

SOLID WASTE COMMISSION MINUTES FROM SEPTEMBER 11, 2025

A regular meeting of the Buena Vista County Solid Waste Agency was held on September 11, 2025, at the City of Storm Lake City Hall Council Chambers. The meeting was called to order at 6:00pm by Chairman Erik Mosbo, with the following members present Bruce McGowan, Kim Woltman, Larry Robinson, Barry Meyer, Jim Wise, Bill Henrich, Lori Dicks (Manager), Gary Armstrong (Lawyer), Clark Fort (Insurance Agent).

Wise moved to approve the agenda; Meyer seconded the motion. All ayes, motion carried. Meyer moved to approve the minutes from the August 14, 2025 meeting, Henrich seconded the motion. All ayes, motion carried.

Mosbo presented the financials and the bills for payment as Jason Raveling was absent from the meeting. Wise moved to approve to pay the bills, including the additional unpaid bills. Robinson seconded the motion. All ayes, motion approved.

Lori Dicks presented the manager's report, stating Servpro has finished the fire clean up process. Rimmer Construction completed the punch list so the funds remaining can be paid, Platnum Crush has found an alternative disposal method for their grain waste. She stated on August 27, 2025 the 2024 Case skid steer while doing the required regen caught on fire. Vetter Equipment will file a claim as still under warranty.

The Comp Plan was discussed and one priority will be to continue the education and possibly had schools do a tour of the facility. Lori stated they use to do this prior to COVID. A recycle trailer was discussed for the smaller communities and grants are possible to help with that. Discussion on the issue with trailers will get garbage as well and this causes problems. Other items discussed were battery boxes located at city halls, drive thru recycling at the center.

Discussion was also presented now that summer is over to move the meetings back to 5pm. All members were ok with this move from 6pm to 5pm.

Next meeting will be October 16, 2025 at 5:00pm at City of Storm Lake Council Chambers.

At 6:47pm Wise motioned for adjournment, seconded by Henrich. All ayes, motion approved. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
---Kim Woltman, Secretary_--