

Lisa Tomyl

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Sent: Wednesday, June 04, 2014 12:03 PM
To: Lisa Tomyl
Subject: FW: Assigning Board member to Extended Producer Responsibility letter

We are adding this to Selectmen's Business for 6/9

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From: "Jim Snyder-Grant" <jimsg@newview.org>
Date: Jun 3, 2014 12:43 PM
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Hi Mike:

Last December, Green Acton came before the BoS about various Trash and Recycling systems. I wanted to follow up with you about one of those initiatives.

Of the six recommendations we came with, five were supported, and one was deemed to need further study.

That one was the recommendation to have the board sign a letter of support to our legislators for an **Extended Producer Responsibility** framework, legislation that would give regulators a way of working on cradle to grave plans for products sold in the state, product by product, without having to return to the legislature for each individual bit of rule-making.

The next step was to have been getting a BoS rep assigned to look in to it. We'd be happy to get that person contacts and information, as soon as you identify him or her.

Thanks & also thanks for being willing to be chair again.