

Energy Committee Meeting
7 February 2011
5:30pm – WSCR
Minutes taken by Nora E. McGrath

In Attendance: Sid Lindsley, Janis Gilley, Richard Knowlton, Bennett Bricker, Brian Robinson, Martin Cates, Jeff Kuller, Roberta Smith, Dave Morris

Absent: Leonard Lookner, Peter Kalajian, Des Fitzgerald

- 1) Review and vote on 6 December 2010 EC Meeting Minutes:

It was decided to table vote until next month.

- 2) Other Business:

Brian Robinson has infrared camera in order to look at the older town buildings to see if insulating attic space would be helpful. Dave Morris will contact Brian to do an Opera House shoot with this camera.

- 3) Discussion with Cordjia on their proposal for retro-commissioning the Opera House:

Mark Blair spoke to and answered questions regarding the retro-commissioning for the Opera House. Discussed was a time (a couple of weeks) when the building would be at peak use and normal daily activity in order to get the best reading on usage. The week prior to or after the Camden Conference (18, 19, 20 February 2011) was discussed as a prime time to set up recording devices as this is a peak usage and normal usage window. Cordjia would come back in during a peak and normal usage summer time when the air conditioning would be checked as well. Efficiency Maine will fund 50% of the application, and E.M. feels strongly that this building would get a favorable application. After much discussion Bennett Bricker made a favorable motion to recommend passing the proposal made by Codjia regarding the Opera House retro-commissioning onto the Select Board. Sid Lindsley seconded this motion and the motion passed 5-0-0.

- 4) Idle-free Policy:

E.C. members Brian Robinson and Janis Gilley have stepped forward to be liaisons to the idle-free group Tom Hopps has formed, to educate the community on the new Idle-free Policy.

Next Meeting 29 March 2011
5:30 pm – WSCR

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