

TOWN OF BEDFORD ENERGY COMMISSION MEETING

October 25, 2018

BCTV MEETING ROOM
10 MEETINGHOUSE ROAD

- I. Call to Order 7:00 PM
- II. Quorum Count (5)
- III. Approval of Minutes
 - a. May 24, June
- IV. Reports of Members and Committees
 - a. Legislative update – Chris
 - b. School projects – Bill
- V. Special Orders
 - a. Don Willet and/or Chris Welcome to discuss leasing the town landfill for solar electricity generation
- VI. Old Business
 - a. Green Resident Award - Shana
 1. Update on nomination form
 - b. Green Business Award - Lex
 - c. Lex social media promotion update – Shana, Lex
 1. Logo update
 - d. Tour of recycling and incineration facilities - John
 - e. Landfill Solar – Jeff
 1. Is leasing the landfill an option?
 2. Location of 3 phase power and plans to extend to transfer station
 3. Updated PPA financing
 - f. Button up NH
 1. Last done 7 years ago
 - g. New Solar Up campaign – Shana
 1. Shana sent survey to Chris
 2. Was the survey sent out?
 - h. Transfer station -
 1. Mandatory glass separation in effect
 - A. Lex and Catherine article - after tour
 - i. Glass removed from recycling and waste stream Bedford 2020 Master Plan update
 - A. 10/26 art contest

B. Next up is the Pan-a-palooza 11/1-11/5

a. www.blueprintbedford.com is not secure

j. Master Plan

1. Town netzero by 2030?

A. Or some other achievable goal

2. Electrical grid modernization

3. Town zero waste by 2030?

A. Or some other achievable goal (35%?)

k. Glass bottle deposit state law?

1. Moves cost from town to businesses

2. Encourages reuse of glass or use of other materials

3. Would apply to glass other than bottled drinks?

l. Electrical grid modernization

1. Smart meters

2. Higher capacity transformers to support electric car charging

3. Increased integration of renewables

m. Eversource bills to calculate demand charges (need 2 volunteers)

1. Bing volunteered

n. Commission Roles

VII. New business

VIII. Reminders: Next upcoming meeting is November 29

IX. Adjournment

Jeff Kerr (Chair) - 2020

Andrew Gillis (Vice Chair) - 2019

Shana Potvin (Past Chair) - 2019

Chris Bandazian (Town Council Liaison) - 2018

Catherine Rombeau (Town Council Liaison Alternate) - 2018

Bill Foote - 2018

John Russell - 2018

Kevin Flynn - 2018

Alexander Joy - 2020

Bing Liu - 2021

Bill Coder - 2019