

## TOWN OF BEDFORD ENERGY COMMISSION MEETING

September 26, 2019  
BCTV MEETING ROOM  
10 MEETINGHOUSE ROAD

- I. Call to Order 7:00 PM
- II. Quorum Count (5)
- III. Approval of Minutes
  - a. 8/2019 (posted online)
- IV. Reports of Members and Committees
  - a. Legislative update – Chris
    1. Group net metering 1MW -> 5MW (HB 365) House failed to override
  - b. School projects – John Schneller
- V. Special Orders
  - a. Jeff Foote transfer station composting
    1. Composting Plan
    2. Possible inclusion of school system in composting and other waste
    3. Reconfiguration plan for transfer station
    4. Possibility of using Axion plastic wood in town projects
    5. Energy efficiency improvement projects
    6. Electricity municipal aggregation
- VI. Old Business
  - a. Green Business Award -
    1. Social media promotion update – Sarah
      - A. Flyer
  - b. EV Charging Station Encouragement Project – Sarah
  - c. Landfill Solar – Chris
    - A. On hold
  - d. Solsmart
    1. [www.thesolarfoundation.org](http://www.thesolarfoundation.org)
      - A. Start with Bronze level - Sarah
  - e. New Solar Up campaign – Andrew
    1. Was the survey sent out?
  - f. Eversource bills to calculate demand charges
    1. Bing looking at demand charges
    2. Adding the pool and library to see if PV will work
      - A. May need to consider energy storage for pumps/motors

- g. Change transfer station policy to put recyclables in solid waste – Bill Foote
  - 1. Proposal to change resident sorting to reduce costs and be ready for any future changes in recycling policy
  - 2. Maybe look at an outdoor screen again as part of the public education effort
- h. Town Solar –Jeff
  - 1. Pool PV array size would be roughly 67' x 60'
- i. Plastic (#2) to structural plastic wood replacement – John Schneller

VII. New business

- a. Marc Hebert of Harbor Group will attend the November meeting
  - 1. Marc will bring Mark Weissflog, his solar installer, to discuss mainly the financial reasons and Mark will address any technical questions
- b. Municipal Aggregation

VIII. Reminders: Next upcoming meeting is October 24

IX. Adjournment

Jeff Kerr (Chair) – 3/2020

Andrew Gillis (Vice Chair) – 3/2022

Chris Bandazian (Town Council Liaison) – 3/2020

Catherine Rombeau (Town Council Liaison Alternate) – 3/2020

John Schneller (School Board Liaison) – 3/2020

Bill Foote (School Board Liaison Alternate) – 3/2020

John Russell – 3/2021

Bing Lu – 3/2021

Sarah Braese – 3/2022

Tim Paradis – 3/2022