

Marshfield Energy and Climate Change
Plainfield Energy Coordinator
Weatherization Subcommittee
August 19, 2013

Attending: Joel Trupin, Bob Atchinson, Rich Phillips

Convene: 7:00 PM

Adjourn: 8:30 PM

- 1) There is a state-wide Weatherization Challenge day on October 5th. Each Energy Committee is asked to plan a weatherization-related event for that day. We discussed three options: an audit demonstration with one of the contractors, a hands on weatherization event and a phone-a-thon following up on the door hangers placed the week before. We decided to pursue the phone-a-thon. Rich will let VNRC know we are doing this as they requested. We are not sure we want to publicize this as it might reduce the number of calls that will be answered.
- 2) Rich presented a first draft of the door hanger. Bob and Joel thought the hanger draft was too long and they will edit it. Rich sent along the electronic version of the draft for editing. Rich thought we needed to do a little more than a brief notice but rather include some explanations of the programs. We discussed providing a pledge card with each door hanger. The hangers would not be placed on homes we know have already performed weatherization.
- 3) We will promote the DIY workshops using FPF and maybe the door hangers. The local training is on October 12th in Barre-Montpelier.
- 4) Rich will contact local contractors to see if they will extend the \$100 audit.
- 5) Rich will schedule the Energy Home Visit for Jean Ducharme and the person who was the high bidder at the concert silent auction.