

**IWMAC Meeting Minutes – Draft
Durham Town Hall
January 15, 2025, 8am**

In attendance: Nell Neal, Julie Kelley, Susan Richman, Peter Yost, Paul Rasmussen, James Bubar, Sam Hewitt, Naomi Kornhauser, and guest Sally Needell.

Agenda approved.

Minutes from December 18 meeting approved.

DPW Update by Sam.

- Approval of Transfer Station upgrade delayed due to state rule changes.
- Will likely purchase carts from Rehrig-Pacific. Theirs are significantly less expensive, and they will buy back old carts to recycle. Plan is to buy 64-gallon black carts with different color lids.
- Still getting quotes on manufacture of truck body.

Zoom Meeting with Brattleboro Vermont Department of Public Works. Three Brattleboro employees explained how they started their composting program and fielded questions from committee members. Full discussion is available on DCAT.

Susan informed us of opportunity to register for zoom meetings regarding state application for IRA funds.

Susan and Nell volunteered to act as subcommittee to address issue of single use plastics in town buildings.

Meeting adjourned with intention to meet next on February 5.

Minutes submitted by Naomi