# Cape Light Compact JPE Governing Board Executive Session Meeting Minutes Wednesday, January 9, 2019

The Cape Light Compact JPE Board of Directors met on Wednesday, January 9, 2019 in the Martha's Vineyard Conference Room at the Cape Light Compact JPE Offices at 261 Whites Path, Yarmouth MA 02664 at 2:00 PM.

# **Present Were:**

- 1. David Anthony, Secretary, Barnstable
- 2. Robert Schofield, Executive Committee, Bourne
- 3. Colin Odell, Brewster
- 4. Peter Cocolis, Executive Committee, Chatham
- 5. Timothy Carroll, Chilmark By Phone
- 6. Fred Fenlon, Eastham By Phone
- 7. Paul Pimentel, Edgartown By Phone
- 8. Ronald Zweig, Vice-Chair, Falmouth
- 9. Valerie Bell, Harwich
- 10. Richard Toole, Executive Committee, Oak Bluffs
- 11. Martin Culik, Orleans
- 12. Leanne Drake, Sandwich
- 13. Richard Elkin, Wellfleet
- 14. David Mead-Fox, Wellfleet Alternate
- 15. Sue Hruby, West Tisbury
- 16. Joyce Flynn, Chair, Yarmouth

#### **Absent Were:**

- 1. Michael Hebert, Aquinnah
- 2. Timothy Carroll, Chilmark
- 3. Brad Crowell, Dennis
- 4. Robert Hannemann, Dukes County
- 5. Wayne Taylor, Mashpee
- 6. Kirk Metell, Tisbury
- 7. Jarrod Cabral, Truro

#### **Members/Alternates:**

Physically present: 13 Present by phone: 3

#### **Legal Counsel:**

Jeffrey Bernstein, Esq., BCK Law, P.C.

#### **Staff Present:**

Austin Brandt, Senior Power Supply Planner Phil Moffit, Planning and Evaluation Manager Dan Schell, Marketing and Communications Coordinator Maggie Downey, Administrator

# Open Session Vote on entry into Executive Session pursuant to M.G.L. c. 30A §§21(a)(1) and (3) to discuss matters below, to return to open session:

- 1. Regulatory litigation strategy for the following matters: DPU 18-116, CLC 2019-2021 Energy Efficiency Plan Filing; DPU 16-169, National Grid; DPU 18-128, 2019 Energy Efficiency Surcharge, Potential Votes
- 2. Discuss matters regarding physical health of an individual

Joyce Flynn at 2:06 PM moved to enter into Executive Session pursuant to MGL Chapter 30A §21(a)(1) and (3) to discuss pending litigation strategy regarding the Compact's 2019-2021 Energy Efficiency Plan (DPU 18-116 and DPU 18-128) and pending regulatory proceeding with NGRID (DPU 16-169) and matters regarding the physical health of an individual.

Joyce Flynn declared that an open session may have adversely affect the Cape Light Compact's litigating position. The Governing Board will return to Open Session at the conclusion of Executive Session. Seconded by Martin Culik.

David	Anthony	Barnstable	Yes
Robert	Schofield	Bourne	Yes
Colin	Odell	Brewster	Yes
Peter	Cocolis	Chatham	Yes
Timothy	Carroll	Chilmark	Yes
Fred	Fenlon	Eastham	Yes
Paul	Pimentel	Edgartown	Yes
Ronald	Zweig	Falmouth	Yes
Valerie	Bell	Harwich	Yes
Richard	Toole	Oak Bluffs	Yes
Martin	Culik	Orleans	Yes
Leanne	Drake	Sandwich	Yes
David	Mead-Fox	Wellfleet	Yes
Sue	Hruby	West Tisbury	Yes
Joyce	Flynn	Yarmouth	Yes

*Motion carried in the affirmative* (15 - 0 - 0)

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## 2. Discuss matters regarding physical health of an individual

Maggie Downey stated that Joanne Nelson is now on medical leave until she retires in February. By law Maggie Downey made Joanne Nelson aware that this was to be discussed during executive session.

Since Joanne Nelson has left

the Compact has brought in two consultants to go through our financial records. Maggie Downey stated she will be reevaluating the job description to figure out whether it will be a full time or part time position and then advertise to bring in a new comptroller.

## **Return to Open Session**

At 3:14 PM, Joyce Flynn asked for a motion to end executive session, moved by Robert Schofield, seconded by Colin Odell.

David	Anthony	Barnstable	Yes
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Sue	Hruby	West Tisbury	Yes
Joyce	Flynn	Yarmouth	Yes

*Motion carried in the affirmative* (15 - 0 - 0)

Respectfully submitted,

Melissa Allard

#### LIST OF DOCUMENTS AND EXHIBITS:

• Meeting Notice/Agenda