



## TOWN OF GROTON

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## TENNESSEE GAS PIPELINE WORKING GROUP COMMITTEE

### Members

*Chair* John Giger, G-D School Committee  
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Peter Cunningham, Selectman  
John Petropoulos, Selectman  
Kevin Kelly, GELD Manager  
Dennis Eklof, Citizen at Large

### Advisors

Mark Haddad, Town Manager  
Steele McCurdy, Fire Chief  
Takashi Tada (Cons. Comm. Alternate)

Meeting Date: February 5, 2015  
Location: Town Hall, First Floor Meeting Room, 173 Main Street, Groton  
Members: John Petropoulos, Kevin Kelly, Dennis Eklof, John Giger, Peter Cunningham  
Others: Greg Sheldon, David Melpignano  
Handout: draft 2014 annual report language

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John Giger convened the meeting at 5:30 pm. John Giger asked the committee to review annual report drafts as preparation of the 2014 annual report is the sole agenda item for the meeting.

John Petropoulos gathered the draft submissions of other committee members together with his own work and produced a combined draft. John Petropoulos commented that he folded in some points from each submission that he received. After some discussion, committee members agreed to work from the combined draft and edit the report with a sentence by sentence review.

The two main outcomes were –

- a decision to share the committee's conclusion that "based on the studies reviewed, some amount of increased natural gas supply is needed in the region in the immediate future[;]" and
- a committee decision to keep the focus on Groton as evidenced by the statement "[e]lectric rates in Groton will rise without new energy supply to replace lost generation."

Much of the combined draft language was acceptable as written. Fran Stanley will make the indicated changes and submit the committee's report.

Next Meeting: Monday, February 23, 2015 at 5:30 pm.

*Peter Cunningham moved to adjourn the meeting at 6:15 pm. Kevin Kelly seconded and the motion carried 5:0 (John Llodra and Peter Morrison were absent).*

Notes by Fran Stanley.