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CITY OF NEWTON SOLID WASTE COMMISSION

1000 Commonwealth Avenue Newton Centre, MA 02459-1449 Ruthanne Fuller, Mayor

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Meeting Date and Time: Thursday, September 20, 2018 at 7:00-8:30 pm

Location: Newton Free Library, Room B

AGENDA

- 1. Introductions (2 min)
- 2. Approval of August 16, 2018 Meeting Minutes (3 min)
- 3. Draft By-Laws and Annual Report discussion (20 min)
- 4. Proposed polystyrene ban and Plastic bag ban expansion efforts (10 min)
- 5. Parks and Recreation Dept. update on public space recycling (10 min)
- 6. Sustainable Materials Management Division update: Public comments received, implementation of curbside compliance policy, organics pilot, Recycling IQ program, Re-Use-It Newton, new contract planning, bulky waste, other items (25 min)
- 7. Global recycling market downturn update (5 min)
- 8. Private Hauler/Mandatory Business Recycling Subcommittee (5 min)
- 9. Long-Term Planning Subcommittee (5 min)
- 10. Public comments/Other announcements (5 min)

Next meeting – October 18, 2018, 7:00-8:30 pm, Newton Free Library, Room B

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