

Minutes January 14, 2010

The regular monthly meeting of the North Hampton Energy Committee was called to order at 7:00 PM by Chair, Mary Lou Wollmar. In attendance were members Dietrich Ebert, and Peter Philbrook. Bob Copp, Vice-Chair, was excused due to another town meeting.

The Minutes of October 8th 2009 were approved by a unanimous vote.

Mary Lou reported a new program sponsored by Clean-air Cool-planet called "button up" which had been presented at the Rye public library January 24th and was available.

Peter Philbrook reported that he had contacted Rev. Michelle Bagby- Allen about offering to do an energy evaluation for the UCC Church, and was waiting to hear back on a date.

In setting new goals, Peter suggested that we set up a table soon in the library to display books, flyers, and particularly a watt meter, 3 light bulbs: incandescent, fluorescent, led, possibly a heat sensor. The instruments could be taken out on loan for residents to use in finding out how to reduce the use of energy "guzzlers". Peter agreed to set it up. Mary Lou to work with Loreen on a space and permission, and to try to secure funding from the Select Board out of their discretionary fund.

A discussion on possible plans for earth day followed. Mary Lou agreed to contact Loreen Keating about sharing the responsibilities of getting a speaker , helping with food for Tues., April 22nd(evening supper) or Sat. April 26th (Breakfast 8-10AM). If we received a good response, we might try to have it in a larger venue than the library, say the UCC Church or Centennial Hall.

The meeting adjourned at 8:30 PM with the next meeting being scheduled for February 11.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Lou Wollmar, Chair