



Town of Arlington
Office of the Town Manager

Adam W. Chapdelaine
Town Manager

730 Massachusetts Avenue
Arlington MA 02476-4908
Phone (781) 316-3010
Fax (781) 316-3019
E-mail: achapdelaine@town.arlington.ma.us

MEMORANDUM

DATE: October 2, 2018
TO: Board Members
SUBJECT: Appointment to the Clean Energy Future Committee

This memo is to request the Board's approval of my appointment of Ryan Katofsky, Arlington, MA, to the Clean Energy Future Committee, with a term expiration of 6/30/2021.


Town Manager

Ryan E. Katofsky

Professional Summary

Ryan Katofsky is Vice President of Industry Analysis at Advanced Energy Economy (AEE), a national business association working to make the energy system more secure, clean and affordable. He has spent his entire 25-year career focused on the advanced energy industry, including 20 years in consulting at Arthur D. Little, Navigant, and as an independent contractor. His consulting work included market and technology assessment, economic analysis, business strategy development, due diligence, lifecycle energy and environmental assessment, long-range energy planning, and analysis of public sector renewable energy programs. He has worked for domestic and international clients. Ryan joined AEE in 2013, and currently oversees its state regulatory engagement, which is focused on accelerating regulatory and business model change in the electric power sector in order to accelerate deployment of advanced energy technologies and services. He is currently on the Board of Directors of the Alliance for Clean Energy New York.

Education

Ryan received his Bachelor of Engineering degree from McGill University in 1990, where he received the British Association Medal for Great Distinction. He received his Master of Science in Engineering degree from Princeton University in 1993, where he was a Guggenheim Fellow. His thesis was a detailed techno-economic analysis of methanol and hydrogen production via biomass gasification.

Personal Profile and Local Volunteer Activities

Ryan lives in Arlington, MA, with his wife and two children. Outside of work, Ryan has been active with Sustainable Arlington since its founding in 1999, a local volunteer organization working to reduce environmental impacts in Town. He is a member of Arlington's Energy Working Group, which focuses on reducing energy use and increasing renewable energy generation at Town facilities. This included helping the Town receive its Green Communities designation in 2010, which has led to multiple Green Communities grant awards that the Town has used to increase energy efficiency, procure electric vehicles, and improve the quality of energy services. In 2015, he helped the Town execute a contract to install solar power systems on six schools, and in 2012, he was the Community Solar Coach for Arlington's participation in the Solarize Mass program, in which more than 150 households went solar in a six-month period. More recently, Ryan joined the Arlington High School Building Committee, where he is chair of the Sustainability Subcommittee. He was also an Arlington Soccer Club youth soccer coach for six years (now happily retired).

In his free time, Ryan enjoys gardening, brewing beer, cycling, and occasionally playing Ultimate.

OFFICE OF THE SELECT BOARD

DANIEL J. DUNN, CHAIR
DIANE M. MAHON, VICE CHAIR
KEVIN F. GREELEY
JOSEPH A. CURRO, JR.
JOHN V. HURD



730 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE
TELEPHONE
781-316-3020
781-316-3029 FAX

TOWN OF ARLINGTON
MASSACHUSETTS 02476-4908

October 1, 2018

Ryan Katofsky

Arlington, MA 02474

Re: Appointment: Clean Energy Future Committee

Dear Mr. Katofsky:

As a matter of the standard appointment procedure, the Select Board requests that you attend a meeting of the Select Board at Town Hall, Selectmen's Chambers, 2nd Floor, 730 Massachusetts Avenue, on Wednesday, October 10th at 7:15 p.m.

It is a requirement of the Select Board that you be present at this meeting. Your presence will give the Board an opportunity to meet and discuss matters with you about the area of activity in which you will be involved.

Please contact this office to confirm the date and time with either Fran or Ashley at the above number.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,
SELECT BOARD

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Marie A. Krepelka".

Marie A. Krepelka
Board Administrator

MAK:fr