

**Green Committee**  
**Regular Meeting**  
**December 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023**  
**7:00 P.M.**



**Video Conference Call**

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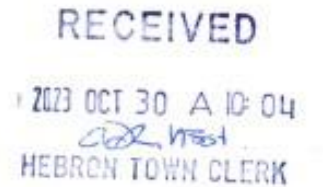
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1. Call to Order
2. Approval of Minutes:
  - a) October 26<sup>th</sup>, 2023 Regular Meeting
3. Food Waste Diversion
4. ARPA Funds
5. Swap Shack Closing
6. Colebrook
7. St. Pete's Storage
8. New Members
9. 2024 Calendar Approval
10. Other Business
11. Adjournment

**TOWN OF HEBRON  
GREEN COMMITTEE  
Regular Meeting (Virtual)  
Thursday, October 26, 2023 - 7:00 PM**

**MINUTES**



**ATTENDENCE:**

**Members Present:** Kaitlin Hershey, Mike Harder, Lindsay Ockman, Brian Barlow

**Guests:** Sarah Rebelo

**1. Call to Order**

Chair K. Hershey called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.

**2. Approval of Minutes**

- A. May 25, 2023 – Regular Meeting**
- B. July 27, 2023 – Regular Meeting**
- C. August 24, 2023 – Regular Meeting**
- D. September 28, 2023 – Regular Meeting**

**Motion by M. Harder and seconded by L. Ockman to approve the minutes of May 25, July 27, August 24, and September 28. The motion passed unanimously.**

K. Hershey recognized guest S. Rebelo, who stated she is a Public Health student at UConn and Hebron resident, in attendance as part of a course requirement to observe local organizations.

**3. Food Waste Diversion (CET)**

M. Harder suggested discussion with A. Tierney regarding potential CET engagement, including the scope of the Committee's involvement. K. Hershey noted there is no pressing timeline, and suggested the HGC discuss further plans in a few months, perhaps after a new Board of Selectmen takes office. There was brief discussion on settling the Nickel Nip funds issue, and how CET (and other potential projects) may be impacted by availability of those funds.

**4. ARPA Funds**

K. Hershey continues to work on signage with town staff, as well as the installation of bike racks.

**5. Nickel Nip Funds**

There was discussion on emails regarding Nickel Nip funds, with K. Hershey noting the issue has become very muddy. Members agreed to schedule an in-person meeting with A. Tierney to discuss that matter, and perhaps other issues. There was brief discussion on communication between the Committee and town officials, as well as accounting and finance issues and practices.

**6. Swap Shack**

No major updates. K. Hershey will speak with Gordie in the next few weeks.

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**7. Colebrook**

The Committee discussed engagement with Colebrook, with K. Hershey noting past projects included providing recycling information and building raised garden beds. B. Barlow suggested efforts also target the Senior Center. The Committee discussed overall outreach, and a refocus on the matter in 2024.

**8. New Members**

K. Hershey emphasized the need for additional members, urging continued outreach. M. Harder suggested the possibility of a student representative from RHAM, which he will explore further.

**9. Other Business**

K. Hershey noted the next meeting will be in December, as there is no November date scheduled.

**10. Adjournment**

**Motion to adjourn by L. Ockman and seconded by M. Harder. The motion passed unanimously.**

Meeting adjourned at 7:58 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Hannah Walcott (Board Clerk)