

Milford NH Energy Advisory Committee Minutes Dec 22, 2022

Submitted by S Lawrence Status: Approved

Convened at 5:01 pm in the Milford Community Development Conference Room, Town Hall

- Members Attending: Scott Lawrence (Recorder), Rob Costantino, Mike Thornton (Chair)
- Members Excused: John Yule
- Guests: Bob Hayden (Standard Power of America)

Discussed the survey, flier, and informational documents. Minor revisions are needed. M Thornton and S Lawrence will get those revisions made tomorrow with Standard Power so that handouts can be printed.

S Lawrence and M Thornton will work with C Gentry at Granite Town Media to get documents posted to the town website with contextual information.

Reviewed plan dates.

Motion: Upon approval of Standard Power, the committee will forward suggested warrant article language to the Board of Selectmen. Moved: S Lawrence, Seconded: R Costantino, passed unanimously.

Our Milford Energy Advisory Committee / Milford Community Power Committee still needs one full member and two associate members. Please consider volunteering to help contain energy costs like Milford.

Adjourned at 6:18pm

Next meeting 8 Dec 2022 5pm in Community Development Conference Room, Town Hall

Old Business

- Approval of Minutes; Moved by ?, seconded by ?, passed
- Actions from past meetings:
 - M Thornton: find out if we legally need action from the BoS to charter the Community Power Committee (which we created as a subcommittee of the whole at our last meeting).

- M Thornton: ask Standard Power for the survey to be reviewed, and distribute via the committee email list.
 - https://groups.google.com/g/milford-nh-energy/c/Acz2F25IEXw
- S Lawrence: get Facebook accounts for all committee members and add them as moderators to the page
- M Thornton & S Lawrence: Investigate adding committee material to milford.nh.gov. If that is not convenient, we will set up a Google site and link to it from the town site.
- S Lawrence: get source documents from Standard Power (completed, linked below)
- Document Reviews:
 - o Milford Community Power Plan (working draft)
 - o Milford Community Power Schedule (working draft)
 - Community Power FAQ (working draft)

New Business

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Ongoing discussion items:

Work Items:

Milestones remaining are below

- 1. Standard Power of America Does The Survey (using SurveyMonkey)
- 2. Survey Results
- 3. Adjustments
- 4. Build Milford Plan
- 5. Outreach Details Below
- 6. Deliberative Session
- 7. Warrant Article Approval
- 8. Monitor Standard Power

Our Responsibilities

- Enlist Milford's resources
- Introduction and redirection to Milford website
- Markup to the Standard Power Survey
- Protection of other Facebook pages / sites
- Build the Milford Community Power Plan

Other Items

- MEAC/ MCPC Milestones
- Granite Town Media (GTM)

- Public Service Announcements (PSAs)
- Explain Milford Community Power Survey
- Outreach both MCPC & Standard Power
 - o cards at transfer station (us)
 - o cards at municipal buildings
 - o cards at the Library
 - o cards at local businesses
 - o posters with QR codes
 - o Granite Town Media PSA videos (us)
 - Milford Cabinet
 - o other ideas