

Solid Waste Advisory Committee

to the Department of Environmental Protection P.O. Box 8471, Harrisburg, Pa 17105-8471

September 22, 2011

The Honorable Michael Krancer, Secretary Department of Environmental Protection P. O. Box 2063 Harrisburg, PA 17105-2063

Dear Secretary Krancer:

I am writing to bring to your attention actions taken by the Recycling Fund and Solid Waste Advisory Committees (RFAC and SWAC) at our September 15, 2011, meeting.

First, the Committees reelected me as chairperson and David Strong as Vice-Chairperson. At the RFAC meeting, the Department reviewed the FY 2010-2011 Recycling Fund Expenditures and presented the FY 2012-13 Recycling Fund Spending Plan. The Committee approved the 2012-2013 Recycling Fund Spending Plan as presented by the Department.

At the SWAC meeting, the Department presented the draft proposed Municipal Waste Regulations – Chapter 284 Regulated Medical Waste. The SWAC approved the request to submit the draft proposed regulations to the Environmental Quality Board as a proposed rulemaking. The Department also presented the 2011 Draft Hazardous Waste Facilities Plan, which was updated to include 2003, 2005, 2007 and 2009 hazardous waste biennial report information. The SWAC approved the 2011 Draft Hazardous Waste Facilities Plan as presented by the Department.

If you have any questions regarding these actions, please call me on my cellular phone at 814-242-1151, my office phone at 814-472-7700 or email me at <u>Tanya.McCoy-Caretti@kimballcorp.com</u>.

Sincerely,

Tanya McCoy-Caretti

Chair

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