

**Subject:** Chilmark Energy Committee meeting 9/24/19

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**Attending:** Steve Lewenberg, Jonah Maidoff, Jed Katch, Mollie Doyle, Mike Jacobs (via telephone)

### **Green Communities Update**

- Mike and Jed have been working with Margaret Song; the required Energy Reduction Plan is mostly complete (and will be presented to the select board on October 1).
- The ERP and our vehicle policy must be accepted by both the select board and the Up Island Regional School District; this should be accomplished by mid-October.
- The application will be ready for submission by the end of the month. (Late note: the deadline has been moved to November 22; we should stick with getting the application done by the end of the month.

### **Electric Vehicle and Charging Stations Update**

- Steve has analyzed the potential purchase of two EVs for town employee use; he is concerned that employees would rather continue charging the town for mileage using their personal vehicles. We should present the analysis to Tim Carroll and get his input before dropping this idea.

### **100% Renewable Martha's Vineyard**

- Rob outlined the history of this VSEC project, which is aimed at Island-wide adoption of renewable energy goals via a warrant article at the annual town meeting.
- We discussed the goals, which are consistent with the direction the state is taking, and voted in favor of carrying this forward to the select board.
- The final version of the proposed warrant article is attached.
- As an energy committee initiative, Rob will develop a plan for gaining the select board's approval for placing the article on the ATM warrant as well as appropriately publicizing the initiative as we proceed towards town meeting.

### **Chilmark School HVAC**

- A UIRSD-Chilmark working group has been formed to move this project forward
- An outline of the required work was approved by both UIRSD and the town
- Next step: hiring an engineering firm for the system design.

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**Next Meeting: October 15th**

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