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Elizabeth Crotty
Commissioner and Chair

Minutes of a Meeting of the Trade Waste Advisory Board

Date and time: March 14, 2024 at 11:00 a.m.
Location: New York City Business Integrity Commission,
100 Church Street., 20th Floor
New York, NY 10007

Attendees:

Business Integrity Commission

Elizabeth Crotty, Commissioner and Chair
David Mandell, Associate Commissioner and Deputy General Counsel
Nicole Mathias, Director of Policy
Daisy Garcia Montiel, Policy Analyst (notes)

New York City Department of Sanitation (DSNY)

Frank Marshall, Assistant Commissioner, Bureau of Commercial Waste

Industry

Lewis Dubuque, National Waste and Recycling Association (NWRA)
Patrick Hyland, Metropolitan Trucking Association
Andrew Moss, Waste Connections of New York, Inc.
Josh Haraf, Action Carting Environmental Services, Inc.
Ron Bergamini, Action Carting Environmental Services, Inc.
Tom Toscano, Mr. T Carting Corp.
Michele Van Orden, Cardella Trucking Co. Inc. (virtual)
John DiNardi, D&D Carting Co. Inc. (virtual)
Amy Lestition Burke, Solid Waste Association of North America (SWANA) (virtual)
Kristyn Oldendorf, Solid Waste Association of North America (SWANA) (virtual)

BIC agenda items:

- Introduction of attendees.
- Disclosure of collisions/MV-104s:
    - BIC reminded the industry to disclose collisions to the Commission as required by BIC rules.
- Common observations by BIC:
    - Improper loading of trade waste leading to cleanliness and safety concerns.
    - Commercial establishments and trade waste companies must follow all appropriate DSNY and BIC recycling rules.
- Reminder regarding the next licensee customer register, which is due to BIC by April 30, 2024.
- Congestion Pricing:
    - Open discussion of logistical considerations related to trade waste collection once congestion pricing is in effect.

Agenda items requested by non-BIC TWAB attendees:

- Questions regarding Commercial Waste Zones implementation and communication between BIC, DSNY, and carters:
    - Mr. Marshall from DSNY confirmed that there will be additional guidance from DSNY to all designated carters regarding the next stages of implementation.
- Maximum permissible rate for commercial waste collection:
    - BIC confirmed that the matter is under review.

Next TWAB meeting

- A date for the next TWAB meeting will be confirmed by email.