



# Recycling and Energy Advisory Committee (REAC)

**Thursday, March 5, 2020**

**5:30 PM**

**2<sup>nd</sup> floor conference room, Town Hall**

## **Agenda**

### **REAC Members**

*Pete LaFond*  
Chair

*Rich Bicknell*

*Donna Lee Cheney*

*Lynn Breckinridge*

*Alan Solander*

*Dave Low*

*Dick Klain*

### **Council Liaison**

*Hope Cahan*

REAC welcomes input from the public - at its meetings or via e-mail - to Kimberly Darling, Energy and Sustainability Coordinator  
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1. Establish Quorum
2. Review of Draft Minutes of January 9, 2019 Meeting
3. Public Comment
4. LD 2104 Resolution (Product Stewardship)
5. Plastic Straw Ordinance next steps
6. Municipal Building Ordinance Discussion
7. Sustainable Business Certification
8. Sustainable Procurement Policies
9. Sustainability Website
10. Solar Update
11. Composting Brochure (review ecomaine's new brochure)
12. Future projects
13. Next meeting date April 2, 2020

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) Endeavor to save local taxpayer dollars through increased energy-efficiency of municipal facilities and operations; (2) prioritize the ad hoc Falmouth Green Ribbon Committee's 2010 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; educate the public and advise the Council on same; (8) Research and report policies to accomplish the above goals and/or other related goals deemed appropriate by the Town Council.