

Chester Municipal Electric Light Department

15 Middlefield Road, Chester, MA 01011

Commissioner's Meeting

May 15, 2025

Present: Commissioners: Deryck Savoy, Lori Fieldstad, Beth Lansing
Manager: Diane Hall
Guests: Rosanne McClafin

Meeting called to order at 5:12 p.m.

Deryck Savoy signed previous minutes to be submitted to Town Clerk.

Lori had reviewed a draft of the CMELD budget for 2025 – she recommended calling Adam Borbone at Goulet, Salvidio & Associates P.C., and asking how much an annual audit would be. Diane called to find out. Lori suggested that having a 2024 audit might be a good idea to get back on track after the 2023 audit.

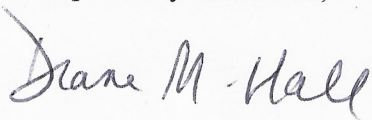
Discussed changing or adding modules to the Power Manager Software for A/P, G/L, etc. Will get quotes on this and have a demo on Wednesday, May 21st. It was suggested that having all the CMELD info on the same software platform might save time and money as we would not have to do double entries.

Deryck recommended contacting Ken Stambler at Energy New England to see what the monies back to CMELD due to the Broadleaf Solar contract being negated would be. Diane sent an email and waited to see what that would be.

Discussed the possibility of sharing “on-call” with Russell to give both towns relief from 24-hour coverage. Will contact Al Robinson and ask him to come to the next CMELD meeting.

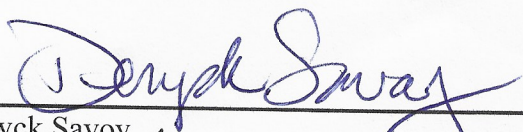
The meeting was adjourned at 6:53 p.m. by Deryck Savoy and seconded by Beth Lansing.

Respectfully submitted,

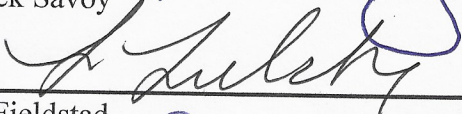


Diane M. Hall
General Manager
CMELD

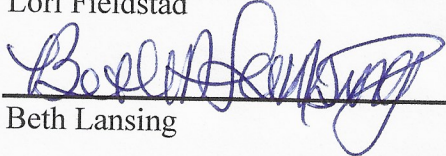
Approved:



Deryck Savoy



Lori Fieldstad



Beth Lansing