

Renewable Energy Committee

November 1, 2011 Minutes

ORLEANS TOWN CLERK

K. Darby, ASST.

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Present: Mary Jane Curran, Jim Hungerford, Richard Philbrick, Victor Noerdlinger, Chris Gallazi

Absent: John Jannell, Dave Hubbard, Sims McGrath, Paul Rooker

Mary Jane opened the meeting at 4:13 PM.

There was discussion about the status of the CVEC solar proposal and the sequence of events that will take place during Nov and Dec. John Jannell is in contact with CVEC and will keep us advised as to the latest status. On or about the last week in Dec, it is expected that CVEC will identify the chosen towns and the specific sites.

This committee clearly needs more information in early Jan 2012 if we are to inform the town's residents about the project. It may require a town meeting to seek approval.

Since the Letter of Intent to CVEC requires "exclusivity" for the identified sites in Orleans through December 2011, we need to know the status as soon as possible. We may want to pursue other sources of Solar or Wind Power for these sites if we are not chosen by CVEC.

It is felt that CVEC will try to "enrich" as many towns, on the cape, as possible with this second round of financing.

There was no additional correspondence

The minutes of the 10-18-11 meeting were approved with a minor correction.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:03 PM

Jim Hungerford "acting clerk"