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Plainfield Energy Committee Meeting 9/14/17

Minutes:

Meeting convened at 7:25. Present were Tim, Conrad, Judy and Steve

Sherry Carpenter attended meeting. Welcome!

Bowman delivered the Highway Garage Level 2 audit. Energy conservation measures were recommended. \$21,000. Eas his estimate for installing 4" of rigid insulation. The Building Committee wants an upgraded heating system. Conrad talked to Tom Rossmassler from Energia in Holyoke regarding a proposal/specifications for the Highway garage.

RE: Bob Haines from World Energy. We're waiting for per line prices.

RE: Community Solar via Chris Clark and Nexamp, for the town: Tim and Conrad will go to the Selectboard and lay out 2 options:

-15% discount on the electric bill, signing up with Coop Power or
-20% Municipal discount on the bill requiring a 20 year contract.

"HeatSave" will mimic Solarize Mass for heating equipment discounts. We'll wait and see how the program works with early adopters.

Hawley's DC kW price for pv was \$2.90/watt (through Comalli Electric)

We were awarded 2 META grants:
\$12,500 (for Level 2 audits)
\$5,000. For HCOG assistance

Conrad was appointed as delegate to approve Green Communities invoices for grant work.

Meeting adjourned at 8:44 PM

Respectfully,
Stephen Bushway