

## 2015-08-11 Agriculture Commission Meeting Minutes

August 11, 2015

The meeting was called to order at 7:40 PM

Commissioners Present: A. Meek, M. Johnson, K. Dennis, B. Molodich, R. Cousens, H. Hopps (alt) V. Cole (alt) Katie Hermonot (alt), Russell Gray (ex officio 8:16)

Audience of Citizens:

Approval of Minutes: May and July minutes unanimously approved.

Unfinished/Continuing Business

- a. **Treasurer's Report** – Approved.
- b. Family Day -- (11-7:00) 9/12 Discussion of whether to have t-shirts for Family Day. Will order 30 in August and use the funds to pay for hats for Family Day. C. Ferrugia will explore colors and K. Dennis will advertise pre-orders on Facebook. Ag Commission booth, piglet; petting zoo with barrel of grain (sell Dixie cups for people to feed); baked potatoes; Betsy will supply potatoes, Katie doing shredded cheese, Andy salsa, Megan will man animal booth; Christine bringing chili. Potatoes will be \$5. Megan 11-4 animals; Andy will do half the time; Robin can do afternoon; Will use Grange cardboard french fry boats. Megan will bring tent/canopy. Hand washing station--need hot water and clearly labeled antibacterial soap and bleach solution for cleaning table. Christine will give chile to Megan to deliver. \$15 pre-orders until Sept 1sr. Ltd number of blue&green from last year available. Local baskets silent auction by 4 pm.
- b. **Farm Day**—Animals, with local grown/raised toppings. Games. Hats. Sweatshirts maybe if shirts all sell. Invited vendors provide baskets/items for silent auction.
- c. **Report on other Commissions** – None.
- c. **CT Land Trust application** – A. Meek [still tabled until all Farm Survey results are in].
- d. **2015 Farm Survey** – A. Meek will provide summary analysis at our September meeting.
- e. **2018 POCD** – K. Dennis [still tabled until all Farm Survey results are in]

New Business:

Any Other Business:

Adjournment: Robin made a motion, seconded by Megan to adjourn at 8:26. Unanimously approved.