

Lee Agricultural Commission Meeting Minutes

January 29, 2018

Present: Chuck Cox, Ken Brisson, Dwight Barney, Kristin Cisneros, Erick Sawtelle, Donna Lee Woods, Laura Gund and Selectman Brown.

Minutes: The minutes of December 26, 2017 were read and approved, with Dwight moving to accept and Chuck, seconding the motion.

Financial: Donna Lee presented a financial report, with \$6524.82 in the Commission account and \$1725.17 in the Farmers Market account. The Sustainability Committee has agreed to pay \$500 for the use of the Grange Hall for the Backyard Farming Initiative programs.

Brochure: Discussed what changes will need to be done to the brochure. They (Wharf Industries) can go to 19.5" x 26" if we need to enlarge it. They charge \$65 an hour, and the final cost will depend on how many changes we need to make. If we are keeping the same design and only changing photos and colors, it won't go past that much.

Breakfast: The 5th annual pancake breakfast, in conjunction with Strafford County Farm Bureau and Durham Ag. Commission, will be held on Sunday, March 18th.

Backyard Farming Initiative: The first meeting of the new series was held last night, "What Can You Do In Your Backyard?" Speakers were John Forti from Bedrock Gardens and Matt Rowell. There were 45 people in attendance.

Next meeting will be February 27, 2018

Minutes submitted by Laura Gund