

North Hampton Agriculture Commission

**Meeting Minutes: 5/15/17 FINAL**

**Present:** Dieter Ebert (Chair), Bobbi Burns, Lisa Cote, Joan Ganotis, and Cindy Jenkins

**Absent:** Hank Brandt & Walter Nordstrom

Opened meeting at 7:08 p.m.

Previous Meeting Minutes

**Motion:** Approve minutes from 04/17/17 as amended.

1<sup>st</sup>: C. Jenkins

2<sup>nd</sup>: D. Ebert

Motion passed unanimously.

Community Garden (CG) – Town did 1<sup>st</sup> mowing. Gardeners will be responsible for between plots. C. Jenkins tilled several plots. Town collected \$750 with \$25 still owed on plots. Annual costs covered. C. Jenkins will offer 1 of the remaining plots to the church if they would like to grow vegetables for the food pantry.

Farmers Market – Moved update to next month.

275<sup>th</sup> Town Anniversary –C. Jenkins recruited several tractor owners and is pursuing an antique tractor club.

Membership – No update.

School Greenhouse – Plant sale took place, no results yet. Currently growing vegetables, including a comparison of tomatoes in bags versus pots. Outdoor garden being prepped.

Barn Survey – Reviewed Boy Scout pictures.

Land Use Summit – Scheduled for 5/30/17.

Ordinances – Decision to begin reviewing ordinances in terms of impact on agriculture. Will also review Master Plan.

Action Items:

Contact individuals with tractors for show – C. Jenkins, B. Burns, & D. Ebert

Contact Mike Hart regarding CD of his presentation of the history of the airport – B. Burns

Procure copy of Master Plan – B. Burns

Adjournment

**Motion:** Adjourn at 8:44p.m.

1<sup>st</sup>: D. Ebert

2<sup>nd</sup>: J. Ganotis

Motion passed unanimously.

Submitted by B. Burns. Next Meeting: Monday, June 19, 2017; 7:00 pm, Town Clerk's Office