



TOWN OF NEW LONDON, NEW HAMPSHIRE

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BOARD OF SELECTMEN MEETING MINUTES September 3, 2019 8:00AM

PRESENT:

Nancy Rollins, Chair
Janet Kidder, Selectman
John Cannon, Selectman
Kim Hallquist, Town Administrator

ALSO PRESENT:

Jamie Hess, Energy Committee
Tim Paradise, Energy Committee

Selectman Rollins called the meeting to order at 8:00AM.

Purchase Power Agreement (PPA) and Payment in Lieu of Taxes (PIOLT) for solar project on town property

The Board reviewed the agreements between the town and BP New London, LLC to install and maintain a solar array on town property at the Highway Garage and near the sewer lagoons. This project was the subject of Warrant Article 24 at the 2019 Town Meeting.

Jamie Hess, Energy Committee Chair, explained that the agreements will obligate the town to purchase electricity generated from the solar array at the locations. The agreement provides that the town will never pay more for electricity than it would if it purchased it from its current supplier. Chair Rollins asked if town counsel had reviewed the document. Ms. Hallquist noted that they are awaiting his response.

IT WAS MOVED (Janet Kidder) AND SECONDED (John Cannon) to approve the agreement and PILOT contingent on final approval from town counsel. THE MOTION WAS APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY.

IT WAS MOVED (John Cannon) AND SECONDED (Janet Kidder) to adjourn. THE MOTION WAS APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY.

The meeting adjourned at 8:10AM.
Respectfully submitted,

Kimberly A. Hallquist
Town Administrator