

**Minutes
Sustainability Committee
Wednesday, May 1st, 2019 at 7:00 PM
Seymour Town Hall**

Members Present: Stephan Behuniak, Rory Burke, and Dustin Zrelak
Members Absent: Nicholas Cass

Item #1: Call meeting to order

The meeting was called to order at 7:03 PM.

Item #2: Pledge of Allegiance

All present stood and recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Item #3: Public comment

There was no public comment.

Item #4: Motion to approve meeting minutes from April 3rd, 2019

Motion: Stephan Behuniak **Second:** Dustin Zrelak

Vote: 3-0-0

Motion Pass

Item #5: Ongoing projects

The Johnson Controls project is moving forward. The State Legislature is moving on virtual net metering, which allows green credits from solar or wind farms to be applied to buildings not physically connected. This may open opportunities for the town to expand on the Johnson Controls project.

The town building projects is almost complete with town hall finishing soon. The town is awaiting news from Eversource regarding the streetlight reimbursements.

Item #6: Future Projects

The Committee removed 820 lbs. of trash from the banks of the Naugatuck River along the Community Center along with approximately 15 other volunteers and help from the Public Works department. Due to the success of the event, the committee is planning on conducting quarterly clean-ups.

Item #7: Public comment

There was no public comment.

Item #8: Open discussion

The committee discussed bringing in speakers to future meetings to become more involved in the community. Suggested topics included the Farmer's Market, the New England Mountain Bike Association, and several of the downtown shops.

Item #9: Adjournment

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting.

Motion: Stephan Behuniak

Second: Dustin Zrelak

Vote: 3-0-0

The meeting was adjourned at 7:51 PM.

Submitted by,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dustin Zrelak", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Dustin Zrelak