

FEP extra mtg Zoom 4:00 22nd Nov 2022

Attendees: RobF. Charmian. RobH. Robin. Philip. Fliss. Lorely(notes).

Apologies: **Bold - current actions.**

Discussion on proposed grant funded feasibility project.

Charmian responded to all the questions raised by the members.

*General feeling of meeting: this could be a valuable project to support future projects for FEP and other organisations with its aims to clear hurdles 'eg The Grid etc' that have proved difficult for community energy projects in the past.

*It is hoped that it will enable FEP to employ a worker to further our aims of new community energy projects, influence policy and support local issues around energy poverty.

*A member was concerned that the community focus of FEP could be compromised by stretching our existing boundary and energy capacity and hoped that we be able to do more locally focussed activities soon.

*It was felt that the 2 directors (Robin and RobH) would have final decision as the work and pressure would be on them.

Meeting concluded:

***That the Directors: Robin and RobH will follow up with the Grant funders (RCEF) and explore the existing paperwork. They will discuss viability of the project and feedback to the membership asap.**

For more info:

<https://www.swenergyhub.org.uk/energy-fund/>

*Deadlines: Funders need to agree by end of year to enable work to be completed by end of March funding deadline.

Meeting finished 5: 10

Meetings: every 3rd Tuesday of the month, 4pm . Zoom.

*Next meeting Tuesday 20th Dec 4pm .

17th January 2023. 21st February. 15th March

*Agenda Dec: *Strategy: *Plan celebration of 3 years Dracaena.. *AGM planning. *Green Homes. Thermal Imaging.