

Bradford Energy Committee Regular Meeting

Tues July 11^h, 630pm via ZOOM

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Attendance: Nancy, Ed, Tom, Susanna, Elizabeth

1 Public comment-none

2 EV Charger event NJ-Date is now August 19th, 11-3 (Dan Perry will come after 12 to cut ribbon) on advice of Barrett Norwich Technologies. Storm occupying GMP. Band still available. \$500.00 approved by all for the band. Banner can be created Nancy. Electric excavator, electric car, Ebikes-Red Clover, Dan Perry-lawn equip, Drive Electric VT booth, Susanna booth for window dressers, hot dogs/chips/cold drinks, homemade cookies-Susanna will make some, need grill-BCC? Nancy will check with Tom Gray; Norwich Technologies is very competent.

3 WindowDressers Update: Table at EV event SL—Susanna and Tom are beginning to measure. We have 130 inserts accounted for, only three from Bradford, not many low incomes. Susanna will advertise at Senior Center, Meals on Wheels, Food Pantry; Jerry Mooney (friend of Bonnie and Niles Prouty) wants to bring her frames and get plastic reapplied-have to sign up for rewraps-she should sign up online—Susanna will contact her. Build up local outreach. Volunteers needed.

4 Recycle box 130.00 SL-Fix it Fair (September)—have a table with all local people who take difficult items, purchase recycle box for CD's, cell phones, vhs tapes and other tapes (Tool Barn takes cell phones Fogg's Hardware in Fairlee takes light bulbs, Oakes Bros-takes paint., no one takes Styrofoam...It would be \$130.00 with prepaid shipping. We need W-9—must be approved vendor—Techno Trash. It is a one-time payment service. Someone on salary to do low-income outreach? Peggy Willey suggested someone from West Fairlee...

6 LED update/EP update TM-Bought second box of bulbs. Yellow or white, 4100 first and they felt too white—more soft light purchased. Jennifer has an issue with a light in her office, figuring out what is going on. Ballast bypass-Eastman \$25 per fixture. Arpa money? Elizabeth Park—Tom got three estimates—fans that have a motion sensor—Selectboard fully aware of the process to date.

7 Approve PO to buy one case of LED bulbs. Motion \$55.15 expenditure for more lights-unanimous approval.

8 Other-IREC meeting today. Half of the towns use MERP funds (\$4, 000) to pay Jeff's salary.

9 Approve minutes of June meeting Elizabeth. It is Danielle Corti and Randy Gawell. Elizabeth made corrections and sent revised minutes to Ed.

10 Committee vs Commission question for next meeting—Energy committee was subcommittee of Conservation Committee. The Energy Committee should be on its own? Stand alone, subcommittee or be a commission? Need by-laws and terms to be our own committee. The town website would give us a more worthwhile profile. Website? —contractor chosen-fall will happen; pros and cons next meeting?

11 Adjourn-all approved.

