

Advisory Committee on Sustainability

(Previously the Transfer Station Advisory Committee, Recycling Center Advisory Committee and the Energy & Recycling Advisory Committee)

1. Continue and monitor a public education program emphasizing single stream recycling, identifying items that can be recycled but are not single stream, and tracking progress in increasing recycling volume.
2. Continue to examine the business model of the transfer station as well as the impact of the single stream and permit fee changes that were implemented in 2013/2014.
3. Continue to evaluate other recycling initiatives to increase general awareness and handling of other wastes.
4. Plan and execute a public event around Earth Day to highlight recycling resources and initiatives.
5. Work with the Middlesex Middle School to strengthen their transition to Single Stream Recycling.
6. Facilitate coordination between DPW and the swap shop to continue the successful operation of the swap shop.
7. Recommend actions to assist the Town in reducing the quantity of municipal solid waste disposed of at the transfer station and increase the quantity of recycled and repurposed materials in the Town of Darien.
8. Look for opportunities to implement single stream recycling in local businesses.
9. To serve as the Town of Darien's Clean Energy Task Force.
10. Assist with coordination of the Town of Darien's participation in SustainableCT and serve as the Town's Sustainability Team.

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