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I ROLL CALL

Mark Henderson

Phil Robert

Scot Rogers

Guy Wanegar

David Corcoran

Ray Sima

John Sima

David Ragaini

Dan Sergison

Fred Cuda

Janice Wilhelm

Rob Sima

Jim Sansoucy

Carla Churyk

Larry Sima

II OFFICER REPORTS:

A. **PRESIDENT:** See below

B. **VICE PRESIDENT:** Not present.

C. **SECRETARY:** Posted on the website.

D. **TREASURER :** Our account now has \$17,701.45 in it. Bosch has just become a Silver Sponsor and paid the \$1000 dues.

III COMMITTEE HEADS:

Habitat – Job is done and there will be a dedication ceremony Saturday November 7th in West Canaan.

A&B Cooling and Heating took care of the noise issue.

IV GENERAL MEETING :

Carla Churyk came in to talk about the help she can provide if we hired her to assist with our trade show. She currently does the same task for the NEWWA show. She would be the event coordinator as



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well as being in charge of all online marketing for the event. The cost would be approximately \$600 depending on how involved we would like her to be. We tabled the vote for next meeting.

Ct. energy Task Force Committee (CETFC) had Guy Wanegar and John Sima show 2 slide show presentations. Woodie Weiss' group is working on a customer satisfaction survey that will be circulated to homeowners who have converted from fossil fuel systems to geothermal.

Brian Garcia from Yale University is performing a study on the market potential of geothermal.

NY Geo has yet to respond in regard to co-hosting an annual workshop next spring.

V NEW BUSINESS:

American ground water trust is sponsoring a geothermal workshop at the Taco manufacturing facility in Cranston, Rhode Island on November 9th.

The Interreligious Eco-Justice Network is sponsoring a clean energy roundtable on November 16th.

New Well Drilling code is out. There are some changes that are specific to geothermal heat pump systems. This is not the final regulation, and we will have an opportunity to comment at the public hearings.

Blake Equipment came in to propose work to be done on their new site. Fred Cuda, CEO of Blake, came in to discuss the options that are open up to CTGeo. We decided, as a group, to have the bid open to our members only, and we would be interested in monitoring the different wells that are to be dug. This would be the extent of our involvement.

VI OLD BUSINESS :

VII ADJOURNMENT

MINUTES RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED BY: Mark Henderson