

MATERIALS MANAGEMENT PLANNING COMMITTEE

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MEMBERS

Dave Pixley, Jim May
B. Bollwahn, J. Gagnon, J. Hurt, J. Williams, J. Michalec, L. Jones, D. Stimpson, M. Tomaszewski, R. Wimple
301 N. Main St, Adrian, MI 49221

MEETING LOCATION

Chambers

Minutes: Wednesday, August 5, 2026

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 AM by Commissioner Stimpson

Present: Commissioner Stimpson, Gagnon, Williams, Michalec, Jones, Tomaszewski
Also Marketing & Communications Coordinator Jennifer Ambrose, County
Present: Administrator Kim Murphy, Solid Waste Program Coordinator Julie Maurer, Community Engagement Specialist Quin Wilt, Commissioner Jim Van Doren, Isaac Peck, Dave Pachar

II. Approval of Minutes

A. Approval of Minutes: 07/01/26

Motion by Michalec, Second by Gagnon to Approve the minutes of the 7.01.2026 Materials Management Planning Committee. Votes in Favor: Commissioner Stimpson, Gagnon, Williams, Michalec, Jones, Tomaszewski. Opposed: None. Motion Passed.

III. Reports - Solid Waste

- A. Materials Management Finance Report
- B. Recycling & Hauling Reports
- C. Program Coordinator's Report

IV. Existing Business

A. Recycling Pilot Update

Maurer noted that she will be sending out the updated intergovernmental agreements to Onsted and Hudson next week to continue the program through the next year, and she is working on securing the additional locations for recycling dumpsters.

B. Organics Pilot Update

Maurer reported that there are more than 20 signups of residents willing to collect food scraps and now the marketing campaign strategy will switch to encouraging people to bring their scraps to the locations.

V. New Business

A. MMP Rough Draft Review and Discussion

The rough draft should be ready for the committee to start reviewing two weeks before the next meeting. We are in the final year of the MMP process and it appears Lenawee may finish early and be one of the first counties in the state to complete it.

B. MMP Approval Timeline

Tentative Timeline

Lenawee County's Notice of Intent was accepted on July 3, 2024, starting the 36-month clock to get all of this done. The deadline date would be July 3, 2027.

Sept. 2: MMPC Meeting – Plan Draft Approval

60 days of public comment begin – DPA to immediately post on website, share on social media, share newsflash on website.

DPA to send 30-day notice of public hearing for the Oct. 7 meeting.

Oct. 7: MMPC Meeting – Public Hearing

DPA revises draft based on public comment.

Nov. 4 – MMPC Meeting – Committee approves final draft

DPA submits an Action Request form Board of Commissioners for approval and review by any additional committees.

Nov. 10-Dec. 9 – Board of Commissioner's approval process

December 14 – DPA sends Plan to municipalities for review

Municipalities have 120 days to accept or reject MMP. (67 percent of those who respond must accept, non-responses do not count toward the percentage)

April 13, 2027 – DPA submits plan to EGLE

Note: This process can be delayed 1 or 2 months if there are any needed changes during the approval process. After that, we can still delay, but would need an extension from EGLE.

VI. Public Comment

VII. Adjournment

Motion by Williams, Second by Michalec to Adjourn. Votes in Favor: Commissioner Stimpson, Gagnon, Williams, Michalec, Jones, Tomaszewski. Opposed: None. Motion Passed.