Enfield Energy Committee

March 28, 2023

Minutes

Meeting called to order 6:00 PM

Attendance: Jo-Ellen Courtney, Marta Ceroni, Kim Quirk, Tracy Young Community members: eight in person and twelve on-line

Minutes from February 28 meeting Approved with minor corrections

Enfield Community Power presentation plus Q & A Kim Quirk presented overview of community power in Enfield, initiated by October 2019 Selectboard approval to establish a subcommittee to develop an energy aggregation plan and the Community Power plan development to its imminent launch in April.

Community members will be receiving a letter from the Community Power Coalition of NH within the next few days informing them they are automatically enrolled in Granite Basic rate of 15.8 cents/kWh. Granite Basic has 23.4% renewable content. Additional options are available to choose more renewables with an increase in cost including Clean 100 for 19.1 cents /kWh. All options are below the current rates of Liberty and Eversource who service Enfield.

The Community Power information session and Q&A concluded at 6:50 pm. Members of the community in the room and online departed at that time.

Op Ed An Op Ed is in development about Community Power in collaboration with the adjoining community power communities Lebanon, Hanover and Plainfield. Jo-Ellen asked for agreement for Enfield to be included in the listing of submitters.

Kim suggested the person writing it submit it under their own name rather than listing communities.

Discussion Chair Rotation Marta has agreed to take on the Chair in May.

New Members Discussion about possible new members and quorum requirements. Tracy Young, member of the Enfield Selectboard, is considered an official member of this committee. His presence can be counted to reach a quorum.

Conversation about posting agenda and minutes ensued.

Meeting adjourned at 7:15 PM