

**RECYCLING COMMITTEE PROCEEDINGS**

**May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023**

The Amery Recycling Committee met on May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023, at the Amery City Center. The meeting was called to order at 10:06am.

**Roll Call:** Deputy Clerk-Treasurer, Taylor Larson conducted Roll Call.

Present: Sharon Paulson, Gloria Lansin, and Eric Elkin

Absent: Mike Manor and Michael Larsen

Others Present: Deputy Clerk-Treasurer, Taylor Larson

**New Business**

1. **Recycling Master Plan:** The committee began by reviewing some items that were tasks from the last meeting. Gloria spoke with Tina at Polk County and there are no more Blue Bins available, so Amery will not be able to get more. They also discussed that the most recent letter to the editor was published in the Amery Free Press. The committee moved on to discuss where they could have some impact with small scale recycling bins. There was discussion that some could be placed in York Park, North Park, South Twin Pickle Ball Courts, and Michael/Bobber Park. Gloria informed the committee that Keep America Beautiful does a grant for small recycling cans, but their next grant process won't open until Fall. It was also suggested that perhaps Pondhurst's Association could work with Waterman's Sanitation to get a commercial recycling pickup in a central location. The committee will invite Steve Wilhelm to the next Recycling Committee meeting to discuss the option with him. It was also discussed that perhaps if the Trailer Courts have central garbage pickup, they could also have central recycling pickup.

*Motion by Lansin; seconded by Paulson; to adjourn at 10:52 am.*

**Ayes – 3**

**Nays – 0**

**Motion carried.**

Respectfully submitted,

Taylor Larson  
Deputy Clerk-Treasurer  
May 23, 2023