

The resolution approved this week states the 109 Board has considered the request for consistency determination filed by Rumpke, written comments were received during the comment period and that there was no request for a public hearing.

Board member Tony Tipton was the only no vote. He told the board he did not have time to review the resolution fully prior to the vote.

About 40 people were in attendance and several wished to speak, but their requests were denied by the board.

Board members said they were not taking public comment at the meeting.

Several people asked questions throughout the brief meeting because there were no microphones for the members who met at in the Fiscal Courtroom.

Solid Waste Coordinator Donny Pennington told the Advocate previously the 109 Board received more than 60 comment letters from the pub-

lic, but only 16 were consistent with the question asked.

While most of the letters were opposed the landfill, Pennington said the board did receive 10 in support of the landfill and several asking for a higher tipping fee.

Pennington added the board receives many letters after the deadline.

Local resident Akeem Scott claims he personally submitted about 300 letters from concerned citizens.

Rumpke officials say the landfill currently has a lifespan of about 7.5 years.

The tipping fee Rumpke pays to the county for operation of the landfill comes to about \$780,000 a year.

Rumpke offered to reduce the size of its proposed expansion to 48 acres, the amount of daily out-of-county waste to 895 tons, accept waste from 37 counties and pay a tipping fee of \$2.83 a ton. The tipping fee would increase by 4 percent annually.

The landfill is currently permitted for 87.25 acres and 948 tons of out-county-waste. The tipping fee is

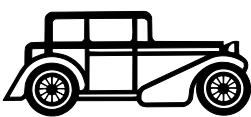


About 40 people attended a meeting of the Montgomery County 109 Board Monday night at the Courthouse Annex. Several people asked to speak but were denied. Photo by Tom Marshall.

\$2.55 a ton. Rumpke previously asked for a 184-acre expansion, up to 1,100 tons of out-of-county waste, acceptance of waste from 59 counties and a tipping fee of \$2.75 a ton. That expansion would have extended the landfill life by about 36 years.

Several Rumpke officials were in attendance.

Jeff Garrison was also named chair of the board Monday.



Down Memory Lane

2016

Justin Wells, the violence prevention coordinator at Saint Joseph Mount Sterling Hospital lost 164 pound and was winner of the national Beachbody Challenge Contest. He received \$100,000.

Jessica Rehm held her niece, Maddy Bailey, as they came to the bottom of a giant slide at the Montgomery County Fair.

Jacob Turner, 19 months, went fishing with his father, Joey Tipton, in a pool at the fair.

Logan Munday won the Montgomery County Fair Youth Market Goat Show.

CD Collins and Santon brought music to the Gateway Regional Arts Center.

Mt. Sterling Police Officer Ty Combs was the recipient of the dept. of the Governor's Occupant Protection Enforcement Award.

Haleigh Golden was winner of the First Friday Coloring Contest.

Larry Potter retired as Montgomery County Fire Chief.

Members of the Montgomery County High School golf team included Evan King, Luke Fuller, Kyle Amburgey, Garret Smith, Coach Kevin Lawson, Jeff Foster and Jonathan Kosier.

Paige Roussos was varsity volleyball coach at MCHS. Mark Davidson and Bradley Craycraft were assistant coaches.

2006

Randall Wilder, pastor of New Cut Pentecostal Church, felt blessed even though he was dealing with unexpected blindness.

Glenn Means was named an outstanding youth at a ceremony in

Louisville.

Rachel Yarber Jones graduated from Transylvania University.

Gov. Ernie Fletcher appointed Keen Johnson Commonwealth Attorney.

Jared Garland and Michael Price graduated from the Law Enforcement Basic Training Academy in Richmond.

A black bear was spotted in Le Stratton Estates.

Junior Miss contestant included Cecilia Isabel Reyna, Rachel Aline Nealis, Jenna Denise High, Madeline Day Gannon, Lindsay Ann Rison, Amy Catherine Barnard, Bethany Lucianaa Shoemaker, Suzanne Morgan White, Anna Claire Skinner, Courtney Alicia Danis and Karen Maria Lopez.

Holly Ann Wells was awarded a Child Development Associate Credential.

Crystal S. Dees, Melissa Hammond and Rebecca J. Barber graduated from National College.

Justin MacNutt attended Transylvania University's Computer Programming Day.

Erika Renee Mann was named to the dean's list at Vanderbilt University.

Jessica Amburgey was awarded a Presidential Scholarship to attend University of Kentucky.

Sarah Elizabeth Mansfield was born to Michael T. and Tranishia G. Mansfield.

Donna S. McGuire, Christy L. Vice, Deadra Lynn Stone, Sarah Elizabeth Chaffins, Courtney Lea Chandler and Kimberly Dawn Creech were among the students to receive degrees at Morehead State University.

Gene Combs was named baseball coach at MCHS.

K.K. Oaks and Sherry McGuire shared the Most Valuable Player Award for the MCHS softball team.

Vince Mason was honored with the Chalky Bashford Award for contributions to youth baseball.

1996

Tommy Floyd was named assistant principal at MCHS.

Jenica Lyness helped her boyfriend's nephew, Jason Ginter, get acquainted with a tug boat ride at the Montgomery County Fair.

Courtney Hughes and Amy Davidson sampled the food at the fair.

Colin Wroblewski received a bachelor's degree at Centre College.

Thomas E. Sorrell was the Advocate's Montgomery Neighbor.

Bryan Robertson and L.C. Coons were expected to be stars of the MCHS football team.

Rebecca Johnson, 6, and Megan Wilson, 6,

checked out the space suits made out of hospital scrub suits at Camp L.A.S.S.O.

Ag teachers Anthony Smith and Tim Spencer oversaw students working in a tobacco field at the school farm. Travis McKinney was one of the students.

Robert Redmond Sr. retired from the Mt. Sterling branch of the U.S. Postal Service.

Robert and Wilma Browning and Ruby and Coleman Byrd celebrated their golden wedding anniversaries.

Tristan Shae Jones was born to Jennifer Bailey and Teddy Joe Jones at Mary Chiles Hospital.

Scott Nass was recognized at the Student Recognition Reception at Bradley University. He received the Anga Award.

Ella Scutchfield McGuire turned 100 years old.

1986

Megan and Mary Maze took a drive on a ride at the Montgomery County Fair.

Darrell Reddix rode his motorcycle to victory in a heat of a motorcross race at the fair.

Shawn Caskey and Stacey Wells were crowned prince and princess at the fair.

Doyle King and Ron Catchen inspected some hay donated for farmers in North Carolina.

Chris Mahler was a member of the Montgomery County swim team.

Kenny Jones was recipient of the Chalky Bashford Award.

The Royals were the Bambino League champions. The team included Jason Oney, Jared Arrasmith, Joshua Oney, Kevin Bowling, Stephen Conlee, Eric Jones, Norman Lansdale, Coach Don Conlee, Derek Belcher, Chad Willoughby, Jerry Saylor, Coach Kenny Jones, Ricky Roberts and Greg Chandler.

Kendall Vinson was awarded a Presidential Scholarship to Eastern Kentucky University.

Brandy Jane Ray celebrated her fifth birthday with a trip to Disneyworld.

Dava Jo Brown was named Scholastic Award winner at the 1986 Miss Teen of Kentucky Scholarship and Recognition Pageant in Frankfort.

Montgomery County students taking part in Upward Bound were Tracy Tipton, Randall Bishop, Mary Thomas, Robert Casteel, Debra Hager, Dock Yocum, Kimiko Martin and Earl Pargen.

The John Wenz family visited with U.S. Sen. Mitch McConnell in Washington, D.C.

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Among improvements in this construction phase of the renovation project under way at MCHS are a new band practice facility, relocating the welding program from Calk Avenue to the high school campus and the addition of a new tennis court complex.



Justin Ross of Davis-Plomin Plumbing at left was hard at work Monday on the renovation project in Building I at the high school. Below is where the welding shop will be. Jay Caskey, a project manager, said the entire reconstruction will take about five years. Packs + Walker is in charge of the project. You can follow progress on the construction site on the school district website and clicking on MCHS renovation project. This includes photos as the project unfolds. Schematic drawings of the front entrance, cafeteria and auditorium are located in the school district portion of the Clay Community Center. Photos by Tom Marshall.