

Minutes
Dummerston Energy Committee
Monday, May 2, 2022 @ 6pm
Online via Zoom

1. Meeting was called to order at 6:05pm:
 - a. Eric Lineback, Calvin Farwell, Doug Morton, and Alex Wilson were in attendance.
2. Welcomed guests: No guests present.
3. Reviewed agenda: No new items.
4. Approved minutes from the April 4, 2022 meeting:
 - a. Motioned by Alex; seconded by Calvin; unanimously approved.
5. Covered bridge lights:
 - a. Stan has installed 4 lights on the southern side of the bridge. He will continue the install as he's available to do so.
6. Federal infrastructure bill – what does it mean for Dummerston?:
 - a. The town will receive \$521,000 in total, more than we previously thought.
 - b. ACTION: Alex and Doug will look into possibly using some of these funds to build a sewage treatment system for West Dummerston Village, which we believe should be formally proposed by resident(s) of that village.
 - c. Doug has still not received a response from the Selectboard regarding use of the funds.
7. Electric vehicles (EVs) and eBikes:
 - a. ACTION: Eric will put Doug in touch with Kevin about the project.
8. Efficiency Vermont town energy assessment:

- a. Eric informed the committee that the Selectboard is pursuing this opportunity and will keep him posted.
- 9. Vermont FY23 Budget Bill (H.740):
 - a. Eric provided an update.
- 10. Transportation Innovation Act (H.552):
 - a. No updates.
- 11. Environmental Justice Bill (S.148):
 - a. No updates.
- 12. Clean Heat Standard Bill (H.715):
 - a. Eric provided an update.
- 13. Municipal Energy Resilience Initiatives Bill (H.518):
 - a. No updates.
- 14. New business:
 - a. Alex updated the committee on the TNC Green-Up Day event happening on 5/4 on Rice Farm Road and Quarry Road. All are encouraged to attend.
- 15. Meeting adjourned at 7:23pm. Next meeting will be held on June 6, 2022 at 6:00pm at the town office (or via Zoom if necessary).