



TOWN OF HUDSON

Sustainability Committee Agenda



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Dec. 19, 2022– 7PM

Hudson Town Hall - 12 School St., Hudson, NH 03051

Community Development (Buxton) Meeting Room

1. Call to Order:

2. Attendance:

Membership update: Cory Boutin

Former Selectmen Liaison Brett Gagnon – Resignation and future assignment of a Selectmen Liaison.

3. Public Input: Karl Huber

4. Approval of Minutes: October 24 and November 28, 2022 (included in the Packet)
by Ed Thompson

5. Reports:

- **Trash-Recycling Tonnage Report:** (included in the Packet)
- **Expenditure Report:** (included in the Packet) Balance was \$1056.91. Expenses for posters and lettering was filed- \$308.02 (expenditure up to \$400.00 had been approved)

6. Hudson Transfer Station: The last date in 2022 the Transfer Station will be open is December 31 (8:00am-12:00pm). On December 31 a 2022 Transfer Station Pass is Needed. The Transfer Station will be open **January 28** and **February 25** – 8:00am-12:00noon – 2023 passes will be needed. The Transfer Station will NOT be open for yard waste, metal & cardboard drop-offs 8am-12noon again until April of 2023.
DPW offices winter hours are **8am-4pm Monday-Friday** 2 Constitution Drive, Hudson.

7. Hazardous Waste Collections: There are no dates scheduled for the rest of 2022. We expect that the schedule will resume in April of 2023. For more information and a complete list of accepted items, please visit:
www.nashuarpc.org/energy_environment/household_hazardous_waste_collections/index.php

8. **HEAC Report:** Craig Putnam and Kate Messner to update members on all matters connected with the Hudson Electric Aggregation Committee. The updates will include of the most recent presentation to the BOS where the text of the Warrant Article to be on the March Ballot was approved by a vote of 5-0.

“To see if the Town will vote to adopt the Hudson Community Power plan, to authorize the Board of Selectmen to implement the plan, and to take all action in furtherance thereof, pursuant to RSA 53-E. The Hudson Community Power plan is an opt-out program that offers more flexible electricity procurement. The plan will initially provide lower electricity rates for residents, or it will not launch. Initial participation in the plan can be declined, after which enrollment becomes voluntary.”

Tax Impact: None

Governing Body Vote: 5 – 0

9. The **draft of the Minutes of the Public Hearing is included in the Packet** for this meeting and will need to be reviewed, edited as needed and then approved by members.
10. **Get Tech Smart:** A recording session took place on December 14th with Flo Nicolas at the HCTV studio. Craig Putnam to update residents and members.
11. **Roadside Cleanups:** Looking to spring – Continuation of Wason Rd. Cleanup.
12. **The next meeting – January 23rd.**
13. **Committee Member & Selectman Liaison Comments:**
14. **Adjourned: .**

Debbie Putnam

Hudson Sustainability Committee, Chair

December 16, 2022