Minutes of the Agricultural Advisory Commission July 28, 2011

7:30 PM

Members present: Wendell Willard, Al Combs, Pam Browning, Tim Arnold, Frank Carlson, and Peter Basile

The Minutes of June 23, 2011 were approved as amended.

Old Business:

- 1) Signs need to be two square feet or less. Decided on 14.25 x 20 to keep within regulations. The Steiner Signs declined to proceed with the job, so a new sign maker will need to be found. All has a friend he will contact, and send the information to Pam.
- 2) The neighbor conflict issue in Still River was resolved. The parties met with Wendell as the mediator, and discussed the issues and potential solutions.
- 3) Wendell will review and approve U-Pick sign applications as they come in. We as a group will monitor compliance and report any issues to the Town Administrator.
- 4) Mapping project continues. Pam will give Al any horse farm information that she has.
- 5) Al reported on the Master Plan update. Requested input as to what we want to see in the new Master Plan. Suggested that we continue to encourage the protection of the rural character and open space of the town.
- 6) Appointed Al as representative to the Master Plan Committee.

New Business: None

No August Meeting. Next meeting will be September 22, 2011 at 7:30 PM.

Adjourned at 8:20 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Tim Arnold