

Net Zero Task Force

A committee for exploring and achieving cost-effective solutions for reduced energy use and sustainable energy development in Derry

Board Members

Chris Cox	Mike Fowler
John O'Connor	Dan Healey
Jeff Moulton	Mike Fodiman
Tom Cardon	Andrew DaPrto
Jenn Paradise	Val Connolly

Thursday, July 16, 2026

6:00 Room 207

Municipal Center

Vacancies

One Alternate
Derry Business Rep Alt.
Code Enforcement Rep.

Approved Minutes

Meeting called to order at 6:03

Members Present: John O'Connor, Chris Cox, Tom Cardon, Mike Fodiman and Val Connolly.

Approved:
Jeff Moulton
8/20/26

Consent Agenda

Note: Chris is the acting Chair for tonight's meeting.

Motion to approve minutes made by Tom and seconded by John. Motion passed 4-0-1 with Val abstaining.

John made a motion to accept the amended bylaws that were presented and discussed at our last meeting, Mike seconded the motion.

Those changes are as follows:

Membership:

Remove member of the Economic Development Advisory Committee.

Move Derry Public Works Department Designee to Alternate Members.

Change Alternate Members from three to four.

Add Derry Public Works Department Designee to Alternate Members.

Remove Local Derry Business Representative.

Mission: Change line four to read; goal of "Net Zero" compliance by all key stakeholders by end of year 2025.

IV: Officers A. Line three to read; "any standing sub-committee". The "s" was removed from committee.

The motion passed unanimously. A second reading will be made at the following scheduled meeting for final approval.

Community Power-Chris stated that electric rates are still high and that there is no new information.

Legislative Update- John gave the legislative update. The governor signed SB 540 for plug-in solar. He also discussed HB 96 and HB 244 that deal with updating the Energy Building Codes. It appears that there will not be any changes in this year's Legislative session to our Building Codes.

EVs and Charging- Chris discussed current EV charging use for Derry's EV's.

Landfill Project- Mike gave the Solar Landfill Project update. The PUC approved Net Metering for Derry. The Solar project is up and running!

Derry Schools- No update.

Other Business-

Motion to adjourn at made by Chris and seconded by John. Motion passed 5-0.

Submitted-

Tom Cardon, Secretary