

## **Climate Protection and Energy Efficiency Committee**

A meeting of the CPEEC was called to order at 4:00 P.M., January 5., 2016 , at Alton City Hall, 101 E. Third Street, Alton.

Members present: Jeff Dale, Wayne Politsch,  
Zeke Jabusch, Laura Asher

Staff: Matt Asselmeier (city staff) , Jake Simmons - Alton police chief  
Virginia Woulfe-Beile (Sierra Club staff)

Cool cities committee invited to the Jan 12 Dynegy Powerplant community meeting.  
Mayors from 3 surrounding towns will be present.

Jake- looking at 3 hybrid patrol cars that run on butane..savings on fuel cost and better for the environment.... butane is about 52cents per gallon...Dodge Charger test vehicle... (like Schwann butane trucks) ...Company is AutoGas about \$7,500 per car to convert. Gas milages is 2 to 3 miles less but will have a cost savings. Some concern about collision issues... fill up at Ferrra gas. Used in suburbs of Kanas City. If it works well will outfit more cars down the line.

Flood & cool cities...what is the connection? Sustainability plan...storm water and education component... high hazardous coal ask creek? Climate change, water issues, and damage. Can Alton future-proof against climate/water uncertainty??

Five area Cool cities meet with Madison County sustainable coordinator?...Matt will make the contact. Virginia- solar panel cluster model could be presented at that time.

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