

Harpswell Energy Committee

May14, 2012 Minutes

Chairman John Monaghan called the meeting to order at 4:05 PM at the Harpswell Town Office Building. Committee members present: Dan Huber, David Chipman, and John Monaghan. Also attending was Aaron.

- A. Approval of the minutes of last meeting as written.
- B. John discussed the final Harpswell 5th grade Energy education class where the students added PV cells, a simulated wind turbine and misc. items to the house. John asked Dave if he could take a look at some of the connections to make sure they are secure. Dave will take the house and work with it.
- C. Possible projects were discussed by the committee:
 - a. Assessing the energy usage for the town buildings that recovered energy up grades was discussed. It was agreed to pursue this project and John will look up when the work was complete concerning dates.
 - b. Dave brought up the possibility of a wind turbine for the TV station. John stated that when the turbine was placed at the top of the hill on the wind maps it was feasible. Dave to look into available data & placing the wind meters on the Phone communication tower.
 - c. John brought up the possibility of community PV and using part of Mitchell field for the arrays. John to perform more research.
- H. Next Energy Committee Meeting-6/25/2012 @4pm
Meeting adjourned @ 5:30pm.