

Town of Derry
Energy and Advisory Committee Meeting
10/3/11

Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Jonathan Keaney, Tom Cardon, Tom Minnon, Mary Till, Bev Edwards
(Guest)

1. Call to Order.
2. Consent Agenda. Voting on meeting minutes postponed to next meeting.
3. Chairman's Report. No Report.
4. Old Business.
 - a. TV Show Update. No update.
 - b. Recycle contest update. No update.
 - c. Fordway Cleanup, October 15th. Meet at the dog park.
 - d. Budget items for 2012.
 - e. Taylor Library Chimney. Recommendation sent via email.
5. New Business
 - a. Presentation from Bev Edwards, Temple NH Energy Committee Chair.
 - i. Committee formed upon Town acceptance of Climate Change Resolution.
 - ii. Have developed excellent relationship with Town Board of Selectman and other significant committees.
 - iii. Budget of \$500 annually.
 - iv. Committee has been assisting town with fuel assistance program, specifically by helping with weatherization improvements to homes receiving fuel assistance. Funding comes from donation by local church.
 - v. Competition with local towns regarding "carbon challenge". Achieved 15% participation by household.
 - vi. Town won RGGI grant for energy improvements to Fire and Police department.
 - vii. Included energy chapter of planning master plan.
 - viii. Offered free weatherization for citizens. Used Keith Abbott (Vermont). About 25 attendees. 2008.
 - ix. Developing/participating in southwest NH regional organization. Advocating solar hot water workshops. Volunteer oriented initiative. Plymouth Area Renewable Initiative providing guidance.
 - b. Parade. For further discussion. Committee is generally un-interested.
 - c. Boards, Commissions, Duties and Procedures.
6. Open Discussion.
7. Adjournment
 - a. Motion to adjourn by Mary. Seconded by Jonathan. Vote in favor 4-0.