



**Town of Amherst, NH**  
**Energy Committee Meeting Minutes**  
**Tuesday, November 7 at 6PM**  
**Johnson Meeting Room**  
**Amherst Town Library**  
**14 Main Street, Amherst NH**

In attendance: Mercedes Olster, Bill Stoughton (ex-officio), Zach Olster, Bill Maddocks, Ryan Poulsen and Emily Manns from Standard Power

**Call to Order** - Mercedes called the meeting to order at 6:03pm.

**Approval of Minutes of 10/25/2023 Meeting** - Bill M suggested a change to the minutes, which was made. Mercedes moved to approve the amended minutes of the 10/25/2023 meeting. Zack seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

**Discussion - lead by Ryan Poulsen and Emily Mann of Standard Power**

- **Survey** - Ryan has already received 28 surveys. We will post the survey on the Town's Homepage and on the Energy page. Bill M will post it on nonofficial Amherst Facebook pages. The paper survey will be available at Amherst Town Hall, Transfer Station, Moulton's, and the Amherst Town Library. There's a box for completed paper surveys at Town Hall's Community Development department.
- **Discussion of Town of Amherst Draft Community Power Plan** - Members of the Committee provided suggestions and comments on the Town of Amherst Draft Community Power Plan to Ryan and Emily.

**Action Items**

The Committee will read the Exhibits portion of the Town of Amherst Draft Community Power plan and prepare to provide suggestions and comments to Standard Power representatives at the November 21st meeting.

Mercedes will give the survey link to Jennifer Stover to ask her to send it to the town email list. Mercedes will also ask Jennifer to post a link to the survey on the Town Home page and the Energy Committee page.

**Adjournment** - Mercedes moved to adjourn at 6:57pm. Bill M seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.