

WEC May 2022 Minutes

WEC minutes adopted after changing sentence to define that the Wallingford energy plan would provide the town with “deference” to the PUC.

1. WEC ARPA funds suggestions to the ARPA committee:

WEC requests The ARPA committee to direct approx. \$25K to the following list of projects -

- Subsidize private homeowner energy audits
- “ Button up “ of Municipal Buildings
- Town Hall Weatherization Completion

2. WEC proposes the Selectboard to add 5- 10 hrs. of time/week to an established municipal employee position to direct attention as an “energy coordinator” to focus on needed energy savings for the town. The money saved from these energy savings could then help fund the additional hours to the position. The WEC could provide help and assistance to Energy Coordinator. The cost of the additional hours (est. @ \$5K/yr.) could initially be funded by ARPA funds and then sustained by energy cost savings. David to draft letter to ARPA committee Chair Soule regarding the above items.

Brief discussion of Wallingford Day WEC participation.

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