

Agricultural Commission Meeting July 19, 2018

Called to order 7:05 pm

Present-Don Bezanson, Emily Schmidt, Morris Burr, Francis Edwards, Renee Cuprak

Also present Allan Cahill, Susan Kirsch, Bob and Beth Silk

May minutes read. Don moved to accept, Emily seconded, so moved.

Public-Susan, Bob, and Beth introduced themselves and said they would like to join the Ag Comm.

After discussion a motion by Don was made to add them as new members,

Emily seconded, unanimous yes. Notice will be sent to Administrator to add to Selectmans agenda.

New business-Pomfret Ag wants to have classes with other commissions, farming related.

Don will do a fall/Christmas/winter table decoration demonstration in the future.

Tree pruning also.

Old business-Don wants to promote Fall Festival at Farmers Markets.

We are not paying for a space at Fall Festival, we are not a vendor.

Ribbons are ordered for judging.

Cut out display for photos would be good, a pumpkin, scarecrow, sunflower, American Gothic couple?

Pie applications, tins will be provided. Fee will be the prize for pie eating contest.

"Last Saturday in September" on sign to reuse each year.

Sound system will be checked and used this year.

We could set up next to the Christmas tree for electric.

Don made a motion to adjourn meeting, Emily seconded, so moved.

Adjourned at 8:10 pm

Respectfully submitted, Renee Cuprak, secretary