



Recycling and Energy Advisory Committee (REAC)

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Thursday, October 3, 2019 5:30 PM 2nd floor conference room, Town Hall Agenda

1. Establish Quorum
2. Review of Draft Minutes of September 5, 2019 Meeting
3. Public Comment
4. Solar RFP— Town Council October 16 Meeting
5. Business Recycling Survey Next Steps and Discussion
6. Business Sustainability Certification Concept and Discussion
7. “Recycle Right” Pledge—November Elections Idea
8. Sustainability Website (near completion—launch plans?)
9. Plastic Straw Ban Proposal Discussion
10. WindowDressers—measuring deadline Oct. 22; Community Build Nov. 8-12 at Mason Motz Activity Center
11. Earth Day 2020—Dick Klain to lead
12. Next meeting date—November 7, 5:30pm
13. Adjourn

The Recycling and Energy Advisory Committee (REAC) advises the Falmouth Town Council on matters relating to the town’s solid waste recycling program, energy efficiency and other related matters deemed appropriate by the Council. Duties shall include but not be limited to the following:

- (1) Endeavour to save local taxpayer dollars through increased energy-efficiency of municipal facilities and operations; (2) Prioritize the ad hoc Falmouth Green Ribbon Committee’s 210 recommendations that the Council wants to pursue; (3) Educate Falmouth residents and businesses about energy-efficient, waste-reducing, clean energy opportunities and choices; (4) Enhance and promote the town’s recycling program; (5) Promote the use of clean, renewable energy sources in Falmouth’s Public and private facilities through education and outreach; (6) Work with surrounding communities on potential regional energy efficiency and clean energy strategies; (7) Monitor new developments and options in the fields of energy and waste management as technologies evolve and change; education the public and advise the Council on the same; (8) Research and report policies to accomplish the above goals and/or other related goals deemed appropriate by the Town Council.