



CITY OF GLOUCESTER
Clean Energy Commission
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Candace Wheeler, Chair

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General Discussion (15 minutes)

1. Approve Meeting Minutes, if available: 9/9/21, 10/14/21.
2. Member reports on conferences, meetings, etc., if any. (Report on Community Electricity Aggregation webinar held on December 7, 2021)

Staff and Member Topics/ Updates/ Discussions (75 minutes)

1) Gloucester Climate Action and Resilience Plan (CARP): Continued discussion of goals, process and next steps for accomplishing the CARP Plan, which will set target amounts and dates for carbon footprint reduction, identify stakeholders to include in the planning process, and define methods and programs for meeting those targets for the City. Gregg Cademartori (Planning Director, Gloucester Community Development Dept.), and Gemma Wilkens (Staff Planner) will lead the discussion, and introduce 2 new interns hired to work on CARP process. Van Du (MAPC) will report on progress on carbon emissions inventory, as starting place for measuring impact of carbon reduction actions made through the CARP process.

2) Green Communities Program Status: Annual Report, and next Green Communities grant applications.

3) Update on Act Relative to the Future of Heat in the Commonwealth proposed State legislation, and Utility Company 12/15/21 webinar on Future of Gas.

4) Possibilities for Transition to Electric School Buses. Defer topic to next month, while new Mayor, City Council and School Committee develop their team.

5) Update on any meetings of City departments relating to the TownGreen projects with the EPA and the Harvard Graduate School of Design.

Wrap up: Review action items, next meeting date, and adjournment.

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