

Energy Aggregation Committee Minutes

November 27, 2023

In attendance: Curt Spacht, Kate Batcheller, Dorothy Minior, Lundy Lewis, Michele Siegmann, and Chris Bader.

Meeting started at 7:06 PM

Introductions for new member, Kate Batcheller. Announcement of the resignation of Steve Wells.

Review and approval of the October minutes.

Monadnock Sustainability Hub: Curt attended their event.

- A lot of people there are involved in Community Power (CP).
- Marlborough is doing exactly what we are doing, using another towns' plan, etc.
- Temple held an informational meeting, no one attended.
- None who attended had opted for Standard Power, due to the cost and duration of contract).
- Clean Energy NH was present. They predict that Net Metering is going to go away. There is a bill in the legislature right now on this subject.
- Cheshire County has Community Power as a county. The towns in that county can sign up for CP. Some towns decided to pursue CP apart from the County Plan.

All EAC documents are on a Mason One Drive. Send any new documents to Kate and she will get them on One Drive.

Kate offered to distribute a summary of the Mason Community Power Plan at the Republican Primary election on January 23rd.

The committee reviewed the Mason Community Power Plan, page by page, with Kate making agreed upon changes. This updated plan will be Version 1 with the term 'draft' deleted.

There was a motion to approve the Mason Community Power Plan, as amended with minor formatting changes to be made by Kate. It was seconded and approved.

Proposed date for the Informational Meeting:

Saturday, January 27, 2024, at 9 AM at the Mason Elementary School or
Saturday, February 3, 2024 at 9 AM at the Mason Elementary School

We will plan the Informational Meeting by email. Kate is willing to speak or be the main speaker. We will have available a summary of the Plan and FAQ's. Lundy and Dorothy are working on the summary.

Meeting adjourned at 8:53 PM.

~ Michele Siegmann