



Williamsburg Energy Committee

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Minutes for meeting on June 2, 2017	Members:	present	not present
	Walter (Kim) Boas	x	
	Mary Dudek	x	
	Gerald Mann	x	
	Robert Stinson	x	
	Charles Dudek	x	
	Others present:		
	Lynn Benander, CO-OP Power; Helen Symons, Williamsburg Board of Health; Mark Corner, Williamsburg resident		

Meeting called to order at 10:00 a.m.

1. L. Benander explained CO-OP Power's mission and its experience in developing community shared solar projects in the Commonwealth. Benander presented CO-OP Power's description of its two community solar development models and its preliminary review of the solar potential on the Town's landfill solar overlay district. The two options for supporting a community shared solar array are a subscription community solar (Option 1) and community owned solar (Option 2). Under Option 1, CO-OP power would own and operate the system and sell electricity to members of the community on a subscription basis. Under Option 2, members of the community would purchase a share of panels in the solar array and receive the state and federal incentives as owners of solar panels and would also receive the electricity produced by the panels they own.
2. H. Symons explained that the "wood-waste" area of the Town landfill was capped in 1998 according to regulations in effect at that time. She added that the Town has the maps and related documentation concerning the capping project.
3. The members of the Energy Committee agreed to discuss a community-shared solar program with the Select Board and move forward as appropriate with further study and evaluation of potential sites for a community-solar array.
4. R. Stinson moved to adjourn the meeting. C. Dudek second. Approved, so voted 5-0. Meeting adjourned at 11:24 a.m.

Charles Dudek
Secretary