Joint Thetford Energy Committee Meeting AGENDA September 7, 2023, 6:00 to 7:30 PM

Online: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82586313824 Meeting ID: 825 8631 3824; Passcode: 301731

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Meeting ID: 818 7300 7902; Passcode: 614239

JTEC Present: Nolan, Tom, Alice, Erica, Chuck, Chris

Guests Present: n/a

Call to order: 6:00 pm

6:00 Approve June, July, August Minutes - Done

6:05 Updates – Nolan mentioned that he was at a school community event, had mentioned the EC to a few individuals, planned on following up with some advertising to the whole parent body this month.

6:10 Upcoming Community Conversation Sept. 20

6:20 Budget/Events – Are we going to expand any more money this year? Discussion re: adding to energy resources at Libraries in town.

6:40 Second Round MERP Evaluation (Town Garage) – Discussed current plans for the garage is the town planning on rehabbing the current building, or replace it (as was the plan some years ago). Briefly discussed the potential of Timothy Frost building, but Town plans for that space also unclear. Since Jeff in touch with town manager regarding these topics, decided to leave the discussion with him, help where we can.

7:00 Final Approval of Committee Charge

7:05 Climate Ballot Initiative - convey the priority of the community climate and resiliency goals so that they are not lost as selectboard membership changes. Discussed bringing the initiative up at the Community Meeting to see if other Committees may want to be involved with planning. Discussed the timing of a Ballot Initiative in context of collaboration with other committees – may need 2023-24 to draft for it to get on the 2025 Town Meeting Ballot.

Adjourn 7:30 pm

Future Meeting Topics

Next Meeting October 5, 2023