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Town of Southwick

Southwick Agricultural Commission

Telephone (413) 569-6907

MEETING AGENDA June 8, 2022 at 7:00 pm

Hybrid meeting to be held in-person in Town Hall and via Zoom (Per Chapter 20 Acts of 2021)

In the event of a closure of Town Hall due to inclement weather or any other emergency the Hybrid Format shall switch to remote meeting zoom only for the posted meeting

Join Zoom Meeting

Meeting ID: 832 8074 9144 **Passcode:** 399757

Town of Southwick, MA

Cindy Barton is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Southwick Agricultural Commission Meeting Time: Jun 8, 2022 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

https://southwickma.zoom.us/j/83280749144?pwd=elp4Yk4xaklNWHdTazA0WE1paGM1dz09

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Find your local number: https://southwickma.zoom.us/u/kcmqSd2tvW

7:00pm

Call meeting to order / Announce Meeting Date / Time / Commissioners

Communications

USPS Mail; email, Facebook page; town correspondence

Approve Minutes of May 11, 2022

Old Business

Master Plan Advisory Committee update

- Open Space Plan activities to support Goal 3 "Preserve working farms and forests..."
 - Right to Farm real estate disclosures
 - Farm brochure
- 72 Mort Vining Road Right of First Refusal under 61A Update
- Community Garden update
- Open Farm Day
- Association of Agricultural Commissions
- Youth members of commission/Ag education

New Business

- Commission reappointments
- AgCom magazine

Note: End of fiscal year is June 30.

Purpose

The Commission encourages the pursuit of agriculture, promotes agriculture-based economic opportunities, and protects farmlands within the Town of Southwick by allowing agricultural uses and related activities to function with minimal conflict with abutters and Town agencies.

CC email: Town Clerk, Select Board, Historical Commission, Board of Assessors, Board of Appeals, Building Inspector, Water Department, DPW, EDC, Agricultural Commission, Conservation Commission, Safety Officer, Park and Recreation, Planning Board, Health Inspector, Fire Department, Jim Middleton