

**MINUTES OF MEETING  
ENVIRONMENT & CONSERVATION COMMITTEE MEETING  
October 23, 2023**

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A meeting of the Environment & Conservation Committee was held on Monday, October 23, 2023. This was a hybrid meeting held both in person and electronically via ZOOM. The meeting was called to order at 9:21 PM by Laurie Sweet, Chair.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Laurie Sweet, Chair; Paula Irvin, Vice-Chair; Ted Stevens; Abdul Osmanu; Lesley DeNardis; Cory O'Brien

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** Bob Anthony

**Public Input:** None

The following items were addressed:

**1. Order authorizing the Green Infrastructure Parking Improvement Project – Eli Whitney Museum**

--Moved by Mr. Osmanu and seconded by Mr. Stevens.

A vote was taken. The item passed unanimously.

**2. Order authorizing the Town of Hamden to apply, and if awarded accept and expend funds from the Department of Energy and enter into any necessary agreements, FY23 Congressionally Directed Spending Project entitled "Town of Hamden Administration Building Energy Efficiency Improvements" pending award No. DE-EE0010720**

–Moved by Ms. Sweet and seconded by Mr. Stevens. DISCUSSION: Mr. Osmanu said he is happy to see this come through.

A vote was taken. The item passed unanimously.

**3. Order authorizing the Town of Hamden to apply, and if awarded, accept and expend funds from the Department of Energy, Office of State and Community Energy Programs and enter into any necessary agreements (\$119,730)**

–Moved by Ms. Sweet and seconded by Mr. Osmanu.

A vote was taken. The item passed unanimously.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 9:27 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Kim Renta, Clerk  
Rose Lion, Assistant  
for Laurie Sweet, Chair