



**Citizen Advisory Task Force on Clean and Sustainable Energy
VIRTUAL MEETING
March 17, 2021
Special Meeting**

APPROVED MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Eric Weiner called the meeting to order at 6:33 p.m. Present were Committee Members Neil Chaudhary, Jeffrey Dyreson, Barbara Peyton, George Slate, Eric Weiner, and Elizabeth Yetman.

Staff: Peter Souza, Town Manager; Scott Colby, Assistant Town Manager

2. PUBLIC COMMENT- NONE

3. COMMUNICATIONS FROM TASK FORCE MEMBERS

Mr. Chaudhary was unable to reach out to the League of conservation Voters. He pulled the legislative actions they were working on in the current session from their website to provide an update to the group.

Mr. Dyreson stated that he is working on some Loomis Green Initiatives. The two he is currently working on pertain to a heat pump loan program and the C-PACE program.

Ms. Peyton stated that a possible option for a coordinator would be an AmeriCorps Vista. This could be part time and cost approximately \$5,000 for a year, not funded by AmeriCorps Vista. This could assist with the low income and equity portion.

Ms. Yetman attended another meeting about electric school buses. She was able to do some research on Highland Electric and stated that Dattco is interested in electric buses. She is looking to participate in some webinars on electric fleets in the future.

Mr. Slate commented on the topic of AmeriCorps Vista program. He also commented on the net metering initiatives by the League of Conservation Voters.

Mr. Weiner stated that Connecticut has a bill tracker for those interested in environmental and climate bills that are being discussed in the current session.

4. DISCUSS AND BEGIN COMPOSING DRAFT ENERGY PLAN FOR WINDSOR

Members reviewed and discussed the items they had been working on for the draft energy plan for Windsor.



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5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOVED by Mr. Slate seconded by Mr. Chaudhary to approve the minutes of the March 3, 2021 meeting as presented.

Motion Passed 5-0-0

6. ADJOURNMENT

MOVED by Mr. Slate and seconded by Mr. Chaudhary to adjourn the meeting at 8:23 p.m.

Motion Passed 5-0-0

Respectfully Submitted,

Scott W. Colby Jr.
Assistant Town Manager