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BUENA VISTA COUNTY SOLID WASTE COMMISSION JUNE 11, 2026

A regular meeting of the Buena Vista County Solid Waste Agency was held on June 9, 2026, at the City of Storm Lake City Hall Council Chambers. The meeting was called to order at 5:00pm by Chairman Erik Mosbo, with the following members present Tom Grafft, Jeff Westcott, Bruce McGowan, Kim Bolster, Barry Meyer, Bill Henrich, Jim Wise, Larry Robinson, Lori Dicks (Manager), Jason Raveling (Accountant), Clark Fort (Insurance Agent), Gary Armstrong (Attorney), Sean w/SCS Engineering.

Bolster indicated there is an item to add, workman's compensation insurance. Wise moved to approve the amended agenda; Meyer seconded the motion. All ayes, motion carried. Wise moved to approve the minutes from the May 14, 2026 meeting, Wise seconded the motion. All ayes, motion carried.

Jason Raveling presented the financials and the bills for payment, need to add late bill from SCS Engineering for \$697.50, new total is \$186,100.13. Grafft moved to approve to pay the bills. Robinson seconded the motion. All ayes, motion approved.

Lori presented the manager's report updating the board that the fire that happened at Sac County will probably require the building of a new building, we will continue to take their refuse. The roof on the east building has

been completed. The gutter work will be done by another contractor and has not been started. The part time scale operator has resigned after three weeks but a new employee has been hired. Health insurance is up for renewal. Comparisons were made between the current company and 4 others. Motion by McGowan to stay with the current company, Seconded by Bolster. All ayes, motion passed. Clark Fort presented the current and future costs of the insurance. Westcott motion to continue, seconded by Grafft. All ayes, motion approved. There were 4 propane bids received, Wessels \$1,135 gallon, Larson Oil \$1,136.1, Al's Corner \$1,159, New Century FS \$1.24. McGowan would like to stay with Larson Oil. Wise made motion to approve Larson Oil. Seconded by Meyer, All ayes, motion carried. Sean w/SCS Engineering stated the DNR has approved the report to shut off leachate and to proceed with the closure care environmental covenant. Will need to do some repairs and he presented 2 plans and the DNR requires work plans, Grafft motion for SCS present the board with work plan and estimate to do the work. Sean will get the information and present it to the board in the July meeting.

Next meeting will be July 9, 2026 at 5:00pm at City of Storm Lake Council Chambers.

At 5:43 pm Wise motioned for adjournment, seconded by Meyer. All ayes, motion approved. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Kim Bolster, Secretary