



Sustainability Commission – Climate Action Subcommittee –

Climate Action Subcommittee Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: Friday, January 24, 2025

Meeting Time: 8:00 PM

Meeting Location: via ZOOM (recorded)

Attendees: Charlotte Weigel, Ken Horton, Ginger Volmar

Minutes:

Started – 8:00pm

- Agenda Item 1: Discuss outreach plan for town resolution.
 - Feb 26th at Senior Center
 - Environmental Club at High School – reach out to meet
 - Propose two weeks before town meeting raise awareness to get parents to support
 - Propose campaign that we work on together
 - Groups we want to meet with:
 - Groton Dem Comm – Target Feb 23rd – Ginger to confirm time and participation
 - Groton Conservation Trust, Garden Club (Linda), Trails Committee, Invasives – we have Sust Comm members on those groups
 - Charlotte to ask Brian Bettencourt about attending GCT and Lisa Theall on Garden Club
 - Ken to contact Paul Funch
 - Charlotte to ask Invasive Species Committee
 - Ken to reach out to Recycling Committee
 - Would GCT put on website?
 - Groton Women's Club
 - Charlotte seeing if can go to Board meeting to propose going in front of Club
 - GDRSD School Committee
 - Ask Lacey to get on school
 - Destination Groton
 - Ken to reach out to Greg Sheldon
 - Can we announce on their website
 - Planning Board
 - Ken to reach out to Takashi Tada
 - Groton Rep Comm – Paul Fitzgerald
 - Charlotte to reach out to Fitzgerald
 - Letters of Support
 - We have letters from Town Departments, other groups, but slightly different than resolution, would need to ask again for specific resolution.
 - Charlotte to ask Mark about what to do with Letters of Support
 - Ken to put together information on resolution for website and single page for meetings
Target Feb 12th Weds, at 7pm
 - We would like to have public forum. Wait to see how Education Subcommittee would like to do this.
- Agenda Item 2: Review minutes from previous meetings
 - Net Zero 2050 Planning Subcommittee:
 - 6/13/24, Ken 1st moves to approve CW 2nd, all in favor
 - 6/27/24 Ken 1st moves to approve CW 2nd, all in favor

- Energy Coaching Working Group
 - 3/19/24, Ken 1st moves to approve CW 2nd, all in favor
 - 5/24/24, Ken 1st moves to approve CW 2nd, all in favor
 - 7/31/24, Ken 1st moves to approve CW 2nd, all in favor
 - 8/6/24, Ken 1st moves to approve CW 2nd, all in favor
 - 9/5/24, Ken 1st moves to approve CW 2nd, all in favor
- Energy Coaching Working Group – BUT WAS POSTED AS EDUCATION SUBCOMMITTEE
 - 7/12/24, Ken 1st moves to approve CW 2nd, all in favor

- Agenda Item 3: Any other business
 - Paragraph for resolution on warrant
 - CW to share with KH to review and submit to Mark.

Meeting adjourned – 9:00pm

Climate Action Subcommittee meeting: TBD

Respectfully submitted,

- **Charlotte Weigel** Sustainability Commission Member

Minutes approved by Net Zero 2050 Planning/Climate Action Planning Subcommittee, Feb 12, 2025.