**Energy committee**

**March 18, 2015, 4:00pm**

David Strange, John Lachapelle, Chip Stowell, Jim Fitzpatrick Kim Cowles and Guest Dave Van Houten

Town meeting – no feedback on the annual report

Solarizing - Letter of intent to funders for solar panel installation – Should we ask Ray Lobdell or Dan Webb to do a drive by for suitable sites? Roof of the SSB will hold 56 KW, land behind the transfer station? 2016 30% tax credit or 10% after 2016

Water tour in the spring preferably a warm day with no black flies, Karen will set this up.

Energy Fair at Profile on April 11th Kim will put a link on website and community sign

To apply For Property tax credit for renewable energy - State of NH form pa29 exemption is the form

John will look at the language for tax exemption established by the town and put this on the website

Town vehicles are now filling up at Presby’s

Free help is offered by the NH Wood Energy Council for switching from oil to wood pellets for larger candidates.

Would the library host an open house to show off the new wood pellet system and other energy improvements? Kim will talk to Chuck Lovett.

Karen will review the energy audit to report our progress.

Prioritizing:

Don’t lose track of the on-going projects

Master plan inclusion of energy plan - Karen will look into this

Town tax saving low priority

Solarizing - A lot of effort for public education; we focus on municipality

Building inspector – John will talk to Allan Clark about joining our next meeting, we will also ask respectable contractors for the guidelines on the energy codes. Should we issue a Stamp of approval for energy efficiency to include on a building permit?

Inventory of heating equipment John check with Jeff

Fitz will make contact with PSNH personnel this Saturday to pursue streetlight issue

Meeting adjourned 5:20

Kim Cowles