin was absent.

**Public Comment:**  
No Public Comment

**Minutes of September 12, 2023:**  
With no changes to the minutes, they stand as written.

**Approval of the Amended Agenda for October 19, 2023.**  
A motion was made by Seth Rauch and seconded by Gary Waldner to approve the agenda as presented.  
Motion passed.

**Reports:**

Engineer Tom Pilch did well sampling at the Landfill on October 18, 2023  
The new Grappler was delivered (2) weeks ago, but employees have not used it yet.

**Office Computer/Printer:**

Clerk-Manager Sue Rigano stated she purchased a new Dell computer and Hp printer. We are having major issues with the printer hesitating between printing checks.  
Our I.T. person (Rodney) has been working with Dell and HP, both companies are claiming it is not their product. But, as of today's date 10-19,2023 HP will be sending us a replacement printer.  
If this does not fix the issues, then we will purchase a different name brand printer.

**Old Business:**

Accepting trash from Sinclair-Seth  
A discussion ensued among Board Members and Dirty Boyz, with Patrick Gonzales stating Dirty Boyz are asking permission to haul trash from Sinclair, Hanna and Ryan Park to our Landfill.  
Clerk/Manager Sue Rigano stated at this time Dirty Boyz charge account is in arrears.

Ms. Rigano stated she told Dirty Boyz their account had to be kept current or they would not be allowed to bring trash. The discussion continued; Dirty Boys wanted us to keep their credit card on file so we could receive payment each time they came out.

\*MS Rigano stated the Sweetwater County Solid Waste District #2 is not set up to accept credit cards as we are dealing in Public Monies.

A suggested solution being, Dirty Boyz will bring us a blank check each time they bring a load of trash.

Board member Gary Waldner stated if we get paid, he has no problem with them bringing trash.

**Seth Rauch suggested after Dirty Boyz gets a bill from us, they bring us a check the next time they come out to dump trash, eliminating the Post Office.** Chairman Clawson thought the Board could work with that.

### **Switch out work trucks-Jeff**

Landfill Supervisor Jeff Evans moved into the new 2022 Spare Truck, Mason Evans moved into Jeff's old work truck and Chris Ebell went back into his original work truck. This leaves us with NO spare vehicle.

Jeff is in the new 2022 spare.

Ben has a 2023 with 22,721- miles.

Mason has 2022 with 54,781 miles.

Jason has a 2021 with 29,189 miles.

Zane has a 2020 with 78,317 miles.

Chris has 2019 with 60818 miles.

Sue has 2018 Expedition with 35,545

Lowell stated Adam with Fremont told him they can now place orders for new vehicles.

Chairman Clawson informed the board he received a Price Quote of \$51,323, for a new pickup from Fremont Chevrolet Buick GMC out of Riverton. A discussion ensued among the board members. All Board members were sent a copy of the specs on a new vehicle from Adam in Riverton and the mileage on all our vehicles.

Chairman Clawson suggested since Zanes' pickup has the highest mileage, we keep that one for a spare and buy a new truck for Zane. Chairman Clawson asked Supervisor Evans the condition of Zanes truck.

Mr. Evans said it was well maintained and in good shape. Motion was made by Butch McFall and seconded by Seth Rauch to go ahead and order a new truck. Motion passed.

Landfill Supervisor Jeff Evans reported the 1997 Ford Pickup we have in Bairoil is leaking engine oil bad.

He asked the Board what they wanted to do about it. Get it fixed or sell it? Also, it does have a snowplow attachment. A discussion ensued, a motion was made by Seth Rauch and seconded by Butch McFall to get the 1997 Ford Truck pickup repaired. Motion passed.

### **Sell more dumpsters:**

Kurt Evezich with Eco Recycling will be picking up the remainder of the dumpsters on Friday, October 20, 2023, he purchased from us recently.

Kurt also is interested in purchasing any additional dumpsters we are willing to sell.

Supervisor Evans stated he would have to recount the amount at the Landfill. Jason Evans stated he has (9) at Bairoil he would let go but keep (4) for spares. We are getting \$100.00 apiece for them.

### **New Business**

Bid for Liner Repair.

We received a quote from Northwest Linings and Geotextile Products, Inc. to repair our damaged Linings at our Landfill. The quoted price was a maximum of \$43,180. Our Engineer Tom Pilch doesn't think it will cost that much possibly under \$40,000.

Mr. Pilch stated to do the repair work the temperature has to be 50 degrees or above.

Chairman Clawson suggested we schedule it to be repaired as soon as possible.  
Tom Pilch stated the bid is high but there are very few liner companies in the country.  
A discussion ensued among the board members as to different options to put weight on the liners to hold them in place, use sack create, old tires verses appliances.  
Landfill Supervisor Jeff Evans stated he felt sack create would be best as some of the original sacks are still there from when the liner was installed.  
Chairman Clawson informed the board we would have to purchase the sack create and we probably need 2 pallets. We can get sack create from RP Lumber in Rawlins  
A motion was made by Gary Waldner and seconded by Seth Rauch to accept the bid price of \$43,180 from Northwest Linings and Geotextile Products, Inc. Motion passed.

Ratify increased clothing allowance.  
Chairman Clawson stated the current clothing allowance is \$150.00 and has been for years.  
Chairman Clawson entertained a motion to raise the employees winter clothing allowance to \$350.00 per person due to the increased inflation. A discussion ensued.  
A motion was made by Butch McFall and seconded by Seth Rauch to raise the employees winter clothing allowance to \$350 per employee. Motion passed.

Customer past due accounts as of 10-19-2023

- Dirty Boyz-** \$65.00 They have told us twice they are mailing a check.
- Crow Hart-**\$815—They are disputing the charge tickets, because they don't know who is signing them. That is not our problem and it's not the first time we have had problems collecting from them.
- RP Oilfield -**\$1145- No response, we have e-mailed them and called on the phone with no response.
- Valard-**\$2,380- claims they will be paying on their next paying cycle, did not give a date.

Pay bills:  
A motion was made by Seth Rauch and seconded by Gary Waldner to pay bills Check # 18835 through Check # 18893 including all Dc' and EFTs in the amount of \$86,786.88. Motion passed.

**Next meeting date November 16,2023**

Meeting adjourned at 5:55 p.m.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Chairman Lowell Clawson

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk/Manger Sue Rigano

Date 11-16-23.