

Chester Municipal Electric Light Department

15 Middlefield Road, Chester, MA 01011

Commissioner's Meeting

February 15, 2022

Present: Commissioners: Terry Murphy, Deryck Savoy and Duane Pease
Manager: Jill Moretz

Meeting was called to order 6:00 pm

- The selectmen did not attend our meeting. They did not want to attend two meetings in two days. They have a special town meeting on Wednesday. The commissioners will attend their meeting on Monday, March 14th.
- We called Michelle at ENE and questioned her about the PPA between the town and CMELD. As the PPA is written right now. CMELD would be buying everything and we get the recs. ENE believes that the solar project on the town buildings will have about 41 annual recs selling at 30 now but will be about 20 in the near future. That would be about \$850 to \$1000 annually. Deryck thinks it would benefit both better if CMELD just purchased the excess and received the recs too. After a discussion the commissioners asked Jill to call Michelle to see if she can rewrite the PPA.
- Jeremy did not attend the meeting seeing there was nothing to report on at this time. There is no update on the 126 Middlefield Road Project.
- Jeremy did get a hold of Jason Forge to tell him that CMELD will do what is needed to get the solar at the town buildings on line. Jason will get back to Jeremy when he is ready to proceed.
- The minutes of the January 25th meeting were reviewed. A motion was made by Terry to accept the minutes as written. Deryck seconded, all in favor, motion passed.
- There was more discussion about CMELD moving to a larger space. The commissioners think that if Jill rearranges the office and purchases a better desk, the space could work.

- Next meeting will be held Tuesday, March 15, 2022 at 6:00pm.

- Meeting adjourned at 7:35 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Jill E. Moretz