

Lyme Energy Committee  
Minutes for Aug, 20, 2012

Present: Matt Brown, Gary Phetteplace, Dan O'Hara, Mark Bolinger,  
Simon Carr (Selectman), Joanna Laro

Absent; Becky Lovejoy, Robin Taylor, Scott Nichols

Gary Phetteplace called the meeting to order at 7:33

1. Minutes of July 16 meeting approved as corrected and circulated on 7/24.
2. Update on the school expansion project -They are still trying to figure out where to put the addition and it is too early to figure out the energy implications, so that portion remains on hold.

Action: Mark will keep us informed.

3. The Renewable Energy and Conservation Inventory for Lyme survey now has 29 responses and we probably won't get more until fall.

Action: Mark is working on a fall newsletter that will request more responses.

4. Energy chapter of the revised town master plan.

One of the problems with the master plan is that the attitude survey on which it is based was done in 2006. There has been a 36% change in population since the 2006.

Joanna has looked at the Keene master plan and feels it is much more comprehensive with specific goals, etc. She will try to come up with some specific things that should be included.

We had a discussion of suggested changes to the present energy chapter of the master plan and came up with several points that ought to be clarified, updated, or corrected. Matt took notes and is coming up with suggested changes so we can agree on our recommendation to the planning board at our Sept 17 meeting.

Action: Matt to work with Becky and circulate by Sept 10

Meeting adjourned at 8:32, next meeting 7:30 Sept 17 at Town Office Building.

Respectfully Submitted  
Dan O'Hara