Rye Recycling Education Committee Charge

The committee shall consist of not more than five members, all residents of Rye. Members shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen for an initial term ending on March 31, 2016. Staff members may be appointed as non-voting members of the committee. It is the Selectmen's intent to sunset this committee after completion of its charge, unless the selectmen vote to continue the committee.

Charge to the Committee

The Board of Selectmen wishes to continue with the current source separated recycling program that has been so successful for the town. The Board realizes that in order to continue to be successful, the town needs to remind and educate its residents about recycling best practices and the benefits of using the recycling center. Therefore, the Board of Selectmen hereby establishes the Recycling Education Committee as a sub-committee of the Rye Energy Committee. The purpose of the Recycling Education Committee is to educate the residents of Rye on increasing the use of and maximizing the effectiveness of the town's source separated recycling program by researching ways to maximize and increase the use of the program, by providing written and electronic education materials, and other resources such as the use of the internet, seminars or public talks. The Board of Selectmen is not desirous of expanding the program into such areas as Pay as You Throw or Single Stream at this time.

This charge shall expire on March 31, 2016, unless the Selectmen vote to continue the committee.

The Rye Recycling Committee shall follow the Rules of Procedure for Committees Established or Appointed by the Board of Selectmen.

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