

## Recycling meeting notes 11-17-2025

Attendees; Tessa David, Jamie King, Bart Yeager, Brian Callahan

Meeting open at 07:07 PM

Approved the meeting minutes from 09-11-2025 (3 yea, 1 abstain)

Brian Callahan will have a conversation with the Parks Committee to ask if it is possible or feasible to make it a best practice to require "NO TRASH" events in town. The use of compostable and biodegradable plastics and other recyclable materials would only be allowed.

Update videos for the Town of Groton Transfer Station page will be revisited in April. Tessa will reach out to Ashley Doucette for availability.

Brian Callahan will be creating a new Town of Groton "Transfer Station" FaceBook page. Stay tuned for more information.

A Swap Shed grant of \$6000 has been awarded to the Town of Groton Transfer Station for the development of a SWAP SHED. The funds are likely being earmarked to convert and update the existing red trailer on site. The interior will be refurbished and shelving will be added, the current staff will monitor and a set of Best Practice Rules will be created for this new recycling opportunity. The recycling committee supports this effort (3 yea, 1 abstain).

Discussion was had about potential LED lighting and an Electronic Sign board installed which would replace the existing sign board at the side of the Transfer Station office.

Recycling Bay Shadow Boxes to be updated, this process will be coordinated by Brian Callahan and the Transfer Station staff. Jamie King, Tessa David and Bart Yeager will assist with the team and would prefer to make this happen within the next two weeks.

Meeting adjourned at 7:46 PM