

# Minutes of the Peacham Energy Committee – 25 November, 2024

## Zoom Meeting hosted in Peacham, VT

Those present: Jock Gill, Bruce Westcott, Tom Bryer, Charlie Byron

1. Acting chair Charlie Byron : Call to order – 7:04
2. Additions to the agenda -- none
3. Approval of previous meeting (June 2024) minutes – Approved (Breyer/Byron)
4. Public comment period – None noted
5. Goals and Priorities for 2025 –
  - Jock thinks a priority should be to get at least 2 new members; preferably more diverse than the current membership.
  - Charlie asked whether we have existing “alternates” who could and would step up.
  - Tom stated his personal priority to focus on weatherization, and implementation of “Window Dressers.”
    - Bruce raised the prospect of putting together an article in support of Window Dressers, to be put on the 2025 Town Warning.
    - Charlie suggested that testimonial(s) and picture(s) will be noticed much more than a mailer.
    - Tom and Jock discussed plans to generate support for a Window Dressers appropriation.
  - Jock suggested that the Committee should have a regular (monthly?) posting on FaceBook.
  - Charlie discussed the Clean Heat Standard and whether the Committee could support its implementation. Jock suggested that incremental approaches to electrification were unlikely to succeed. He proposed the Committee support specific projects with immediate benefit as well as long-term climate benefit.
6. Review of Candidates for Chair
  - Other members each declined. Charlie agreed to continue as Chair for the time being.
8. Review correspondence – None noted
9. Adjournment – Motion to adjourn by Jock Gill. Passed unanimously at 8:07 PM.