

SPECIAL MEETING

AUGUST 8, 2011

At the Joint Special Meeting with the Town of Parishville held on Monday, August 8, 2011 at the Hopkinton Town Hall at 7:00 p.m.

PRESENT: Hopkinton Town Board: Supervisor Rust, Councilpersons Wood, Bagnato, Jock, Clerk French. Roger Linden Legal Council for Town of Hopkinton and Town of Parishville.

Councilperson Sochia Absent.

Parishville Town Board: Supervisor Moore, Councilpersons Temper, Cook, Robinson, Clerk Maguire.

Councilperson Votra Absent.

OTHERS PRESENT: IBERDROLA Representatives Jenny Burke, Business Developer, Mark Epstein, Senior Legal Council, Dan Murdie, Land Manager, David DeCaro, Senior Permitting Manager, Don Hammond, Northeast Regional Director, Engineering, Scott MacDonald, Northeast Regional Manager, Meteorology, Henry Walters, Nancy Walters, Rick Schrader, Dianne Schrader, Gary Snell, Matt Ramsdell, Elbridge Randall, Michael Grove, Mike Weller, John Courtney, Ernest Wood, John McDonald, Tom Whitsell, Jeannie Piekarz, Reg Bowden, Lucy Bowden, Anne Britton, Fred Wilhelm, Kathleen Potenzano, Frank Potenzano, Wanda Malette, Dave Reynolds, Richard Eakins, James Tharrett, Matt Buiaman, Brian Hayes, Joseph McGill, Daniel Helfter, Tim Helfter, Yvonne Cook, Mary J Jock, Kevin Beary, Gordon Green, Nathaniel Martin, Luke Martin, Miles Wolpin, Jack Kelley, Frederick Beha, John Curran.

Supervisor Rust called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

Supv. Rust explained the purpose of the meeting was to discuss the development of a wind farm in the Towns of Hopkinton and Parishville. Representatives from IBERDROLA will give a presentation and the floor will be opened up for questions and answers. Each person wishing to ask a question will stand and give name and address and will have three minutes for questions.

Supervisor Rust introduced the Boards of the Town Parishville, Town of Hopkinton, and IBERDROLA.

Jenny Burke, Business Developer, started the presentation. She talked about the development process. The time line is a three to five years.

All members of IBERDROLA spoke and told what their responsibility was in the development of a wind farm.

All persons present were heard from and questions answered.

Ms Burke told those present that she could not at this time give more definite answers on a time line or the size of the proposed wind farm until the Towns pass their local laws. Then they will know what they are looking at as far as setbacks go etc. She also stated that they will not even know for sure if a wind farm will be built until they start to gather data from the test tower this fall. They may have to put up other test towers for more data.

Mr. Rust thanked Ms. Burke and her panel for the presentation and update.

Mrs. Wood made a motion, seconded by Mr. Jock to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted:

Vickie French

RMC