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Commissioner and Chair

***Minutes of a Meeting of the
Trade Waste Advisory Board***

Date and time: September 27, 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
Elise Ryan, Senior Legal Analyst (notes)
Giselle Ramirez, Senior Legal Analyst (notes)

Industry

Ron Bergamini, CEO, Action Carting Environmental Services, Inc.
David Biderman, Executive Director and CEO, Solid Waste Association of North
America (SWANA) (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)
Paul Zambrotta, Mr. T Carting Corp.
Nino Tristani, COO, GPB Waste NY, LLC
Michele Van Orden, General Counsel, Cardella Trucking Co. Inc.

Not in attendance

Salvador Arrona, Director of Policy, Business Integrity Commission
Andy Moss, Government Affairs Manager, Waste Connections

Discussion Items

1. Safety
 - a. Fifth Safety Symposium on October 18th.
 - i. Industry members are making efforts to spread the word on the safety event and are actively inviting people to attend.

2. Sanitation Salvage Corp. suspension
 - a. There was a discussion about the Sanitation Salvage Corp. license suspension.
 - b. Members agreed that DSNY has done a great job to make sure that trade waste was removed from affected customers during the suspension.
3. Commission meeting – October 9, 2018, at 4:00 p.m.
 - a. Commission will vote on three rules: (1) safety rules; (2) emissions hardship waiver rule; and (3) markets penalty schedule.
 - b. There was a discussion about how industry members are actively seeking ways to improve their operations, create a safety culture and minimize risk.
 - i. Members made suggestions such as requiring that all companies enroll their drivers in the License Event Notification System (LENS), obtaining insurance loss reports, among others.
4. Customer register: 3rd quarter due on October 31st.
5. DOT off-hours delivery program: BIC has invited a DOT representative to attend the October TWAB meeting.

Agenda items requested by non-BIC TWAB members

6. There was a question regarding how BIC communicates the rate cap increase to the industry. The new rate cap was published in the City Record, as are all new rules.
7. There was a question regarding LL145 compliance for licensees vs. registrants. LL145 does not distinguish between licensees and registrants.
8. There was a question regarding recycling/organics enforcement. BIC is continuing to enforce recycling and organics rules.
9. The next TWAB meeting will take place on **Thursday, October 25, 2018** at 10:00 a.m.