# **Enfield Energy, Environmental and Community Coalition**

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### ARTICLE I.

**Section 1** PURPOSE – The Enfield Energy, Environmental and Community Coalition is multifunctional, whose purpose is to assist the Town of Enfield in their efforts to explore ways to make the town more energy and environmentally efficient. Additionally, the Coalition will explore opportunities to create community gardens and other quality of life initiatives

**Section 2**. Name of Coalition – Enfield Energy, Environmental and Community Coalition (hereinafter "EEC").

#### **ARTICLE II.** FUNCTION

Section 1. The main objective of the EEC is to work with the town to understand Town's energy and environmental resources and costs (Town and residents) and compare that data to the County and like communities. Explore alternative energy measures that may be suggested to the town and residents that will reduce energy cost and environmental impact.

# **Function Examples**

- Community Environment, (people)
- Physical environment, (buildings, housing,
- Natural resources environments, (Community Gardening, plants, trees, rainwater, air, and more!)
- Sustainable Energy Environmental, (Solar and wind for heating and cooling environmental systems)

### Section 2. Alternative Energy

Explore alternative energy resources that businesses and residents may be eligible to receive for free, discounted rates and/or grants

Section 3. Community Gardens

The EEC stands ready and proud to help our community prosper.

#### **DETERMINE RESIDENT INTEREST**

Community gardens are places where we come together,

• Residents can **grow their own** vegetables, herbs, flowers, berries, climbing plants, and more

- We will create **educational and vocational opportunities**, residents, children, and seniors
- The garden we be a **living classroom** for your residents to learn about other sustainability and conservation practices.
- Display Art

# **HOST LEARNING MEETINGS**

• We will host kick-off and educational **learning meetings** at the Collective Center

# THE GARDEN PLANTING

- Raised Planting Beds
- Directly In-ground
- Communal or individual plots.