

Hillsboro Energy Commission Approved Minutes  
September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2021; **Bolded items are things to-do**

Meeting opened at 6:03 PM.

Attendance: Brett Cherrington, Chairman; Vice Chairman - Adam Charrette; Jon Daley; Sue Durling

### Secretary's report:

Minutes of 09/09/2021: Motion to accept as amended by Adam Charrette. Seconded by Sue Durling. Passed unanimously.

### Drive Electric Week

National Drive Electric Week has a few online events next week, September 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> and they might be interesting to attend. <https://driveelectricweek.org/event?eventid=3010> Topics that will be discussed: EV 101, Cost of Ownership, Environmental Benefits, and Local Public Charging.

### Police EV proposal

Brett is going to invite the chief to the Electric week talks to see if he is interested in that.

### Ordinance/Regulations

Link shared last week had some good links to best practices and examples from different towns and cities that have already implemented. Brett thought that the example from Chelan, Washington was good to look at because they are smaller than we are, and lots of these projects are in cities. Methuen, MA is another given example on the site and one definition included in their regulations is a definition for battery exchange facilities for vehicles that can't stop to charge. **Brett will collect up the documents and talk with Robyn.**

### EV Charging Station

#### EV Fund/Grants

Brett added us to a list run by NHDES for municipalities interested in being a charging station site hosts.

#### Possible sites in Hillsboro

Land near Shaws? Tire Warehouse? Dunkin Donuts (nothing to do there)? The pull-off across from Rite Aid? Municipal parking lot across from the library? Volkswagon fund needs to be on the specified routes, one of which is Route 9. The parking lot near Hillsboro Ford - has the walking bridge, Subway, McDonalds, etc. near it.

### Solar Street Lights

Jon called Eversource and left a message with Allison. **He'll follow up with her.** Adam left a message with Laura about the bid process, but she is on vacation this week.

### Energy Audits

Brett talked with Rich from Shakes to Shingles has been swamped with work and so hasn't gotten to our report yet. He will get to it in the next couple weeks and get us a report in November.

### Portfolio Manager

**Sue has an appointment** with Eversource next Wednesday to do another training and get more details about how to get it configured and running.

## 250<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Booklet

The 250<sup>th</sup> anniversary committee asked us to get a picture. We took a picture of the members who were present for next year's booklet.

Next meeting will be on October 14<sup>th</sup> at 6:00PM.

Meeting adjourned at 6:46 PM, motion to adjourn by Adam, seconded by Sue, passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,  
Jon Daley