

**Agricultural Commission Meeting  
Minutes  
September 18, 2018 7:00 PM  
Rutland Historical Commission's Wood Studio**

Present: Randy Jordan, Pia Nielsen, Debbie Carlson, Richard Williams, Jesse Klayman, Jerry Kristoff

Meeting called to order at 7:05  
Minutes of August unanimously approved.

**Membership/appointment updates**

Jesse Klayman has submitted letter of interest to fill open full member position.  
Agcom needs to send a letter of support to Selectboard.  
Motion made and unanimously carried that Agcom recommend his appointment.  
Open position info is posted on Town Website.

**Festival of Forgotten Arts**

Jerry organizing Antique Tractor exhibit and will have pumpkins available.  
Jesse not available, but can send ducks for exhibit.  
Kate Gervais - possible sheep?  
Right to Farm signs for sale?  
Tee shirts and sweatshirts for sale?

**Town owned Agricultural fields**

Proposed changes have been brought to Town Clerk for review prior to submitting to Selectboard.

**Collaboration with Holden Agcom**

Historical Society has been contacted about inviting Holden Agcom to participate in Festival of Forgotten Arts.  
Holden Agcom Chair has been contacted. They will participate in some fashion.

**Farm Day**

Discussion of Meeting Your Local Farmer night in lieu of Farm Day  
Possibly set up trade show style in the Library.  
Promote as "Bring a Farm to the Library" Night  
Revisit in October

**Other**

Selectboard requested a copy of the Award Letter for hay contract.  
Complaints about odor and smoke from fertilizer on Walnut St. Neighborhood complaints, not filed with any Board or Commission

Next meeting October 30, 2018. Meeting adjourned at 7:29