

Hampton Green Energy Committee
Hampton, CT 06247
Minutes
Wednesday, June 14, 2017
7:00 PM
Town Hall Conference Room

1. Call to Order
Chair Kate Donnelly called the meeting to order at 7:05. Committee members in attendance were Kate Donnelly, Maryellen Donnelly, Rachel Girshick, Susan Lovegreen (7:14-8:15), Bob Marsh and Sharon Wakely. Also in attendance were Roger Dionne (7:12) and Michael Quick.
2. Audience for Citizens
None
3. Approval of Minutes: 4/12/17
Motion: Sharon Wakely moved, Rachel Girshick seconded, to approve the minutes of 4/12/17. The motion passed unanimously.
4. Additions to the Agenda
None
5. Old Business
 - a. Recycling Guidebook
The committee thanks Michael Quick for the layout. The book has been mailed to Hampton households. If not received, it may be obtained at town hall. The committee took copies to distribute at key locations such as the transfer station.
 - b. Film Series at Goodwin
 - i. July 6- "Breakthrough in Renewable Energy"
The relatively short film (45 minutes) will be followed by discussion about energy efficiency and renewables.
 - ii. August 10- "Before the Flood"
Rachel presented another topic, geoengineering, for which there is a five film series. Committee members will consider them for a winter film series.
 - iii. Outreach
Committee members reported on progress in advertising the series and took flyers to post. Kate will prepare a press release.
 - c. "Electric Evolution, Renewable Solutions" - October 14; 10-2
This Walktober event will include electric and hybrid cars, a presentation at noon about electric cars, a Home Energy Solutions company, LED light bulb give away and sales, Hampton elementary class and ECO club participation and food sales. Sharon reported that Premier Chevrolet will participate; members requested a Bolt. Sharon will also contact a Nissan dealer regarding a LEAF and hybrid car dealers. Kate will contact the Home Energy Solutions and light bulb exchange companies.

- d. HES Solar Thermal system
The solar thermal system has been repaired by Anchor Solar.
 - e. Green Energy Webpage
No report.
 - f. HES Indoor Lighting
The installation of LED ballasts and bulbs has been completed. The variable frequency drives on the hot water circulation pumps will be installed this week. The timers for the outdoor lighting were reset to be on between 8pm and 6 am.
6. New Business
- a. Energize CT points
Hampton has 85 points. One hundred are needed for a new \$5,000 grant. Points are awarded after work about energy efficiency has been completed. Some of the committee's recent and upcoming work should add points to the total.
 - b. July and August Meetings
The committee will next meet in September. Members agreed to advertise the "Electric Evolution, Renewable Solutions" Walktober event using the same assignments for which members volunteered for the film series or recycling guidebook distribution.
 - c. 100PercentCT- A Plan for 100% Renewable Energy in CT
A speaker about the program will be invited to the November meeting.
7. Adjournment
- Motion:** Rachel Girshick moved, Bob Marsh seconded, to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously. The meeting ended at 8:35.

Respectfully submitted,

Maryellen Donnelly

Note: Minutes are draft until accepted at a subsequent HGEC meeting.

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