

Topsham Energy Committee Meeting Notes

Date: March 23, 2021

Time: 4:30 PM

Location: Via Zoom

Committee Members in Attendance: N. Whatley (V. Chair), Y. Meunier (Chair), V. Langelo, N. Chandler, J. Berry, J. Curtis (Sec.)

Staff: A. Deci

Minutes of the previous meeting were not considered for adoption

A. Deci notified the committee that the streetlight RFP will be on the April 15 SB agenda. Y. Meunier to remind the committee to attend

A. Deci updated the Committee on the forthcoming SolSmart designation – still waiting on a response

The EC reviewed EV charging station updates:

- A. Deci has been talking to library staff
- Obtaining estimates from Revision for both sites (Town Hall & Library)
- Could go to SB after he hears back from ChargePoint – maybe around May – to inform them of options and discussions
- The EC agreed there were learning benefits from going through the review process with ChargePoint – such as learning about existing capacity and anticipated use

The EC reviewed a draft Electric Vehicle Policy for the Town

- Some further input from contacts with financial expertise was to be sought by Y. Meunier and J. Curtis

FAQ to be reviewed at the next meeting

- N. Whatley has been working on community solar info for it
- Resources on electric vehicle and equipment repair would be helpful

A. Deci shared the solar production webpage [Link]

The group will reconvene on April 27, 2021 (the fourth Tuesday) at 4:30 pm.