

Meeting of the Scarborough Energy Committee
August 17, 2016

Minutes

Present: Judy Roy, Deb McDonough, Sandi Dargi, Rick Meinking, Anton Bodor, David Kirstein, Ron Allen, Tom Hall, Chris Caiazzo, Bill Donovan, Mike Shaw

Absent: Mike Wallace

Approve minutes: (Judy, Sandy) Unanimous

Tax Bill Insert – Cost covered by Efficiency Maine

Sustainability Coordinator – Posted, closes Sunday, ~25 applicants
Several with sustainability degree

Meeting adjourned at 8:20 am

Next meeting: August 17, 7:30 am
Paul w/CHP update?
Review Comprehensive Energy Plan

Curbside Organics Pilot

Mike Shaw – Eco Maine Annual Meeting
Discussions of Organics
Retrofit truck to take fluid
Supply existing bins
Weekly organics, trash/recycling every other
EcoMaine will take the Organics at \$55
Muskie Institute will survey/research
Start date? Oct/Nov
Possible the bags will be ok, send to digester w/ bag ripper
No additional cost for pilot

Questions: Pet waste, surplus garbage/recycling?, bagging,
Magnet with schedule?, Block captains?, Firehouse meeting?
deb to contact Hamilton/Portland, OR

Garbage-to-Garden

7 tons diverted May/June (7 tons/gallon)
Effective tipping fee \$43.20
5.8 tons in July

3500 Recycling stickers are in place.
Still working on the others.

Solar Annual Report
Performing on target
(Include in article to introduce Sustainability Coordinator)

Streetlights
Falmouth RFP for design has been awarded
Efficiency Maine – Currently utility mounted lights are excluded

Comprehensive Energy Plan
Include in Town Comprehensive Plan?
Stand-alone more detailed plan.
Policy issues? Revolving fund?
We can't develop additional code requirements.
We can incentivize. (Portland model.)

Meeting adjourned at 8:37 am

Next meeting: September 21, 7:30 am
Comprehensive Energy Plan
Tri-gen report card