

Minutes of Danby Gas Drilling Task Force Meeting 28-Mar-2012

Present:

K.Morris, J.Tiffany (chair), MA.Barr, T.Crane (secretary)

Meeting brought to order at 7:08pm.

Approval of Minutes

Minutes of 14-Mar-2012 were approved by acclamation.

Updates

Crane gave a brief description of the 27-March Energy Group meeting.

Meeting Schedule

Tiffany recommended changing to a once-a-month meeting schedule. In short, attendance has dropped dramatically. If there are pressing issues in the future, the group could return to a twice-monthly schedule. Morris noted that the apparent need for action has waned. Tiffany suggested a “regular” meeting on April 11, and a “legislative review” meeting on April 25.

Future Speakers

Status of educational speakers was discussed. Tiffany has contacted Kokkelenberg, who has promised to contact Professors Ingraffea and Howarth. Law School Professor Keith Porter has offered to have his Water and Land Use Clinic students present a 45-minute update on their work, on April 11. Todd Miller's (USGS) work will reach presentation status within a few months.

Announcements.

Next meeting on 11-April, 7pm in Town Hall.

Danby Green Homes Tour, Saturday, 21-April

Meeting adjourned at 7:57pm.