

**MINUTES OF THE DECATUR COUNTY  
SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT BOARD**

Tuesday, September 25, 2018 AT 6:00 P.M.

The meeting of the Decatur County Solid Waste Management District Board was called to order by Chairman Jerome Buening on Tuesday, September 25, 2018 at 6:00 P.M. at the Decatur County Solid Waste Office.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** City of Westport Town Council Joyce Brindley, County Councilman Kenny Hooten, Commissioner Rick Nobbe, Commissioner Jerome Buening

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** City Council Vietta McKenzie, County Councilman Kenny Hooten, Commissioner Mark Koors

**OTHERS PRESENT:** District Director Brittani Saunders, Jay Hull of Best Way Indiana

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** Motion was made by Joyce Brindley to approve minutes of July 2018 meeting. Mayor Manus seconded and the motion carried.

**APPROVAL OF CLAIMS:** Motion was made by Joyce Brindley to approve August and September 2018 Claims. Mayor Manus seconded and the motion carried.

**DIRECTOR'S REPORT: Brittani Saunders**

**Tox-a-Way Day Report:**

	<b>Pounds Collected</b>
<b>TYPES OF WASTE</b>	<b>2018</b>
Household Hazardous Waste	58934.30
Tires	148160.00
Appliances	10150.00
E-Waste	36880.00
TOTAL	254124.30
Overall Change from Prev. Year	-29668.00

Tox-a-Way for 2018 went very well. Rick Nobbe and several members of EMA helped stage traffic in the pool parking area this year. This was a huge improvement and helped keep traffic off of the main road. Several people commented about how organized everything went. There were no issues from residents and everyone seemed very happy with how this year's event went. A big thank you to all of the volunteers and board members who were there to make this event successful.

Remaining Events for 2018: There will be a Westport Electronic Recycling and Shredding event on October 20<sup>th</sup>. There will be an Electronics Recycling and Paper Shredding event on November 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Decatur County Fairgrounds that will be in partnership with Greensburg Meals on Wheels.

**Other Comment:**

We are currently having more dumping problems at our recycling location on South Monfort. TV's, furniture, and trash are being dumped here on a regular basis. Will try cheap corrugated signs to see if this helps at all. There are also video cameras up and we will try to send letters to those in violation.

The Mayor let the board know that the City of Greensburg has bought a pull behind leaf vac. When he receives the leaf vac he will speak with Brittani about any changes that would need to occur in regards to the yard waste program.

**Motion was made by Joyce Brindley to adjourn the September meeting. Rick Nobbe seconded and the motion carried.**

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Jerome Buening, Chairman

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Brittani Saunders, Attest