NOTES DEDHAM SUSTAINABILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE September 9, 2013

Present: Leigh Hafrey (LH), Deb Harrison (DH), Chuck Kabat (CK), Virginia LeClair (VL), Carol Hills (CH)

DH opened the meeting of September 9, 2013.

Approval of Minutes

LH made a motion to accept the minutes of August 5, 2013. CK second. All in favor.

Green Fair Planning Discussion

The Committee reviewed the list of vendors that they have contacted for the Green Fair. VL will send out a revised list, as well as a vendor letter template to the committee members.

They discussed getting students to volunteer at the event for community service hours and creating a phone chain in case of inclement weather.

Old/New Business

CK wrote an article for August on Anti-Idling that was submitted to the paper.

The September article would be on Styrofoam and Household Hazardous Waste since there will be an event on October 5th at the Middle School collecting both. CH agreed to write this article.

The October article would be on energy vampires. DH will aim to get that into the papers by Oct 12th.

The November article will be on composting, in time for Thanksgiving. DH agreed to write this article as well.

CH discussed that the 5 year update of the Master Plan will incorporate pedestrian and bike improvements in future priorities. CH said she will look at other communities for examples.

Adjourn

DH made a motion to adjourn. CK second. All in favor. Next meeting is Monday, October 7th.