Draft Minutes of the Deerfield Energy Committee February 20, 2024

The Deerfield Energy Committee met on February 20, 2024, at the George B. White Building. (The regular January meeting had to be cancelled since only two members were available.)

Wes Golomb, chair, called the meeting to order at 5:37 PM. Also present were members Erroll Rhodes and Barbara Mathews and community member Linda McNair-Perry.

Mr. Rhodes moved to accept the minutes from the previous meeting, Mr. Golomb seconded and all members voted in favor.

The Committee discussed formulating a plan for a 100 Kw array at the GBW building to be funded at no cost to the town through a PPA. Mrs. Mathews will contact Rachel Eades at Revision Energy about attending the next meeting to further assess this possibility. The Committee hopes to be able to share a solar proposal with the Select Board in the near future to set the stage for the Select Board then issuing an RFP for the project.

Mr. Golomb will invite with Kyle Shute of Porter Electric to the next committee meeting to review the options for another Solar Up program.

Mr. Golomb will be in touch Anne Meyers, the Town Librarian, about the Committee's idea of presenting a series of energy talks at the library.

Mr. Golomb moved to adjourn the meeting at 6:52 pm and Mr. Rhodes seconded. All members voted in favor.

Respectfully submitted on March 13, 2024,

Barbara Mathews Recording Clerk