

# Hollis Agricultural Commission

Thursday, July 14th, 2022



## NAMES OF ATTENDEES

C. Quaine, M. Post, T. Hardy, D. Petry.

## CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order at 7:32pm.

## ORDER OF BUSINESS

### Hillsborough County Conservation District Legislative Visit

The Ag Comm discussed its participation in this HCCD event on July 27<sup>th</sup> at Woodmont. The purpose of the event to educate legislators and stakeholders about the conservation efforts undertaken by farmers using state and federal conservation resources. Approx 30-35 people will be attending including members of our local, state and federal representative/senate offices, the USDA NRCS, NH Fish and Game, UNH Cooperative Extension and Nichols-Smith land trust.

D. Harmon will speak about the agricultural history of the property and how it was acquired by the Town. T. Hardy along with C. Cochran from the NRCS will demonstrate no-till farming techniques and equipment. M. Post will draft a small handout for distribution about the history of Woodmont and the Town's agricultural conservation efforts.

### Law Property

T. Dufresne has expressed interest in lowering potential conservation management costs by having the property farmed. Ag Comm could support a leasing effort in partnership Hollis CC. M. Post will follow with Hollis CC to see if they are interested.

### Old Homes Day

M. Post stated that OHD is Saturday, September 17. The Ag Comm noted that there are two meetings before then and initially felt putting on a display of local agricultural products similar as in past years would be appropriate.

## APPROVAL OF MINUTES

M. Post motioned to accept the public minutes for the commission meeting on June 9th, 2022, C Quaine second, motioned passed 4-0-0.

## ADJOURNMENT

M. Post motioned to adjourn at 7:48, C. Quaine second, motion passed 4-0-0.

Respectfully submitted by M. Post, Acting Secretary