Town of Derry Energy and Advisory Committee Meeting 8/15/11

Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Jonathan Keaney, Mary Till, Tom Cardon, Marc Flattes (Voting for Tom Minnon), David Milz, James Ricker

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Consent Agenda. Marc Flattes makes motion to accept 7/18/11 minutes as corrected from June 6th. Seconded by Jonathan Keaney. Vote 5-0 in favor.
- 3. Chairman's Report. No Report. Presentation to be made by Halifax Energy.
- 4. Old Business.
 - a. Summer Schedule. Meeting once per month June through September, third Monday of each month. September 19th.
 - b. Brochure/Derryfest. Town will budget for Derryfest consistent with last year. Brochure to be considered by Town to be included in DPW budget.
 - c. Derryfest. Brian will have solar panels that we can borrow. Chris will have kilo-watt meter. Buttons from Joanie, share with Go Green? Include handout for home composting.
 - d. Summary of Meeting with Joanie Cornetta. July 6th meeting. Wants help with Carry In Carry Out policy for Derry parks. Help with promoting of renovation of transfer station, specifically improvements to recycling infrastructure to allow better revenue recovery of specific recyclables. Discussed brochure and buttons.
 - e. Updates of TV show. Marc and Tom have been properly trained for use of video equipment. Set to begin first episode.

5. New Business

- a. Presentation from Resident Power (division of Halifax American).
 Presentation related to power consolidation and negotiation for residential users. Ability to use alternate supply source from current options.
 Aggregating small customers to promote bulk "buying power" to reduce costs. Guaranteeing to provide costs lower than current rate.
 www.residentpower.com
- 6. Open Discussion.
 - a. Mary Met with Bev Edwards, energy committee member from Temple, NH. Meg offered to attend meeting and share experiences.
 - b. Mary met with Bob Eldredge from Bow, has been conducting informational workshops for residents. Offered to attend meeting to discuss experiences.

7. Adjournment

a. Motion to adjourn by Mary. Seconded by Jonathan. Vote in favor 5-0.