

Southwick Agricultural Commission

Telephone (413) 569-6907

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA June 14, 2023 at 7:00 pm

Hybrid meeting to be held in-person in the Land Use Room in Town Hall and via Zoom Pursuant to Chapter 2, Acts of 2023 (Format-Hybrid Meeting)

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. In the event of any technical difficulties, we will ensure a recorded tape of the proceedings is placed on the Town Web page at www.southwickma.org.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://southwickma.zoom.us/j/88154943609?pwd=UERXcTlDcVlONXRZWGhVlRFRzZz09>

Meeting ID: 881 5494 3609

Passcode: 382821

7:00pm

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

Public Comments

Communications – USPS Mail; email, Facebook page; town correspondence

New Business

- Commission membership – Commissioners, Alternates, expiring terms

Ongoing Business

- Open Farm Day plans
- Ch 61 protocols
- Review year-end expenses
- Master Plan committee update
- Community Garden 2023
 - ConCom work day 6/4/2023
 - New trail between garden and nearby pond
 - Sofinowski/Comm Garden signs
- AgComm website/newsletter

Approve Minutes of May 10

FYI

- AgCom meeting dates: 6/28, 7/12, 7/26, 8/9, 8/23
- Southwick Community TV
- Dairy Crawl for June (Dairy Month) Hadley area, dairycrawl.com
- 4-H Fair July 22 at Big E

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

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