

SAGUACHE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
REGULAR SESSION MEETING
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2018

MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER:

The Meeting was called to order by Board Chair, Jason Anderson, at 2:01 P.M., with the following members present:

Jason Anderson, Commissioner, Board Chair
Ken Anderson, Commissioner
Tim Lovato, Commissioner
David Bitler, County Administrator
Ben Gibbons, County Attorney
Dominique White for Trish Gilbert, Clerk of Board

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Board Chair, Jason Anderson, invited those in attendance to join in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

Introduction of Guests:

Ed Smith, CDPHE
Doug Ikenberry, CDPHE
Randy Perila, CDPHE
David Kreutzer, CDPHE
Gary Fuselier, GLF Environmental Consultant
Gregory Knell, SMA
Randal Arredondo, Supervisor, Road and Bridge Department
Lisa Cyriacks, Crestone Eagle

LANDFILL COMPLIANCE CONFERENCE

Ed Smith: Stated issues that have been presented to the board on May 30, 2018, and follow up on October 16, 2018. There were two inspection reports from the State, and how to resolve the violations. The County had committed to the installation of 3 monitoring wells by 2015.

Randy Arendondo: Stated that he is working with Eric Jacobs on a proposed plan to resolve the compliance issues. The plan should be submitted by Friday November 16, 2018 and would consist of:

1. One new gas well each year
2. Recycle area to get cleaned up, plan with the state to salvage the aluminum and plastic.
3. 8 foot fence is now mobile.

Doug Ikenberry: Old or Recurring violations need to be solved: Fencing, Wind-blown trash.

Commissioner Jason Anderson: We value recycling, but it was a tenuous proposition in a rural area, with the markets changing, recycling wasn't making ends meet. We tried recycling and it just did not work. Grant funding will help to remove all recycled material to keep it out of the landfill.

Ed Smith: The state wants you to recycle, but it was not a repetitive violation.

NEGOTIATIONS

1. State will issue a compliance order
2. a schedule to get issues resolved
3. order on consent
4. Settlement Conference
5. Schedule for compliance
6. Review document and confirm.

MOTION BY COMMISSIONER KEN ANDERSON: TO WORK WITH CDPHE ON CONSENT COMPLIANCE ORDER TO RESOLVE THE LANDFILL VIOLATIONS. SECOND BY TIM LOVATO

VOTES IN FAVOR: 3

VOTES AGAINST: 0

MOTION CARRIED

Gary Fuselier: The public needs to know recycling is NOT free. Other alternatives for recycling, like getting bins, and daily cover tarps saving 40% air space. We're waiting for analysis from new wells to see if there is contamination.

Commissioner Jason Anderson: If there are no more questions; we are ready to move forward.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:

**DOMINIQUE WHITE FOR
TRISH GILBERT, CLERK & RECORDER**

DATE MINUTES APPROVED: February 7, 2018






**JASON ANDERSON, COMMISSIONER,
BOARD CHAIR**



KEN ANDERSON, COMMISSIONER



TIM LOVATO, COMMISSIONER



**ATTEST
TRISH GILBERT
CLERK & RECORDER**

