

NOTICE: March 2021 SWAC meeting is open to in-person attendance and ZOOM.

IN PERSON Lewis County Public Services, Large Conference room, 2025 N.E. Kresky Ave, Chehalis

**ZOOM Instructions for
LEWIS COUNTY SOLID WASTE ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING**

Wednesday March 10, 2021 at 1:00 p.m.

Please see below.

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Lewis County Solid Waste Advisory Committee – Agenda

Wednesday, March 10, 2020 at 1:00 p.m.

Location: Lewis County Public Services, Large Conference room, 2025 N.E. Kresky Ave, Chehalis
(ZOOM option also available)

MASKS ARE REQUIRED!

1. **ROLL CALL:** Call to order by Terry Harris at 1:00 p.m. *Members in attendance.*
2. **PUBLIC COMMENT:**
3. **MEETING MINUTES:** February 10, 2021, meeting minutes to be approved.
4. **BUSINESS AGENDA:**
 - 4.1. **Review Action Items:** (Note: completed action items will be shown on the table for the next meeting's minutes then be "dropped." Date in "Comments/Resolution" section indicates when last update occurred.

Action Item Number	Task Description	Responsible Person	Comments/Resolution
120920-B	<i>Present draft CROP to SWAC</i>	<i>Utility</i>	<i>Review 12/09/2020 Completed 2/10/2021</i>
021021-A	<i>Review draft CROP and provide comments</i>	<i>SWAC</i>	<i>Review 2/10/2021</i>

4.2. **Contamination Reduction & Outreach Plan:** *discussion*

4.3. **Residential Free Disposal Voucher Program:** *discussion, recommendation*

4.4. **Reports/Updates:**

- 4.4.1. SWAC – Terry Harris, Chair
- 4.4.2. LeMay/Waste Connections – Tom Rupert, District Manager
- 4.4.3. Department of Ecology – Peter Lyon
- 4.4.4. Code Enforcement – Bill Teitzel
- 4.4.5. Lewis County Solid Waste – Utility Staff

5. **NEXT MEETING AGENDA ITEMS:** *Suggestions*
6. **NEXT MEETING:** April 14, 2021 from 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
7. **ADJOURNMENT:** The meeting was adjourned at:

Lewis County Solid Waste Advisory Committee – Minutes

Wednesday, February 10, 2021 at 1:00 p.m.

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Live Meeting with ZOOM option.*

MASKS ARE REQUIRED

1. ROLL CALL: Call to order by Terry Harris at 1:15 p.m. *Members in attendance.*

Member Name	Representation	Attendance
Terry Harris	SWAC Chairman	P
Bob Taylor	SWAC Co- Chairman	P
Jason Adams	WSU Extension/ Agriculture	P
Don Bradshaw	Citizen/Winlock	P
Peppy Elizaga	Business/Hampton Lumber	P
Samantha Fleischner	Waste Management Industry	P
Eddie Lewis	Waste Management Industry	U A
Jerry Lord	Chehalis Councilperson	U A
Tom Rupert	Waste Management Industry	E A
Max Vogt	Centralia Councilperson	P
Attendance is recorded for members P=Present; EA=Excused Absence; UA=Unexcused Absence		

Non- Member Name	Representation
Peter Lyon	Department of Ecology
Shannon Jones	Department of Ecology
Kathy McPherson	UTC
Matthew Perkison	UTC
Kim Ashmore	City of Centralia Public Workers, Director
Nick Harbert	Waste Management
Steve Gilmore	Republic Services
Josh Metcalf	Lewis County Public Workers, Director
Bill Teitzel	Lewis Co. Public Health & Social Services
Greg Gachowsky	LCSW Utility, Manager
Melanie Case	LCSW Utility, Recycle Coordinator
Laurie Fife	LCSW Utility, Administrative Assistant

A quorum was present with eight (8) of ten members in attendance.

2. PUBLIC COMMENT: None

3. PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES: January 13, 2021, meeting minutes were approved by motion.

Motion made by Samantha Fleischner and seconded by Bob Taylor to approve the minutes of the January 13, 2021, meeting. Motion carried.

4. BUSINESS AGENDA:

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120920-B	Present draft CROP to SWAC	Utility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review 12/09/2020 Presented and distributed 2/11/2021 complete
011321	Review Draft CROP and provide comments	SWAC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review 02/10/2021

4.2. Contamination Reduction & Outreach Plan (CROP):

Melanie reviewed the requirements of the CROP, which included actions to reduce contamination; key (problem) contaminants found in recycling and their impacts; analysis of costs and impacts to recycling, an implementation schedule of the outreach. The draft CROP will be forwarded to all SWAC members for review and comment. The draft CROP and comments will be discussed at the March 10th SWAC meeting.

4.3. Recycle Reset Updates:

Recycle Reset challenges continue in the recycle boxes. The commingled container will be removed on March 1st. An educational recycle mailing including a magnet will be going out to all county residents in the later part of February. The first load of paper recycling went to market.

4.4. Reports/Updates:

- 4.4.1. SWAC – Terry Harris, Chair- If members are unable to attend SWAC meetings, please notify Laurie so absences can be excused, and SWAC can anticipate a quorum present.
- 4.4.2. LeMay/Waste Connections – Tom Rupert, District Manager – No Report
- 4.4.3. Department of Ecology – Peter Lyon/ Shannon Jones – Statewide Plastic Bag Ban has been delayed until at least June 30th, which is subject to change.
- 4.4.4. Code Enforcement – Bill Teitzel – Seeing more tires in illegal dumpsites around county. New tire recycling collection event in March at Fairgrounds and in City of Winlock.
- 4.4.5. Lewis County Solid Waste – Greg Gachowsky – Wood grinding event starting February 24th until completed, followed by grading and graveling of that work area. Interviewing for new SW Operations Specialist, and new signage project is out for bid.

5. **NEXT MEETING AGENDA ITEMS:** No Suggestions

6. **NEXT MEETING:** March 10, 2021, from 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

7. **ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Terry asked about changing meeting time from 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm. No comments were made.

8. **ADJOURNMENT:** The meeting adjourned at 2:30 p.m.

**COMMUNITY LITTER CLEANUP PROGRAM
2021**

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	YTD TOTALS
Lewis County Litter Crew													
Supervisor Hours Litter	0.00												0.00
Supervisor Hours Illegal dumping	35.50												35.50
Road Miles	0.00												0.00
Crew Hours (supervisor)	35.50												35.50
Road side disposal weight	0.00												0.00
Disposal Fees	\$0.00												\$0.00
Illegal Dumpsites													
Dumpsites Cleaned	13.00												13.00
Pounds	4,120.00												4,120.00
Fees	\$192.07												\$192.07
Other item fees (tires, TVs, appliances)	255.00												\$255.00

DUMP SITES CLEANED UP IN JANUARY

	Road & Mile Post	Pounds	Other	Fee for Other	Number of Sites
Gore Rd MP 3		600.00	3 tire on rim	\$15.00	1
Little Hanaford Rd MP 2		280.00	2 tires on rim	\$10.00	1
Galvin Rd MP 1		320.00	8 tires on rim	\$40.00	1
			1 refrigerator; 1 tire		
Spencer Rd MP 9		200.00	on rim	\$28.00	1
Coal Creek Rd MP 2		500.00	5 tires off rim	\$15.00	2
Salzer Valley Rd MP 5		540.00	22 tires on rim	\$110.00	1
Teitzel Rd MP 1		560.00			1
Gore Rd MP 4		160.00	6 tires off rim	\$18.00	1
Hobson Rd MP .5		780.00	3 tires off rim	\$9.00	1
Brim Rd MP 3		180.00	2 tires on rim	\$10.00	1
		4,120.00		\$255.00	11.00

No new illegal dumpsite locations picked up this month. All are previously cleaned up sites.

Gore Road had two separate illegal dumps cleans up on different dates and the dumping locations were about a mile apart from each other. Coal Creek Road has two separate dump sites cleaned up on the same day at the same mile post.

LEWIS COUNTY SOLID WASTE UTILITY 2021 - TONNAGES

Month	Central Transfer Station		East Lewis County Transfer Station		2021 Total
	2020	2021	2020	2021	
January	5,610	6,263	588	647	6,910
February	5,112		691		-
March	5,719		707		-
April	5,840		812		-
May	5,832		769		-
June	6,486		839		-
July	7,487		815		-
August	7,083		946		-
September	6,944		853		-
October	6,703		839		-
November	5,958		611		-
December	6,682		657		-
Total Tonnage	75,457	6,263	9,126	647	6,910

Estimated Tonnage for 2021: **90,700**

Actual Tonnage/Estimated Tonnage: **8%**

Monthly Tonnage Comparison: January

2020 6,198

2021 6,910

Difference % 11%

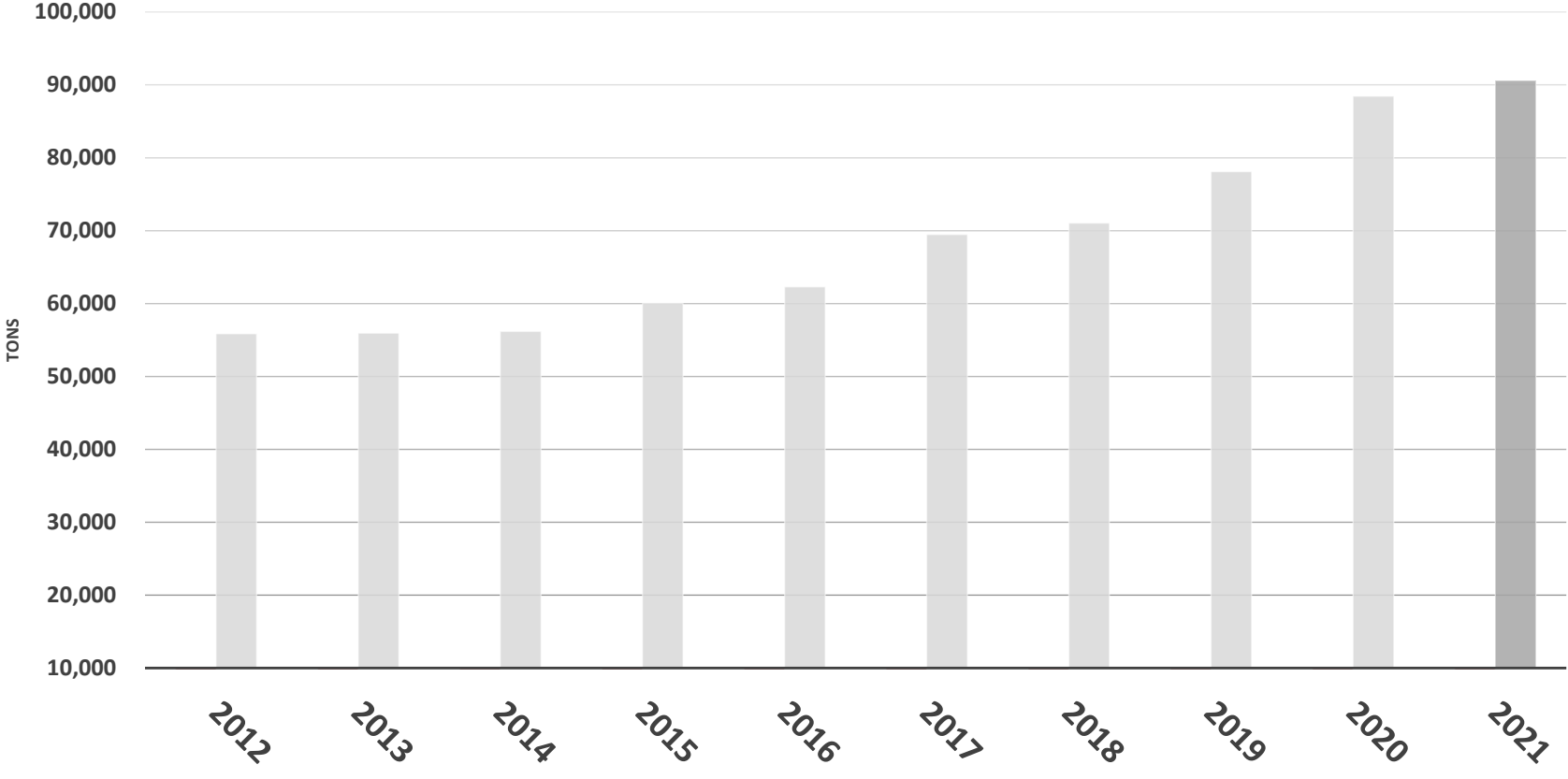
Customer Count Comparison: January

2020 8,763

2021 11,511

Difference % 31%

Annual Tonnage - Lewis County Solid Waste Utility



*2021 is an estimated tonnage