

Energy Committee Minutes  
Tuesday, June 1, 2021

Present: Wendy Sharkey, Michael Kuser, Deanna Oakes, Jeannie Jenkins, Madison Kremer, Marsh Hudson-Knapp, Bill Christian, Mei Butler (Energy Action Network, EAN)

Meeting called to order at 7:03 pm

Minutes were approved – Jeannie made motion, Deanna seconded, unanimous

### **Community Energy Dashboard**

Mei Butler shared information on EAN's Community Energy Dashboard. Utilizing the dashboard is one of the action items for the Energy Committee for this year.

- Dashboard helps communities track progress toward energy goals
- Dashboard is at [vtenergydashboard.org](http://vtenergydashboard.org)
- Set up to track progress toward state goal of 90% renewables by 2050 across transportation, thermal and electricity sectors
- Now partners with over 20 organizations to gather accurate data
- Allows for town and county-level comparisons
- By using the Data Landing page, one can search by energy sector and also filter by energy and technology types (i.e., solar, heat pumps)
- Annual Progress Report for 2020 has just been released on the EAN website

### **Window Dresser Update**

Michael shared minutes from last county-wide Window Dressers meeting. Suggestion that Energy Committee members could be copied on the minutes going forward.

### **Composting**

Will remain on the agenda for another month!

Thanks to those finishing up a term on the Board and for their good work:

Vice Chair Wendy Sharkey – who did incredible research on codes and permitting

Recorder Nancy Thompson – who took minutes accurately and got them in on time for a year and a half and, at the same time, made useful contributed to all our discussions

Next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, July 6 at 7pm over Zoom.

Meeting adjourned at 7:45pm Wendy made motion, Deanna second, unanimous