

**Newton Citizens Commission on Energy  
October 25, 2017 Agenda**  
City of Newton

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**The October 2017 meeting of the Newton Citizens Commission on Energy will be held:  
Wednesday evening, October 25<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at 7:39 p.m. in Room 204, Newton City Hall**

**Agenda (Any other business properly brought to the Commission's attention)**

**(Review of September 2017 minutes)**

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**New Business To be discussed**

**1. COMMUNITY CHOICE AGGREGATION**

- a) Gevelber analysis (version 3?) of "Willingness to Pay" green power survey results
- b) status of Community Choice Aggregation contract with Peregrine

2. Check-in with Bill Ferguson on efficiency efforts in Newton Public Buildings. Preliminary results given this summer's massive lighting swap out Newton North HS and next steps – can we compare additional weeks of performance. (Linked to this topic: understanding unexpectedly high consumption in Newton North at times during the past year.)

3. Analysis of "how we get there from here", an effort to outline steps needed to achieve 100% clean energy for City of Newton's municipal sector.

4. Recent results across our fleet of solar panels -- the massive Rumford array is up and running. Recent production data – do they match expectations? Also Issues with neighbors, costs related to fence.

5. Update on Eversource's proposal affecting rooftop solar installations and its potential impacts on solar projects. Newton has joined other communities in protesting the proposal.