



Williamsburg Energy Committee

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Minutes for meeting on July 12, , 2017	Members:	present	not present
	Walter (Kim) Boas	x	
	Mary Dudek	x	
	Gerald Mann	x	
	Robert Stinson		x
	Charles Dudek	x	
	Others present:		
	Mark Corner, Williamsburg Resident		

Meeting called to order at 4:03 p.m.

1. M. Dudek apprised the members of Co-Op Power's solicitation for volunteers to inform Hilltown communities about community solar. Co-Op Power has called the campaign "Raise the Valley." Kim Boas opined that it would be improper for the Energy Committee, as an entity, to participate because it would present the appearance of favoring Co-Op Power over other providers. Kim Boas stated that it would be proper for members as individuals to participate in the campaign.
2. The committee discussed renewing the Town's arrangement to provide electricity for Town buildings. The members discussed the difficulty in predicting whether future electricity rates would rise or fall. The Town currently pays 07.9 cents per kWh and we will have to decide not later than August if we should contract with Constellation Energy or Hampshire Council of Governments (HCOG). C. Dudek moved to direct Kim Boas to recommend to the Select Board that the Town contract with Constellation Energy for the Town electricity requirements. G. Mann seconded the motion. Approved, so voted 4-0.
3. G. Mann moved to approve the amended minutes of the May 2, 2017, meeting. M. Dudek second. Approved, so voted 4-0. M. Dudek moved to approve the minutes of the June 2, 2017 meeting. G. Mann second. Approved, so voted 4-0.
4. M. Dudek moved to adjourn the meeting. G. Mann second. Approved, so voted 4-0. Meeting adjourned at 4:49 p.m. the next meeting is scheduled for August 8, 2017, at 4:00 p.m.

Charles J. Dudek
Secretary