SOLID WASTE LICENSING COMMITTEE MEETING NOTES October 24, 2013

A meeting of the Solid Waste Licensing Committee was scheduled for Thursday, October 24, 2013, at 10:30 a. m., in Room 1E09 of the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality Headquarters, 5301 Northshore Drive, North Little Rock, Arkansas.

There was no quorum. However, the minutes were read and discussed.

Elizabeth Hoover provided a department update. She stated that the assessment process had begun, but there was still a long way to go. She said that the assessment schedule would appear in the upcoming Solid Waste Newsletter, and that everyone would have until June 30 to get their employees tested.

Elizabeth mentioned that Jane Schwartz was experiencing some problems getting paperwork and fees for licensing exams. Elizabeth requested suggestions from committee members on how to achieve obtaining the paperwork and asked for input on whether the department should give tests prior to receiving paperwork and fees. It was suggested to put a reminder in the next Solid Waste Newsletter and perhaps send out a group e-mail.

Kenny Nutt gave a training update. He said that the AETA had conducted 250 contact hours with 138 operators enrolled at 17 locations.

The next meeting was set for January (but rescheduled for February 20, 2014)