

## Climate Protection and Energy Efficiency Committee

A meeting of the CPEEC was called to order at 4:01 P.M., April 7, 2015 , at Alton City Hall, 101 E. Third Street, Alton.

Members present: Jeff Dale, Alderman David Boulds, Wayne Politsch, Zeke Jabusch, Adam Peipert, Laura Asher

Staff and Guests: Matt Asselmeier, Virginia Woulfe-Beile

March Minutes approved.

Lights upgrades for city hall will be canceled as of tomorrow night.... window film may also be on the list but it could come from the building fund. City budget must be balanced. No money available...may take June or July for city funding.

Workshop: added cool cities name to the afternoon meeting. In evening gathering at Bakery Brew open to public- been placed in the local media. Note the 2 hour agenda for the event. Plan for 50-75 people. Act-on-Energy, Elevate Energy and MBG rep on energy upgrades on historic buildings will be there. Help Matt tear down after event. RiverBender will record it. Jeff has lined up a house for the energy audit.

Zeke: need a vision for a sustainable vision for Alton & Godfrey... in the direction of the Iowa community workshop Wayne & I attended in the Fall. Some attempts have been made before. What is historical connection to the process?

Greenhouse Gas Inventory: Report to be turned in to professor for grade and than we will get the report. Lets plan on him attending the May meeting.

Virginia: Illinois clean job coalition ...invest in green jobs and energy in the state. Make things more efficient and shift to green energy. The bill could generate 35,000 jobs per year in the green energy field. Would involve capping carbon numbers. Good for the economy, the community, and the environment. See handout for the April 15 meeting.

David: Buses in the area...how about natural gas on the Madison County transit? He will make a contact. Also, are the buses meeting the transportation needs of the area?

Virginia: note on the cool cities rewrite of the mission and process.

adj... 5:05

wayne politsch

