

Town of East Montpelier Energy Committee Meeting

Minutes of meeting held at 5 PM, June 27, 2017 at East Montpelier's Town Hall

Present: Lindy Biggs, Carl Etnier, Thomas Fisher, David Grundy, Scott Hess, Stephen Knowlton, and Cort Richardson

The meeting was called to order at approximately 5:05 PM. An addition to the agenda was suggested by Scott Hess. He requested on behalf of the town Planning Committee that the Energy Committee's completed document be included into East Montpelier's written town plan. While there was a positive sentiment by the committee toward this request, a formal vote was not taken at this time.

The minutes from the previous meeting were approved. There was no request to make public comments.

Three progress reports were presented from the teams focused on (1) siting, (2) transportation, and (3), conservation & efficiency, followed by discussion and suggestions. Co-chair Lindy Biggs asked committee members to review the updated guidelines sent by Eric Vorwald of the Regional Planning Commission.

Biggs also informed the committee of the Energy Fest to take place at the Calais Town Hall on June 28.

The next meeting is scheduled for July 5, 2017 at the Town Hall. Eric Vorwald will be present at that meeting to address committee members' questions and offer guidance.

Submitted by Stephen Knowlton, July 5, 2017