



**Minutes from the Solid Waste Commission
July 30, 2025**

Members Present:

Hon. Anthony Scarpino, Commission Chair
Richard Wishnie, Deputy County Executive
Karin Hablow, Commissioner, Finance
Jim Maisano, Director, Consumer Protection
Terrance Raynor, Commissioner, Public Safety
Vincent Kopicki, Commissioner, Environmental Facilities (appeared virtually)
Jennifer Fields-Tawil (appeared virtually)

Others Present:

Peri Kadanoff, Executive Director, Solid Waste Commission
Wanda Steinmann, Deputy Director, Solid Waste Commission
Johanna Ordonez, Secretary to the Executive Director

The Commission Chair Hon. Anthony Scarpino asked the Commission members if they received the Agenda for this meeting and the Minutes from the previous meeting and all members answered in the affirmative. Commission Chair Scarpino asked if anyone had questions, regarding the Minutes to which all member answered in the negative.

Item One: Deputy County Executive Richard Wishnie made a motion to approve the minutes and Director Jim Maisano seconded the motion. The minutes were unanimously approved.

Item Two: Executive Director Peri Kadanoff discussed Resolution 23/2025, the authorization to issue Permits to Operate, with detailed information regarding the backgrounds and business information regarding twelve (12) companies seeking permits to operate that are being recommended to be approved by the Commission. Full background investigations were conducted on eleven (11) of the twelve (12) companies seeking permits, as well as their principals and no relevant negative information was identified which should prevent them from being licensed by the Solid Waste Commission. The final one (1) company is a "F" class license which is a class that does not require a full background investigation however no relevant negative information was uncovered through the fingerprint results of the principals of that company. After Executive Director Kadanoff recommended approving all twelve (12) companies for permit, Director Maisano made a motion to approve Resolution 23/2025 and Commissioner Terrance Raynor seconded the motion. Resolution 23/2025 was unanimously approved.

Item Three: Executive Director Kadanoff discussed Resolution 24/2025, Authorization to Issue

Licenses for eighteen (18) companies. No negative information was discovered during the probationary Permit period to prevent the conversion from a Permit to a License for these companies. Executive Director Kadanoff recommended approving all eighteen (18) companies for License. Deputy County Executive Wishnie made a motion to approve Resolution 24/2025 and Director Maisano seconded the motion. Resolution 24/2025 was unanimously approved.

Item Four: Executive Director Kadanoff discussed Resolution 25/2025, Authorization to Renew Licenses for sixteen (16) companies. Background investigations were conducted on six (6) of the companies with no relevant negative information revealed. The other ten (10) companies are all at the two-year point of the licensing cycle so they did not have full background investigations, however, no negative information has surfaced about these companies during that period that which would prevent renewal. Deputy County Executive Wishnie made a motion to approve Resolution 22/2025 and Commissioner Raynor seconded the motion. Resolution 25/2025 was unanimously approved.

Item Five: Monthly Violation Report: Executive Director Kadanoff noted that since the last Commission meeting the Solid Waste Commission issued eleven (11) violations during the time between the last Commission meeting and this meeting:

- 9 violations for Unlicensed Operations
- 1 violations for Unregistered Vehicles
- 1 violation for Failure to Display Decals

Next Commission Meeting: The Commission set the next meeting date of Wednesday, September 17, 2025, at 3:00 p.m.

Commission Chair Scarpino discussed concluding the meeting. Director Maisano made a motion to conclude the meeting and Deputy County Executive Wishnie seconded the motion. The Commission voted unanimously to conclude the meeting.