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TOWN COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 19-2022

A RESOLUTION

Providing for: Recognition of National Clean Energy Week for September 26th – 30th, 2022.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Winslow as follows:

WHEREAS, Winslow, Maine is committed to a clean energy future and supports renewable energy that powers homes and businesses across our community; and

WHEREAS, the state of Maine has increased its Renewable Portfolio Standard to 80 percent by 2030 and has a goal of 100 percent renewable energy by 2050; and

WHEREAS, the generation of power from renewable sources, including forms such as hydro, wood, wind, and solar, accounts for nearly four-fifths of the net electricity generation across the state; and

WHEREAS, Maine leads New England in wind-powered generation and ranks sixth in the nation in the share of its electricity generated from wind.

WHEREAS, Maine has established mandates to reduce greenhouse gas emissions 45 percent below 1990 levels by 2030 and 80 percent by 2050 and created the Maine Climate Council to provide recommendations to meet these targets; and

WHEREAS, Maine's 12,000 clean energy jobs grow local economies like here in Winslow and boost the state's workforce and economic development; and

WHEREAS, National Clean Energy Week provides an opportunity for individuals, local governments, corporations, and other organizations in Maine to champion common sense solutions that address the United States' evolving economic and energy needs;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Winslow to hereby proclaim September 26-30, 2022 as National Clean Energy Week.

SPONSORED BY: ADMINISTRATION

IN THE TOWN COUNCIL

August 15, 2022

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Bisa Beckwith
Town Clerk

APPROVED: August 15, 2022

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