

# **External Committee Report**

## **Cumberland Joint Services Management Authority**

**May 2019**

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A CJSMA Board meeting was held on May 23, 2019 at the Amherst Town Hall. Items on the agenda included updates on the Recycling Steering Committee, and the cell closure tender results, which was awarded to Dexter Construction Company Ltd in the amount of \$3,444,457 plus HST.

CJSMA staff will be contacting the CAOs and/or staff from each of our municipal partners in an effort to identify ways to increase Board public outreach and transparency for consideration by the Board at a future meeting.

Regional Chairs will be submitting the EPR proposal to the Minister of Environment no later than May 30, 2019.

A special CJSMA Board meeting has been scheduled for July 4<sup>th</sup> at the Upper Nappan Service Centre when the audited financial statements will be presented. The next regular meeting of the Board is scheduled for September 19 at Amherst Town Hall.

During the month of April staff participated in various Earth Day Clean Ups, including the Town of Amherst Community Litter Pick Up on April 20<sup>th</sup>.

The 2019 Solid Waste Newsletters have been printed and will be sent out to residents during the month of May.

Now that spring is upon us, residents are reminded that they are permitted to place One bulky item, such as stoves, washers, mattresses, etc. out for collection per each garbage collection. Items must not exceed 50kgs in weight and shall not exceed 2m in any direction. Metal items are collected on the Friday of your garbage collection week.