CAST Meeting February 15, 2023

Present: John Reid (Planning Commission 2024), Laura Simon (Energy Commission 2025), Lee Michaelides (Conservation Commission 2025); Dana Clawson, Staff.

No quorum, informational meeting only, no votes were taken

Motion to Approve Minutes of January 18, 2023: No vote taken due to lack of a quorum.

Hartford Budget: In terms of climate — money was authorized for electric lawn mowers and an idle mitigation system that will be installed on a fire truck.

Energy Fair: Laura asked CAST to send her ideas about vendors for things like solar shades and awning that might want to participate.

Solar Projects: Tabled due to lack of quorum.

Energize Hartford: Project is working to publicize the event to the general public and to make an extra effort to work target low income residents.

Projects: Lyman Park project secured a grant and is moving forward. Window Dressers—contact Dana if you want to help organize the 2023 event. Trail Blazers will be happening in Fall 2023. Hartford fundraising is complete. Next step is recruitment. John asked to add the community garden project to the March agenda.