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**MANISTEE COUNTY
GREEN TEAM/RECYCLING COMMITTEE**

Thursday, March 25, 2021
8:30 A.M.

Manistee County Courthouse & Government Center
Board of Commissioners Meeting Room and via Zoom

AGENDA

- 1) Call to Order
- 2) Public Comment
- 3) Sarah Archer - P.A. 69 Recycling Update (APPENDIX A)
- 4) Other Items From Committee Members
- 5) Adjournment

**Manistee County Green Team
Recycling Program Report – March 22, 2021
Sarah Archer, Iris Waste Diversion Specialists, Inc.**

The following is a summary of Recycling Program activity since February 23, 2020.

Meeting Attendance

- Green Team – February 25, 2021 virtual
- Michigan Recycling Coalition – Northwest Michigan Regional Meeting – February 25, 2021 virtual
- Networks Northwest Materials Management Advisory Committee – February 26, 2021 virtual
- Northwest Michigan Organics Diversion Project – March 1, 2021 virtual
- Arcadia Recycling Committee – March 5, 2021 – in person

Current Volume Report

Total weight (pounds) of materials collected from 7 PA69 Recycling Program drop-off sites. See attached Volume Report for site specific data.

January	41,876	April		July		October	
February		May		August		November	
March		June		September		December	
						Total To-Date	41,876

Education

- Monthly e-newsletter sent.
- Educational signage was ordered for the Kaleva site PCA trailer to direct people to recycle cardboard at Bay Area Recycling for Charities (during business hours) when trailer is full. This sign along with signs purchased through EGLE Recycling Quality Improvement grant will be provided to Kaleva DPW for installation.
- A Recycle Right banner was ordered and put up at the Dickson Township recycling site.

Grant Projects

- **EGLE 2020 RECYCLING QUALITY IMPROVEMENT GRANT**
 - The process began for putting together content to customize the ReCollect online recycling directory for Manistee area recycling and reuse options. Launch of the online directory will coincide with Earth Day, April 22.
- **MANISTEE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION LIMITLESS FUND GRANT**
 - A funding decision on grant application \$5,000 is expected by April 30, 2021. A \$5,000 request was made which will be applied towards the cost of fencing for the new recycling site at the County Fairgrounds.
- **EGLE RURAL ELECTRONICS RECYCLING GRANT – application period March 17 – May 14, 2021**
 - Maximum request \$15,000 with 25% local match funds required.
 - Funds paid through reimbursement process.
 - Two-year time frame is given preference.
- **EGLE RECYCLING INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT – release anticipated March-April**

Operations

- Archer has received the plat dimensions from Onekama Township Planning Committee and continues to develop a plan for relocation of the recycling site to the County Fairgrounds.

- Arcadia Township has established a Recycling Committee and is looking into alternative options for recycling at the current site which is located at the Township Hall. Archer is attending meetings and advising the committee as requested.
- Illegal dumping of household bedding and appliances occurred at Springdale Township site on March 17, 2021 which required an additional visit by the Site Monitor to clean up the materials.

JANUARY	LBS	% Change from Previous Month	JULY	LBS	% Change from Previous Month
Arcadia Twp	9,128.0	-35%	Arcadia Twp	0.0	
Brown Twp	5,079.0	0%	Brown Twp	0.0	
Cleon Twp	3,807.0	0%	Cleon Twp	0.0	
Dickson Twp	1,119.0	N/A	Dickson Twp	0.0	
Maple Grove Twp	7,617.0	0%	Maple Grove Twp	0.0	
Onekama Twp	12,171.0	-26%	Onekama Twp	0.0	
Springdale Twp	2,955.0	-29%	Springdale Twp	0.0	
JANUARY TOTALS	41,876.0	-15%	JULY TOTAL	0.0	
FEBRUARY			AUGUST		
Arcadia Twp	0.0		Arcadia Twp	0.0	
Brown Twp	0.0		Brown Twp	0.0	
Cleon Twp	0.0		Cleon Twp	0.0	
Dickson Twp	0.0		Dickson Twp	0.0	
Maple Grove Twp	0.0		Maple Grove Twp	0.0	
Onekama Twp	0.0		Onekama Twp	0.0	
Springdale Twp	0.0		Springdale Twp	0.0	
FEBRUARY TOTALS	0.0		AUGUST TOTAL	0.0	
MARCH			SEPTEMBER		
Arcadia Twp	0.0		Arcadia Twp	0.0	
Brown Twp	0.0		Brown Twp	0.0	
Cleon Twp	0.0		Cleon Twp	0.0	
Dickson Twp	0.0		Dickson Twp	0.0	
Maple Grove Twp	0.0		Maple Grove Twp	0.0	
Onekama Twp	0.0		Onekama Twp	0.0	
Springdale Twp	0.0		Springdale Twp	0.0	
MARCH TOTALS	0.0		SEPTEMBER TOTAL	0.0	
APRIL			OCTOBER		
Arcadia Twp	0.0		Arcadia Twp	0.0	
Brown Twp	0.0		Brown Twp	0.0	
Cleon Twp	0.0		Cleon Twp	0.0	
Dickson Twp	0.0		Dickson Twp	0.0	
Maple Grove Twp	0.0		Maple Grove Twp	0.0	
Onekama Twp	0.0		Onekama Twp	0.0	
Springdale Twp	0.0		Springdale Twp	0.0	
APRIL TOTALS	0.0		OCTOBER TOTAL	0.0	
MAY			NOVEMBER		
Arcadia Twp	0.0		Arcadia Twp	0.0	
Brown Twp	0.0		Brown Twp	0.0	
Cleon Twp	0.0		Cleon Twp	0.0	
Dickson Twp	0.0		Dickson Twp	0.0	
Maple Grove Twp	0.0		Maple Grove Twp	0.0	
Onekama Twp	0.0		Onekama Twp	0.0	
Springdale Twp	0.0		Springdale Twp	0.0	
MAY TOTALS	0.0		NOVEMBER TOTAL	0.0	
JUNE			DECEMBER		
Arcadia Twp	0.0		Arcadia Twp	0.0	
Brown Twp	0.0		Brown Twp	0.0	
Cleon Twp	0.0		Cleon Twp	0.0	
Dickson Twp	0.0		Dickson Twp	0.0	
Maple Grove Twp	0.0		Maple Grove Twp	0.0	
Onekama Twp	0.0		Onekama Twp	0.0	
Springdale Twp	0.0		Springdale Twp	0.0	
JUNE TOTALS	0.0		DECEMBER TOTAL	0.0	
YEAR TO DATE (in lbs.)			41,876.0		
YEAR TO DATE (tons)			20.9		

Year to date comparison by site

Totals in pounds	Jan-20	Jan-21	Totals in tons	Jan-20	Jan-21
Arcadia Twp	7,480.0	9,128.0	Arcadia Twp	3.7	4.6
Brown Twp	4,176.0	5,079.0	Brown Twp	2.1	2.5
Cleon Twp	2,873.0	3,807.0	Cleon Twp	1.4	1.9
Dickson Twp	N/A	1,119.0	Dickson Twp	N/A	0.6
Maple Grove Twp	5,759.0	7,617.0	Maple Grove Twp	2.9	3.8
Onekama Twp	11,420.0	12,171.0	Onekama Twp	5.7	6.1
Springdale Twp	3,132.0	2,955.0	Springdale Twp	1.6	1.5
Totals in pounds	34,840	41,876	Totals in Tons	17.4	20.9