WEC FEB 14, 2023 Meeting Minutes Approved

Present: Doug B., David C., Katherine M., Rob S., Ken w., Jay W., John A., Ralph N. January minutes approved

Ken Welch reported on discussions with ARPA committee members on the applications for HVAC and weatherization applications for town hall. Substantial discussion on the difficulties surrounding planning for and implementing replacement of the HVAC for town hall second floor.

- a) Current boiler and AC units are at the end of their useful life.
 Replacement is warranted by using either ARPA, MERP or town hall building funds.
- b) Weatherization of windows.

Discussion of MERP applications

- a) Will the state fund renovation of structures that are located in the flood plain? (fire station, town garage).
- b) Town hall generator plan is to use propane as fuel. Committee noted that there is not enough land at town hall for an external propane tank and protective barriers. Perhaps this idea should be scrapped.

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