

MVC Energy policy – review

- A large amount of serious work and detailed analysis behind this proposal.
- As a policy relying on much State information and standards – rather than being a mandate – it leaves appropriate room in its introductory statement that there is leeway in benefits and detriments evaluation to approve or deny projects that meet or fail to meet some or all of the policy.
- The use of the words “targets” and “facilitate” are appropriate rather than the word “require”
- Reasonable and appropriate with 5-year review
- The work with outside experts including Eversource engineers on long term planning provides comfort in the analysis
- Question about Planning and design principles – Is the issue of fire danger in landscaping a town issue and/or not part of this effort?
- I would recommend that the Town support this Policy.