

## Town of Hamilton

### Environmental Impact Committee (HEIC)

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Thursday, March 6, 2025, from 4:00-6:00 pm

Zoom meeting only

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### Agenda

1. Call to order and roll call by the Chair of HEIC.
2. Clerk to assign recording responsibility for today's minutes. Read and approve any minutes from earlier meetings.
3. Vicky Masone, Energy Manager - Updates on the electrification of Hamilton Town Hall and any new grant proposals
4. Don Perkins/Emmett Holt - Specialized Building Code. Review our continued work about including this new building code at the Town Meeting scheduled for Sat April 5, 2025. Report from Emmett Holt's visit to the Select Board meeting to introduce the Opt-in code.
5. Emmett Holt/Vicky Masone
  - a. Green Communities energy grants and due dates will be discussed.
  - b. Do we wish to pursue becoming a designated Climate Leader? Applications due by May 30.
6. Kim Strovink & Jack Simons - HW School Updates including Cutler School project status. Any new information from HW Schools gathered from meetings or their website.
7. Jeanne – March/April/Earth Day events to be held at Wenham COA
  - a. Ipswich River Watershed Association will hold two events at Wenham COA
  - b. Thursday March 27 – noon – The Ipswich and Miles Rivers – Report of the health and issues of the river.
  - c. Tuesday April 1 from 3-5 Seeds of Change – For all ages. Learn about native plants and our local rivers.
8. Jeanne - Concerns about plastic bags at Crosby's and how to make a change will be discussed at WCOA, also. Does HEIC wish to make a statement about the Plastic bags.
9. HWCATs and Wenham's CASC – HWCATs will host a "Green Home Tour" (official name to be confirmed soon) Saturday May 3.
10. New or ongoing business
11. Next meeting date – April 3, 2025
12. Adjournment roll call

Items may be heard out of the listed order. The agenda items listed are those items which were reasonably anticipated by the Chair to be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed on the agenda may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.