

RECYCLING COMMITTEE PROCEEDINGS
April 24th, 2023

The Amery Recycling Committee met on April 24th, 2023, at the Amery City Center. The meeting was called to order at 10:03am.

Roll Call: City Clerk-Treasurer, Ben Jansen conducted Roll Call.

Present: Mike Manor; Sharon Paulson, Gloria Lansin, and Eric Elkin

Absent: None

Others Present: Clerk-Treasurer, Ben Jansen and Michael Larsen

New Business

1. **Recycling Master Plan:** The committee discussed some of the items they are going to work on going forward:
 - a. Flyers to go out with the quarterly newsletter: No specific flyer has been decided on at this point, but the committee is considering get out recycling information through a flyer that would be distributed with the City newsletter and utility bills.
 - b. Letter to the Editor: The committee would like to write another Letter to the Editor to keep the community up to date on their progress.
 - c. Recycling Bins:
 - i. Small Bins: The Recycling Committee would like to see more of the City’s small recycling bins located throughout town near the existing trash cans. Bins could also be placed in some places where there currently aren’t trash cans like certain parks, the boat landing, the grocery store and near the strip mall. They would also like to see bins placed by the new bathrooms that are being installed in the parks.
 - ii. Large Blue Bins: The committee would like to work on new locations for county bins. Some possible locations discussed would be the old hospital parking lot, Pondhurst, and North Park near the dump stations. The committee believes that bin locations are a crucial way to help increase recycling. The committee will further explore these locations and others, and if it is possible to get additional bins from the county.

Motion by Elkin; seconded by Paulson; to adjourn at 10:45 am.

Ayes – 4

Nays – 0

Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Taylor Larson
Deputy Clerk-Treasurer
April 27, 2023