Harvard Energy Advisory Committee

Wednesday July 28, 2010 7:30 PM Main Floor Children's Room, Old Library, Harvard MA Members - Bill Blackwell, Eric Broadbent, Forrest Hodgkins, David Fay, Brian Smith, Brian Harrington; Support Members - Rene Roy; Liaisons: BOS - Marie Sobalvarro, School Committee - Pat Wenger

Action / Topic

Approve the minutes of July 14, 2010.

Energy Retrofit Projects

1. School Upgrades

a. Action: Get contract and schedule agreed with B2Q and signed. Resolve NGrid issues – B. Smith

2. Town Building Lighting

a. Action: HEAC recommend project scope to Tim Bragan. – B.Smith/B. Blackwell

3. Bromfield/HES Solar Panels 5.3 kW – Install by Oct Action: Secure Ostrow & Harvard signatures on contract. – B. Blackwell/L. Leonard

Energy Initiatives

4. Green Communities

a. Action: Draft plan. – E. Broadbent

b. Action: Criteria 1, 2 Renewable Energy As-of-Right Siting and Expedited Permitting – conf call with Tim Clark and I using Devens – E. Broadbent

c. **Action**: Criteria 5 Stretch Code – Identify key allies and opponents (incl Harvard Local). Talk to schools and press. Broadbent and B. Harrington

d. Action – Present the plan to BOS & Town committees (e.g., Planning Board, Capital Committee, Finance Committee. e. Action – Prepare Package of Green Communities info to use to consistently communicate program. – E. Broadbent f. Action – Criteria 3 & 4 Baseline and Vehicle Inventory and Overall Project Plan – B. Smith

5. Monitoring Research

a. Action: Install Emonitor with town bldg facilities staff.- D. Fay

6. Town Energy Policy/Plan

a. Action: Obtain feedback on Energy Policy – Discuss with Tim Bragan. – B. Smith

7. Action: Investigate energy audit of Bromfield House. – R, Roy

Next Meeting August 11, 2010