

MONTAGUE ENERGY COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA

Tuesday June 24, 2025, 4:30 PM to 6:00 PM

Due to COVID-19 Public Participation will be by Zoom:

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Votes May Be Taken

Designate facilitator and scribe, roll call of members who are present 4:32 PM.

Discussion with Chris Nolan-Zeller, Asst. Town Administrator exploring possibility of becoming a Climate Leader Community. 4:35 PM

- Talk about strategies and steps to introducing CLC requirements to select board, residents at a public forum, & Town Meeting.
 - Continue to look at FAQs, other resource documents from Ashfield, Mass. Climate Action Network (MCAN) [webpages](#) and MCAN/Sierra Club [toolkit](#) on adopting the Specialized Opt-In Stretch Code and discuss what we want to prepare.
 - Resources to help gather Town energy use and input into Mass Energy Insight
 - Building Electrification Accelerator (BEA) staff and/or intern?
 - [Municipal Decarbonization Roadmap Assistance](#) grant, due 7/ 25

Approve minutes from April 22 and May 27, 2025 MEC meetings (vote). 5:00 PM

Further Planning and Preparation for applying to become a CLC 5:10 PM.

- **Presentation to Select Board (with Chris Mason, Regional Coordinator of Green Communities?)**
 - **Drafting informational PDFs based on Ashfield Energy Committee's and/or other handouts.**
- **Preparation of the two items to bring to Town Meeting.**
 - Info sheet on Specialized Opt-In Stretch Code
 - Info sheet on Zero-Emission Vehicle First Policy
- **Organizing Town forum(s) to present idea of becoming CLC, address questions, concerns.**
- **Gathering supporters to help speak in favor, counter misperceptions.**

Other topics not reasonably anticipated 48 hours in advance of meeting. 5:50 PM

Announcements (no discussion). 5:55 PM

Plan agenda for next meeting. 5:58 PM