

Town of Lunenburg Green Communities Task Force

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Minutes for 7/28/2016

Present: *DB* D. Blatt, Greg Bittner, Neal Sullivan, John Londa

1. Meeting Called to order at 6:36 PM. No minutes were available to review/approve.
2. Review of Present Projects- J. Londa presented the results of the re-bid of the Municipal LED project results. DMH Electric of Sterling MA was the low bidder for work at Lunenburg Primary School (\$88,000) and Lunenburg Public Library (\$37,500). Three other bidder submitted bids. A notice to proceed will be sent to the Town Manager for signature and contract document will be send to DMH Electric in the coming week. The Teen Center and Turkey Hill were not included in the bid. Lightec Inc provided a proposal to perform the work at the Teen Center. J. Londa was directed to solicit a price from DMH to perform the Teen Center work and then award the work to the low bidder.
3. Review of new projects- J. Londa present a proposal for a new project for Turkey Hill School which would be aimed at improving the building envelope. This is likely a candidate for the next round of grant funds.
4. Review Grant Extension and new time table- J. Londa informed the committee that DOER approved an extension of the grant funds until April 2017.
5. MS-HS and DPW solar projects: J. Londa provided an update on the solar projects for the two buildings. Both projects will be present on the August 22 Special Town Meeting to allow the Select Board to enter into a long term (20 year plus) contract.
6. Update on Net Metering.- J. Londa present information on the town serving as host for a solar project located in Fitchburg. The Special Town Meeting scheduled for August 22d will consider allowing the Select Board to enter into a long term contract with Borrego to purchase the Net Metering Credits.
7. Approval of the GC7 Repurpose Table- J. Londa presented a proposal to modify the projects that the town is funding with Green Community Funds to remove all projects that have not been completed to date and submit the Lunenburg Primary School, Lunenburg Library, and the Teen Center lighting projects to DOER on the repurpose table. The Committee voted unanimously to approve.
8. Set date for next meeting- No meeting date was set for the next meeting.

9. Meeting adjourned at 7:55 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,