Groton Recycling Committee Meeting April 21, 2022 Groton Town Hall

Attendees: Jamie King, Tessa David, Nancy Ohringer, Diana Keaney (recorder)

Welcome 7:10

March 10, 2022 minutes approved unanimously.

Eagle Project update - Transfer Station recycling display boxes - Catherine Daly unable to attend so no update.

Update on Transfer Station plastic's #2 sign – Jamie will take a new picture for the sign.

Transfer Station battery collection signage – Jamie brought to the meeting a clear plastic jug with a hole in the cover for button cell batteries to fit in. The committee thought it was a great idea. Jamie has some printer labels that will fit well on the jug, and he'll drop them off at Diana's house and she'll see if she can print onto them. He plans on putting Velcro on the bottom, so it stays in place. We discussed what should be on the label and came up with the following:

Button Coin Cell Batteries Watch Bicycle Computer Hearing Aid

Update on approach/drive by sign plans – tabled

Update on Recycling Committee Tips in Herald – Diana asked a scout (Dallas) and she is excited to come up with an image/graphic to help the tips stand out and they will go in the same place each time. Diana talked to the scout's dad, and he'll speak to her about the commitment.

Update on Transfer Station and Town wide Food waste collection – Tessa will follow up with Andrew about 1) Garden Club visit to compost site at which Nancy will take pictures for the Herald 2) general questions about how the site and curb side pick up is going.

Update on Recycling in Schools – John will walk through the schools to figure out how many rolling carts are needed. Tessa will get Nancy 2 96-gallon bins she has on Devens. A group of kids are just finishing some education videos and disseminating to the schools. Some high school kids started composting at the high school but it is not officially through the school.

Other items to share?

Adjourn: 8:05