

Approved Minutes for the July Renewable Energy Task Force

Remote Meeting on 7/20/20.

Chairman, Rob Wills, called the meeting to order at 7:05 PM.

Present were Rob Wills, Laura Lynch, Deb Delseo, Thomas Whitcomb and Bev Edwards.

The meeting notes from our June 15 meeting were read and approved.

Rob presented an update and photos for a potential location for a solar array to cover the electricity needs of the Municipal Building, FD, Town Hall and Mansfield Library. A discussion followed.

Bev presented a review of Temple's purchasing process for funding municipal projects. She then reported on the 2020/21 potential funding options available from the NH Community Development Finance Authority...principally, low-interest loans and grants.

Bev then delivered an update on the progress of the NH Community Power (NHCP) organization's preparations to assist interested NH towns with the mechanics of establishing their Community Power Plans. They expect to be operational by 2021.

Tom Whitcomb stated that he will be volunteering to participate in the CPNH organization.

A motion was made by Laura Lynch to elect Bev to be the new Task Force secretary. It was voted on and approved.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:40 PM.

Respectfully submitted, Bev Edwards