



# Eau Claire Renewable Energy Action Plan Steering Committee Workshop #1

Thursday, May 9, 2019, 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Chippewa Valley Technical College, Energy Edu. Center, Rm. 103  
4000 Campus Road, Eau Claire, WI 54703

<b>AGENDA</b>	
<b>WELCOME &amp; ORIENTATION</b>	
15 min	Introductions & Project Background <i>Ned Noel, City of Eau Claire</i>
10 min	Partners in Energy Overview <i>Jenny Edwards, Partners in Energy Facilitator</i>
5 min	Questions
<b>WHY ARE WE HERE?</b>	
10 min	Climate Change – Vulnerabilities & Opportunities <i>Prof. Jim Boulter, University of Wisconsin – Eau Claire</i>
10 min	Discussion on Impacts <i>Ned Noel, City of Eau Claire</i>
<b>BREAK (5 MIN)</b>	
<b>COMMUNITY VALUES &amp; VISION</b>	
10 min	City Sustainability Initiatives <i>Ned Noel, City of Eau Claire</i>
10 min	Xcel Energy Carbon Reduction Goals <i>Julie Thoney, Xcel Energy</i>
5 min	Eau Claire Energy Cooperative <i>Dody Wubker, Eau Claire Energy Cooperative</i>
20 min	Community Energy Vision & Discussion Activity <i>Jenny Edwards, Partners in Energy Facilitator</i>
<b>COMMUNITY ENERGY BASELINE &amp; NEXT STEPS</b>	
15 min	Eau Claire’s Baseline Carbon & Energy Footprint <i>Jenny Edwards &amp; Jamie Johnson, Partners in Energy Facilitators</i>
5 min	Next Steps & Wrap Up <i>Ned Noel, City of Eau Claire</i>



**PARTNERS IN ENERGY**  
An Xcel Energy Community Collaboration

## Steering Committee Members

Name	Affiliation	Name	Affiliation
Kate Beaton	City Council	Aaron Tessendorf	Kia Prestige
Andrew Werthmann	City Council	Sam Johnson	JAMF
Heather Feigum	CESA 10 / Focus on Energy	Julia Johnson	Pablo Properties
Mike Buck	Holiday Mega Gas Stations	Jim Boulter	UWEC Chemistry Professor
Dave Bell	Next Step Energy	Barry Bremness	Cascade Tissue Project Engineer
Mark Lauer	IBEW Local Union 14 (electricians)	Lauren Becker	UWEC Student Office of Sustainability / WI Climate Table
Nick Webber	IBEW Local Union 953 (linesmen)	Lillian Strehlow	UWEC Student Office of Sustainability
Cindy Estrada	Green Building Architecture	Karen Mumford	UWEC Watershed Institute Professor
Greg Granlund	Lien & Peterson Architects / Plan Commission	Adam Wehling	CVTC Dean of Agriculture, Energy & Transportation
Zina Obaid	Realtor / Plan Commission	Anna Carderella	Western Dairyland Executive Director
Cody Filipczak	C&M Home Builders	Ann Francis	City Bicycle & Pedestrian Advisory Committee
Jeff Urlab	MEP Associates	Josh Clements	City of Altoona City Planner
Mike Schummer	Bartingale Mechanical	Lori Bica	Eau Claire Area Sch. District
Rachel Bauer	Miron Construction	Jim Dunning	Eau Claire County Board
Gina Keenan	DNR Grants Project Manager	TBD	Eau Claire County
Mark Vinall	Advanced Disposal	Sarah Rykal*	UW-Stout Sustainability Manager
Ellenor Wolf	Sierra Club	David Hon*	DNR Water Specialist
Kerry Kincaid	Citizen	Brian Graff*	Business & Renewables
Zacharius Pappas	Earthbound Environmental Solutions, LLC	Steve Terwilliger*	Renewables & Transit
Jim Vaudreuil	Heubsch Laundry	Brian Larson*	Architecture
Gordy Howie	Mayo Clinic Health System - Eau Claire	Crispin Pierce*	UWEC Environmental Public Health Professor
Tyrel Zich*	Xcel Energy	Dody Wubker*	Eau Claire Energy Cooperative
Jim Schumacher*	Renewables & Citizens Climate Lobby	* City Sustainability Advisory Committee member	
<b>City of Eau Claire Staff</b>			
Scott Allen		Community Development Director	
Ned Noel		Associate Planner	
Patrick Ritchie		Energy Intern	
<b>Partners in Energy Team</b>			
Jenny Edwards		Partners in Energy Community Facilitator	
Tami Gunderzik		Manager of Partners in Energy, Xcel Energy	
Jamie Johnson		Partners in Energy Community Facilitator	

May 2, 2019

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that members of the City of Eau Claire's Renewable Energy Action Plan (REAP) Steering Committee will meet at 6:30 p.m. on May 9, 2019 in Room 103 at Chippewa Valley Technical College's Energy Education Center, 4000 Campus Road, Eau Claire, WI 54703.

The Steering Committee will discuss the items on the attached agenda.

This notice is given in accordance with the provisions of Subchapter V of Chapter 19 of the Wisconsin Statutes.

*Notice is hereby given that members of the Eau Claire City Council, Plan Commission and Sustainability Advisory Committee may be present at the foregoing meeting to gather information about a subject over which they have decision-making responsibility. This may constitute a meeting of these governmental bodies pursuant to State ex rel. Badke v. Greendale Village Bd., 173 Wis.2d 553, 494 N.W.2d 408 (1993) and must be noticed as such, although they will not take any formal action at this meeting.*

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