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Newton Citizens Commission on Energy May 18, 2016 Agenda

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The May 2016 meeting of the Newton Citizens Commission on Energy will be held: Wednesday evening, May 18th, 2016 at 7:30 p.m. in Room 204, Newton City Hall.

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

(Review of April 2016 Minutes)

New Business To be discussed

1. MA Omnibus Energy Bill (Jim Purdy to describe). Massachusetts is at a crossroads with respect to our energy future. Newton officials and citizens need to be engaged in the conversation.

- 2. Stretch Code letter, updated (via Halina Brown).
- **3.** Update via Bill Ferguson, Preferred Vendor and solar installation projects.
- 4. Community Choice Aggregation: update on City of Newton's current view on timing.
- 5. Newton Energy Savers, NE\$, update, given the loss of Next Step Living/
- 6. Paul Eldrenkamp interest in assist with presentation of Newton Energy Action Plan
- 7. If time permits briefing on street lighting concerns.