

In City Council December 20, 2012.  
Voted unanimously to carry out the  
intent of the report.

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City Clerk

City of Keene  
NEW HAMPSHIRE

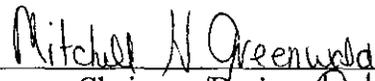
December 13, 2012

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Finance, Organization and Personnel Committee

SUBJECT: **MEMORANDUM: City Assessor – Property Tax Exemptions and Credits - Solar, Wind and Wood**

On a vote of 5-0, the Finance, Organization and Personnel Committee recommends the City Council make no change to the Solar, Wind or Wood exemptions.

  
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Chairman/Designated

**Background:**

The City Assessor stated that the present criterion, which is up to \$10,000 of value, is a generous exemption and is in line with the green initiatives of the City. Staff suggests no change as the program seems to be working well. The number of alternative energy exemptions has increased from 2 to 10 between 2009 and 2012.

Councilor Clark made the following motion which was seconded by Councilor Robert:

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