

Town of Lunenburg

AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION
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Garrett Stillman, Vice-Chairman
Jeffrey Mendoza, Clerk
Douglas MacMillan, Member
Renee Trakimas, Member

AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION **May 2, 2014 Meeting Minutes**

Meeting Posted: Yes
Place: The Ritter Building
Time: 7:35 p.m.

Present: G. Stillman, J. Mendoza, D. MacMillan, R. Trakimas.

Following a conversation with the Town Clerk, the agenda was revised to include "Reorganization."

The Commission reviewed the Right to Farm Bylaw presentation prepared by D. MacMillan, and discussed information pertinent to the proposal, including funding opportunities, dispute resolution, protection of existing rights, and the importance to Lunenburg's heritage, as evidenced by the agricultural theme of our Town Seal.

Discussion followed concerning reorganization of the Agricultural Commission as a result of the resignation of Chairman Jim Lattanzi. The organizational difficulties encountered in preparing the Right to Farm Bylaw for Town Meeting were considered. Clerk, J. Mendoza was nominated to serve as interim Chairman while remaining Clerk by G. Stillman. The motion was seconded by D. MacMillan. The motion was followed by a unanimous vote in favor of the motion. The commission will reconsider reorganization when the fifth seat vacancy is filled.

The next meeting date of May 15, 2014 at 7:00 pm at The Ritter Building was reaffirmed, good luck was extended for tomorrow's town meeting vote, and the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jeffrey L. Mendoza