

TOWN OF EAST WINDSOR
AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION

Minutes
July 23, 2015

I. CALL TO ORDER

The Meeting was called to order in the Town Hall Meeting Room, 11 Rye Street, Broad Brook, CT at 6:30 p.m. by Chairman Albert Grant

II. ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM

A quorum was established, members present; Albert Grant, Janice Warren and Kirk Montstream, Pete Larese and Bill Syme

III. ADDED AGENDA ITEMS

IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The was no June meeting

V. REGULAR BUSINESS

- COMMUNITY GARDEN- We dicussed the garden and how interest continues to grow and here are some of the highlights:
 - Al is to remind all of the gardeners that pesticides are not allowed in the garden as stated in the rules.
 - Japanese beetles are starting to be an issue
- FARMERS MARKET- Jan brought us up to speed on all the great things going on with this years Farmers Market held every weekend at the Trolley Museum. Her hard work and all the assistance of the farmers and venders and live music have really paid off. The weekly event is well attended and supported by the community.
- There a around 20 vendors each week.
- The weekly walk through counts are above 200
- The health department keeps a close eye on things, all guidelines are followed, inspected and approved .
- 5013 c or a town sponsored market was discussed. A 5013 c would require a board to administer the market operations
- Jan is to speak with the selectmen office and the town treasures office to discuss details of the future of the market if it was to be run under the direction of the agriculture commission .

VI. OLD BUSINESS

VII. MISCELLANEOUS, A general discussion took place where as the commission members shall use email as a primary form a contact, with Al Grant being the contact person, as to when commission members are to attend monthly meetings or not. Any added agenda items can be forwarded to Al as well.

VII. REPORTS OF STAFF

IX. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

X. ADJOURNMENT

Pete made a motion to adjourn this meeting, seconded by Jan
Meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Kirk Montstream, Secretary, East Windsor Agriculture Commission

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