

# **MINUTES**

## **MIDDLETOWN WIND TURBINE FEASIBILITY COMMITTEE MEETING**

**APRIL 13, 2010**

**6:00 pm**

**MIDDLETOWN POLICE STATION COMMUNITY ROOM**

**Present: Christine Weglowski Forster, Shawn Brown, Don Mallinson, Arak Bozyan, Barbara Vonvillas, Ray Mosher**

**The meeting was called to order at 6:10 pm.**

**1. Ms. Forster reported on the proposed governance scheme for East Bay Energy Consortium (EBEC), and there was a brief discussion about the proposal. There is a proposal that each municipality pledge a minimum of fifty percent of it's 3.5 MW nameplate capacity allowed under the net metering legislation to the wind farm project. Of course municipalities would have to agree to that provision. Governance will be more concrete when the Phase 2 site study is complete. Mr. Brown suggested that EBEC consider a public forum at an educational institution to inform the public about the possible project. Ms. Forster agreed to propose this suggestion at the next EBEC meeting.**

**2. There was a brief discussion about the Planning Board meeting on the issue of "historic views" and the wind turbines.**

**3. Meeting adjourned at 6:50. Next meeting scheduled for May 18,**

**2010**

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