

Town of Lunenburg

AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION
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Jorge Marzuca, Member
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Kira McClellan, Alternate
Ashley York, Alternate

Meeting Minutes
AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION
May 11, 2023
Ritter Memorial Building
960 Massachusetts Ave

Agricultural Commission Members and Attendance

Function	Name	Attendant
Chair	Matthew Allison	✓
Vice-Chair	Maryrae Holman	✓
Clerk	Jennifer Duffy	✓
Member	Jorge Marzuca	
Member	Jackie Chabot	✓
Alternate	Kira McClellan	
Alternate	Ashley York	

Agenda:

No.	Topic	Notes
1	Call to Order	Meeting Commencement Time: 7:17 pm
2	Public Comment/Open Discussion	No public comment.
3	Farm complaints	No complaints
4	Review/Approve Minutes	Maryrae made a motion to approve the minutes from the following meetings: April 13, 2023 Jackie seconded Commission unanimously approved
5	Farmers market update -Seasonal	Reviewed received applications for Farmers' Market; Maryrae made a motion to approve reviewed vendor applications for Farmers' Market; Jackie seconded, Commission unanimously approved. Vendors will be notified Tote bags were ordered Jen made a motion to approve running an advertisement in the Lunenburg Ledger for two weeks prior to the start of the market. Maryrae seconded. Commission

		unanimously approved.
6	Action Items from previous meeting	Farmers' market actions completed to order bags, bylaw history information looked up
7	New Business:	
	Bylaw references to farm size, review past discussions	Reviewed discussion of Article 41 from 2016
8	Unfinished Business:	
	Lufa Farms, New interest in Brightfarm permit/location	No new information
	AgCom holding land	No new information
	Discussion on existing regulations for farms and farming in Lunenburg	No new information
	Community gardens	No new information
	Farm inspections	No new information
	Hats, t-shirts, bags, marketing for AgCom & market	No new information
	Bylaw references to farm size –Town meeting article	No new information
	Map of Lunenburg Farms	No new information
8	Committee reports: Economic Development Comm., Planning Board, Building reuse	No new information
9	Public Comment/Open Discussion	No public comment
10	Set Next Meeting Date	Maryrae made a motion to move the next meeting to June 1, 7:00pm and June 15th, 7:00pm Jen seconded Commission unanimously approved June 1 and June 15, 2023 7:00pm
11	Adjourn	Meeting Adjournment Time: Maryrae Motion to adjourn; Jackie seconds. Commission unanimously approved 9:30pm