

Carter County Landfill Committee
November 6, 2017
Little Milligan School

Meeting called to order by Commissioner Dietz at 6:00pm.
Commissioners Carroll, Dietz, Hill, Miller, Peters, Ward and VonCannon were present.
Commissioner Simerly was absent.
Motion by Hill, seconded by Ward to approve the agenda
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Both motions passed by acclamation.

Old Business

\$18,000 is requested from landfill reserve account to pay S.N.M.E. for the landfill survey to determine remaining life span for demolition operations. Motion by Hill, seconded by Miller to bring this request to the Budget Committee for approval passed by unanimous roll call vote.

EPA Permitting on the air curtain destructor is in the public comment phase. If there are no complaints from neighboring property owners, Director Lyons believes the brush incinerator will be allowed at the Carter County landfill. Permit could be available in as little as 15 days, and Lyons needs to be able to act on the \$25,000 used unit (retail \$100,000+) quickly if we get green light. Motion was made by Hill, seconded by Peters to bring the request to the Budget Committee to approve the \$25,000 expenditure from the landfill reserve account. It was noted that by servicing the City of Elizabethton's brush disposal needs alone, this unit would recoup the initial investment with a possible margin of profit.

New Business

Director Lyons reported that 3 landfill skids were deployed to Roan Mountain at no cost to residents cleaning up debris in the aftermath of the flooding event. Based on posted rates for dumpster service, the 12 trips to empty and replace these tubs cost the landfill \$2,045.38, and 26.95 tons of debris was handled at no cost to Roan Mountain flood victims. Director Lyons informed the committee that he simply wanted to do the right thing to do to help people in their time of need.

Secretary's note: THANK YOU on behalf of Roan Mountain.

Household Hazardous Waste Day will be the second weekend in May at the recycling center.

There will be no Landfill meeting in December.

Meeting adjourned at 6:35