

Town of Lunenburg

AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION
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Jeffrey Mendoza, Chairman
Garrett Stillman, Vice-Chairman
Maureen Dupuis, Clerk
Douglas MacMillan, Member
Renee Trakimas, Member

AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION **June 16, 2016 Meeting Minutes**

Meeting Posted: Yes
Place: The Ritter Building
Time: 7:00 p.m.

Present: J. Mendoza, R. Trakimas, M. Dupuis.

Minutes Approval: A motion was made by R. Traikimas to approve the minutes of the May 26, 2016 meeting. M. Dupuis seconded and with a unanimous vote, the minutes of the last meeting were approved.

During public comment the commission offered its congratulations to Planning Board liaison M. Allison who has been elected to chairman of the Planning Board.

G. Stillman and M. Dupuis both have expiring appointments at the end of June. M. Dupuis has turned in a reappointment form which has been approved by the Board of Selectmen. She will be sworn in at Town Hall during the Town Clerks open hours tomorrow. Any other interested parties should fill out a talent bank form at Town Hall.

The Ag. Comm. will be sponsoring the July 25th band concert. M. Dupuis made a motion to donate the proceeds to the Lunenburg 4H. R. Traikimas seconded and with a unanimous vote, the motion passed. M. Dupuis will contact the Lunenburg 4H to notify them and request their attendance.

Town Manager Kerry LaFleur forwarded a "notice from the Commonwealth of its intent to purchase a perpetual APR." It has been requested that the background information be reviewed by the Ag Comm as well as the Planning Board and the Conservation Commission for recommendation.

Lunenburg's Right to Farm Community roadway signs have been printed and picked up. J. Mendoza will deliver them to the DPW for erection.

Musicians for the Lunenburg Farmers' Market are still being lined up.

Market Co-Manager Louisa Pierce attended the Lunenburg Cultural Council on June 11th. Deadline for funding requests is October 15th. Once applications are approved, the funds need to be fronted and a refund is issued. It's the thought of the co-managers that we invite The Vegetable Circus which combines "...circus arts with healthy lifestyle education in order to help children and adults take control of their own health. [Their] goal is to introduce healthy and confidence raising activities to children and adults that support their development."

The next meeting of the Agricultural Commission was scheduled for Thursday July 21, 2016. R. Traikimas made a motion to adjourn, M. Dupuis seconded. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,
Maureen C. Dupuis