## East Haddam Clean Energy Task Force Meeting Monday June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2011 River House Minutes

Call to order: 8:10 pm

Attendance: Pete Govert. Visitors (from the East Haddam Neighbor to Neighbor Energy Challenge) Roger Smith, Katelyn Hope.

East Haddam CFL Recycling Bin and East Haddam Neighbor to Neighbor Energy Challenge Town Banner.. The Neighbor to Neighbor Energy Challenge will be providing the town of East Haddam with a CFL recycling bin. Pete Govert is going to look into possible locations for the bin, maybe the transfer station. Pete Govert is going to see if Shagbark Lumber will host the East Haddam Neighbor to Neighbor Energy Challenge Retractable Banner for a few weeks, it will move around town. Pete Govert is going to see if the East Haddam Neighbor to Neighbor horizontal banner can be displayed down by the river

East Haddam Neighbor to Neighbor Energy Challenge and Coalition Outreach.. Katelyn Hope is going to reach out to reach out to the Green Committee, EcoLov, Shepardfields, Youth and Family Services and the Lions Club to see if we can come to present to them about the Neighbor to Neighbor Energy Challenge. Pete Govert is going to follow up with the senior center and contact the rotary club.

**Town Wide Events.**. Pete Govert is going to contact Parks and Recreation to see if the Neighbor to Neighbor Energy Challenge can clipboard at "Music on the River". For every person that signs up for a Home Energy Solutions visit that night and completes it, 25 dollars will be donated to the Fuel Bank. Katelyn Hope is going to create special collateral/ sign-up sheets for the event. Katelyn Hope will be attending the Moodus United Methodist Church's Tag and Bake sale on Saturday June 18<sup>th</sup> from 9:00-12:00, to promote the energy challenge. Pete Govert is going to confirm with Craig Mansfield about presenting at Oak Grove on Wednesday June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2011. Katelyn Hope is going to call Jason Peacock about tabling at the middle school 1<sup>st</sup> day. Katelyn Hope is going to call Jim Ventress about the Moodus Sportsman's Club to see if we can table at the fall festival event.

Franklin Academy Service Week.. Pete Govert is going to be following up with Chris Wenz about utility release data for the dorm lighting retrofits that were completed at Franklin Academy. Pete Govert asked Katelyn Hope and the Neighbor to Neighbor Energy Challenge to come on July 6<sup>th</sup> to Franklin Academy and walk a different group of students through another dorm lighting retrofit. Pete Govert is also going to be having a group of Students for a service day on July 11<sup>th</sup>, and would like the Neighbor to Neighbor Energy Challenge to come and present and conduct energy efficiency related activities (this event has been cancelled).

Volunteer Recruitment and Promotion of the East Haddam Neighbor to Neighbor Energy Challenge. Pete Govert is going to ask people if they want to join the East Haddam Clean Energy Task Force. Kate going to put an article in the Newspaper about recruitment for the clean energy task force in August (Reminder, Patch, Hometown, or letter to the editor in Middletown Press/Hartford Courant). Pete is going to put a blurb on the East Haddam Town website about the free lighting program.

**Lighting Campaign**.. In the fall the East Haddam Neighbor to Neighbor Energy Challenge is going to be launching a six week long lighting campaign promoting the free in-home lighting visit.

Adjournment... 9:15 pm Pete Govert