Four Town Meeting on Energy Efficiency for Schools Northfield, Warwick, Bernardston, Leyden September 19, 2017. 6:30 p.m.

Dickinson Library-- Community Room

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Welcome and introductions

Update on META grant application from Tim Brandl

Recommendations from Clean Energy Extension (CEE) school walk-through from Ben Wei

Four town discussion about work ahead

- o Best hopes/vision
- o Revise guiding principles (see below)
- o Initial timeline

DRAFT guiding principles

- Improve energy efficiency and reduce energy costs for our towns.
- 2. Utilize renewable energy sources.
- 3. Select approaches that lead to a healthy environment, taking into account air quality and noise levels.
- 4. Engage the school community in a collaborative effort by gathering their input, involving them in decision-making, and in creating curriculum opportunities for children and youth.
- 5. Build buy-in for the project among public officials and the broader public through information sharing, community meetings, and press coverage.
- 6. Tap expertise of DOER and Clean Energy Extension and other resources(CEE)
- 7. OTHERS?