

Campton Climate Advisory Committee, 2/8/2023, Minutes

Present: Chair Rita Sebastian; Bill Sebastian, Sherrill Howard, Suellen Skinner.

Voted unanimously by the full committee on March 8, 2023.

Solar- Bill's update on solar power planning - After meeting with folks from ReVision, several hang ups have been identified. There is no good place for panels on the town campus as currently configured. The buildings are not properly aligned and no ground space has been identified. They have looked at the water precinct and placement there would require routing power through Eversource lines costing substantial payment (30%). Discussions will be ongoing with the town.

Charrette - Nik Coates says that we are still waiting for approval on our application. Also, the town is looking for sources of funding in case the grants aren't approved. He will update us when/ if the Charrette site walk is held.

NH Community Power – continued discussing this. We reviewed what we were told at our last meeting. Also Bill provided additional input. We think this is still a good idea but we are not yet planning to move forward until we get further data from other operational community power programs.

Public Health- Identification of the most vulnerable. All present, see quorum from above, and voted to work on the identification of the most vulnerable. Hopefully this will be linked with a newly developed Public Health Emergency Task Force that the town might be creating, building a database, hotline, and wellness checks. Volunteers- Rita, Stephanie and Dick, and Sherrill and Janet.

Committee report to Select Board: We are preparing a short summary of our current activities that was sent to the Select Board to get their feedback and support for our work. We will present an initial draft at the meeting for discussion. Activities doc and PPT will be sent to the town hall for posting after our meeting as requested.

Upcoming meetings will be held at 10:30 am at town hall.

March 8, 2023,

April 5, 2023,

May 17, 2023