# TOWN OF EAST WINDSOR AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION

Minutes April 26, 2018

# **CALL TO ORDER:**

The Meeting began at East Windsor Housing Authority 1A Park Hill, Broad Brook, CT at 7:30 p.m.

## ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM:

A quorum was established, members present; Albert Grant, Kirk Montstream, Jim Strempfer, Nicholas Laskos and Glenn Reichle

# **AGENDA ADDITIONS:**

Al to attend a Enfield AG Meeting "CT River Valley Brands" May 2, 2018

# **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

No minutes to review this meeting

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

# **OLD BUSINESS:**

- 1. Farmers Coffee Event Was a good turnout, we plan on putting up signs to promote this event better in the future
- 2. Grant for Compost for the Community Garden A \$1000 Grant was received from NCHD. Composting and building of compost bins at the garden are now to be scheduled. Two loads of compost were spread and the layout for the compost bin was discussed
- 3. Tax abatement for agricultural buildings This commission hopes to see this moved forward to the Board of Selectmen. This commission has put together some information to be presented at the next Selectmens Meeting.
- 4. Plowing Event Date to be April 28th. 3 plow teams are scheduled to attend
- 5. Community Garden We are getting a lot of positive feedback and we are hoping for a great turnout this year. Better advertising was again discussed . The NRCS sign to be posted at the garden.

# **MISCELLANEOUS:**

### **REPORTS OF THE STAFF:**

### **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:**

### **ADJOURNMENT:**

Motion to adjourn by Jim, seconded by Nick. Passed unanimously Respectfully submitted,

Kirk Montstream, Secretary, East Windsor Agriculture Commission