

## The City of New York BUSINESS INTEGRITY COMMISSION

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Daniel D. Brownell *Commissioner and Chair* 

# Minutes of a Meeting of the Trade Waste Advisory Board

Date and time: June 28, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.

Location: New York City Business Integrity Commission,

100 Church St., 20th Floor, New York, NY 10007

#### Attendees:

**Business Integrity Commission** 

Daniel Brownell, Commissioner and Chair

Noah Genel, First Deputy Commissioner and General Counsel

David Mandell, Deputy General Counsel for Regulatory Enforcement

Salvador Arrona, Director of Policy

Elise Ryan, Senior Legal Analyst (notes)

#### Industry

David Biderman, Executive Director and CEO, Solid Waste Association of North America (by phone)

John DiNardi, Secretary and Treasurer, D&D Carting Co. Inc.

Steven Changaris, Regional Manager, National Waste & Recycling Association (NWRA)

Kendall Christiansen, Executive Director, New Yorkers for Responsible Waste

Management (NYRWM)

Andy Moss, Government Affairs Manager, Waste Connections

Thomas Toscano, CEO, Mr. T Carting Corp.

Nino Tristani, COO, GPB Waste NY, LLC

Sal Mastriani, Director of Risk Management, Action Carting Environmental Services,

#### Not in attendance

Michele Van Orden, General Counsel, Cardella Trucking Co. Inc.

### **Discussion Items**

- 1. Safety
  - a. The board discussed the recent crashes and safety in the industry.
    - i. Members shared new initiatives that they have implemented at their companies regarding driver safety.

- ii. There was a discussion regarding the identification of drivers who are potentially dangerous, have been disciplined by other trade waste companies, or dismissed due to unsafe driving practices.
- b. The fifth safety symposium will be held on October 18, 2018. It will focus on DOT roadside inspections.
- 2. Commission meeting later in the day on June 28th
  - a. Rate cap rule will be voted on at the meeting.
  - b. Organics rule will be voted on at the meeting.
- 3. Emissions law: BIC City Administrative Procedure Act hearing re: financial hardship waiver took place on June 20, 2018
  - a. The Commission heard and is now considering the industry's comments and the rule will not be voted on at the June 28th meeting.
- 4. Customer register: 2nd quarter (April 1 June 30) is due on July 31, 2018
  - a. There are no data formatting changes since the previous version.
- 5. The next TWAB meeting will take place on Thursday, July 26, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.