Craftsbury Energy Committee

Meeting Notes for Thursday, June 19, 2025, Craftsbury Town Hall

Present: Christina Finkelstein, Bill Day, Craig Taylor, Alan Turnbull, Seth Bond, Jamie Milholland

The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm.

Minutes for the May meeting were approved as written.

Agenda Items

1. Firewood
   - There is plenty left to process. We discussed how to store what we have left that's not been requested for this season.
   - The grant from the Greensboro Fund covered expenses (processor rental etc.).
   - We discussed the value of having community involvement in firewood work days. It helps to organize work days with enough notice to publicize them. September might be good to aim for.

2. Window Inserts
   - All but three homes are measured (plus a few households that expressed interest but are not responding).
   - A grant of $4,000 is coming from NEGEV to cover the subsidized inserts.

3. MERP
   - Jaime put an RFP notice in the *Chronicle*. A listing in the Vermont Business Registry is to be done.
   - Four contractors have looked at the town hall excavation project; one proposal has been submitted and 3 more proposals are expected.
   - Three insulation contractors are interested in that part of the town hall project.
   - Each contractor has their own ideas about the building's needs and how to address them.

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- Actual bids may not match the values given in the engineer's report. When we are ready to award contracts, allocations will have to be adjusted.
- Some time before the end of summer Craig will plan one volunteer work day each at the town hall and the town garage.

4. Student Projects
   - Will return to the agenda in September.

5. EC on Town Website
   The Energy Committee roster needs to be updated.

6. Next Meeting
   - Thursday, July 17, 7:00pm, Craftsbury Town Hall and on Zoom

The meeting was adjourned at 7:58pm.

Notes submitted by Bill Day

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