

**Minutes**  
**Joint Meeting of the Sanitation & Recycling Committee**  
**And the Spring Green Township**  
**Wednesday, January 28, 2015**  
**Held at Spring Green Village Office**  
**154 N. Lexington Street**  
**5:30 p.m.**

1. **Call to order and attendance:** Eugene Hausner called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m. Committee Members present: Eugene Hausner, Vern Demers, and Norm Miller. Others present: Wendy Crary, Greg Wipperfurth, Dave Radel, and Dennis Polivka.
2. **Appoint minute taker:** Wendy Crary appointed minute taker.
3. **Read and approve minutes of the March 12, 2014 Sanitation & Recycling Committee Meeting:** Demers moved and Miller seconded to approve the minutes of the March 12, 2014 Sanitation & Recycling Committee Meeting. Motion passed with all in favor.
4. **Review and approve agenda:** Miller moved and Radel seconded to approve the agenda. Motion passed with all in favor.
5. **Discussion and possible action regarding an agreement between the Village of Spring Green and the Town of Spring Green for the operation/ maintenance of the Recycling Center /Burn Area.** The Committee and the Township reviewed the previous draft agreement. Radel stated, "The Township is concerned with Village Contractors bringing in trees & then being charged for ash removal and hours". Wipperfurth explained that the DNR and Township have contractors bringing in trees as well. The Committee and the Township discussed charging a fee for contractors bringing in loads. Polivka asked, "Why should the taxpayers pay for contractors utilizing the site for tree removal?" The consensus of the Committee and Township is to charge \$25.00 per contractor load for tree removal. Miller inquired about per load versus per day. Consensus remained that the charge will be \$25.00 per load. The Committee and Township decided that new and bigger signs with hours of operation are needed. Wipperfurth will ask the school if they can make the signs. It was decided that two new signs should be made, one with winter hours and one with summer hours. New padlocks will be purchased and three keys will be held by the Village and three by the Township. Polivka said, "I'm still concerned about the gate being left open". Wipperfurth responded, "We leave it open when we're hauling after a storm or tree removal". Polivka replied, "I understand, but then I don't want Jerome blamed for not watching where items are dumped". The \$25.00 per load contractor fee will be added to the draft agreement and then forwarded to the Town Board and Village Board for approval. No action was necessary regarding this matter.
6. **General Public Comment:** There was no general public comment at this time.
7. **Adjourn:** Polivka moved and Radel seconded to adjourn at 5:58 p.m.