Iron County Recycling Committee September 15, 2010

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- 1. Meeting was called to order at 5:00. Committee Members Present: Koski, Mullard, Smith, Wiita, and Luke. Others Present: Brunello and Prenderville.
- 2. The committee recognized the meeting was properly posted and advertised.
- 3. Motion by Wiita, seconded by Smith to approve the previous minutes. All in favor.
- 4. Tire Collection. Prenderville will call Auburndale Recycling to pick up the tires this week.
- 5. Motion to approve the 2011 Grant Request as presented made by Wiita, seconded by Koski. All in favor.
- 6. Motion by Smith, seconded by Koski to approve the bills as presented. All in favor.
- 7. Motion to accept the financial report and place it on file made by Wiita, seconded by Mullard. All in favor.
- 8. Public Comment: Luke informed the committee that the Town of Sherman's attendant, Norman Thuot, was injured at the Town's White Goods Collection. Ken Wells will be filling in for Mr. Thuot as the Recycling Attendant. Prenderville will send a get well card to Mr. Thuot on behalf of the committee.
- 9. New Business: Prenderville met with Kathy Brauer, the Iron County Fair Secretary. Brauer agrees the Fair should have more recycling containers available for the aluminum cans and will work with the Fair Committee and Recycling Committee to accomplish this at next year's fair.

Prenderville informed the Committee she has been in contact with Helping Hands Recycling. They are a registered electronics collector for the Wisconsin DNR and all items collected are recycled. They would be available on October 23rd for a collection in Iron County. Some items are collected at no charge, while others have fees from \$3.00 to \$20.00. They would need to collect a minimum of \$250.00 to hold this collection. The County would have to be responsible for the \$250.00 if they do not collect that money in fees. Advertising for the event would be grant eligible, but the collection itself is not grant eligible. As the event is not grant eligible, Wisconsin businesses and Michigan residents and businesses could be invited to participate. There was a consensus by the Committee to ask Mr. DeRosso if the County would agree to be responsible for the \$250, and if he is in agreement, to proceed with the electronics collection.

- 10. The next Recycling meeting will be held on October 20th at 5:00 in the Board Room. Agenda items to include status of electronics collection.
- 11. Motion by Wiita, seconded by Smith to adjourn. All in favor.