

Minutes for June 1, 2021 YARMOUTH ENERGY COMMITTEE (1)
ZOOM REMOTE PARTICIPATION MEETING

PRESENT: Marilyn Holle, Joyce Flynn,
Sandra Cashen, Mike Duffy, Barry Margolin
ABSENT: Bob Palmeri
TOWN STAFF: Tara Monroe, Assistant Assessor
Amanda Lima, Town Engineer

Joyce Flynn called the meeting to Order at 4:33.

Motion to approve remote meeting was unanimously approved.

Motion to approve May minutes unanimously approved after minor revision.

TOWN ENERGY PROGRESS: Amanda Lima, Town Engineer

Amanda has been working with Margaret Downey, Administrator at Cape Light Compact, who is assisting with the year green communities grant for reimbursement. This is with regard to warranties and the decision if the town will want a payment module associated with the charging units. Many communities do this in order to cover the cost for a cell phone modem and user fees associated with an annual basis. Work continues with the permitting for the PV at the septage facility and a hazardous questionnaire was provided for submission to define the use of land. The last installation will be at the new DPW building which is waiting for a new electric meter.

Amanda also mentioned the town has a new IT Director, Paul Cioffi III

CAPE & VINEYARD COOPERATIVE – CVEC: No update, but Maria Marasco the Director of CVEC has offered to come and give us an update for our July meeting.

YARMOUTH ENERGY COMMITTEE ANNUAL OPERATING PLAN: no update

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CAPE LIGHT COMPACT-CLC: Joyce Flynn reported that the Compact is participating in the Joint Committee on state administration and regulatory insight, because a lot of committees would like to continue to meet remotely, due to ferry schedules back to the island. There will be a July meeting but no August meeting. The Town Hall is open today and there is a stack of Cape Light Compact audit flyers and three stacks of our three discrete solar rise flyers,

TOWN MEETING:

Mike Duffy reported that the Energy Committee had a table set up and handed out 50 CLC bags with the three flyers inside. Solar Wolff Energy and South shore Climate Control were present and had samples of their products on display and had discussions with residents regarding the Yarmouth Solarize Plus program. The article 25 on energy sustainability was the only article to be unanimously approved by voters. The other energy related articles were postponed until the fall town meeting.

SOLARIZE PLUS YARMOUTH: Report provided by Mile Duffy

Mike asked about banners for Solarize Plus on town property. A form to request putting banners on town property was sent to Mark Forrest and Mark Grylis, Building Commissioner instead of the town administer. Roby Whitehouse is going to steer the request to the people who would be able to make the decision. Sandra Cashen will be in town hall tomorrow and follow up on the progress. Joyce suggested that along with flyers two signs could be place at both entrances to town hall.

Next meeting: July 6, 2021 4:30 PM as a ZOOM meeting. Adjourn at 5:13