

Southwick Agricultural Commission

Telephone (413) 569-6907

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

July 12, 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/82476279454?pwd=RVliNFpPZ251M1k2QStrSU9DcnBtdz09>

(Copy and paste the above address into your web browser if the link fails)

Meeting ID: 824 7627 9454

Passcode: 448381

7:00pm

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

Public Comments

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

New Business

Ongoing Business

- Open Farm Day plans including coordination with EDC
- AgComm website/newsletter
- Ch 61 protocols
- Commission membership – Commissioners, Alternates, expiring terms
- Master Plan committee update
- Community Garden 2023
 - New trail between garden and nearby pond
 - Sofinowski/Comm Garden signs – in place!

Approve Minutes of June 14

FYI

- AgCom meeting dates: 7/26, 8/9, 8/23
- Trust for Public Land purchase of N. Longyard Rd. property
- 4-H Fair July 22 at Big E
- Hampden County Improvement League at Big E 9/15-10/1

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

2023-07-12 10:00 AM
SOUTHWICK TOWN CLERK