

MANSFIELD AGRICULTURE COMMITTEE

Minutes of November 4, 2009 meeting

Audrey P. Beck Municipal Building

Conference Room C, 7:30 p.m.

1. Acting Chairman, Al Cyr, called the meeting to order at 7:35.
2. PRESENT: Al Cyr, Charlie Galgowski, Bill Palmer, Kathleen Paterson, Ed Wazer, Larry Lombard, Vicky Wetherell.
3. Minutes of the September 2, 2009, meeting were approved.

Old Business

4. Regional meeting

The committee continues to pursue a winter regional meeting. A flyer was circulated about a November 30 regional meeting, "Promoting Agricultural Viability." Bill and Larry will attend and report back.

5. Zoning Regulations re: Agricultural Uses

Committee members asked if there was any progress on setting up a subcommittee meeting concerning revision of these regulations. Greg Padick will be contacted for an update.

New Business

6. Dates for 2010 meetings

The committee agreed to change the dates for the committee meetings to the first Tuesday of alternate months in 2010, beginning with January 5, 2010.

7. Town Council presentation

The committee discussed the need to make a presentation to the new Town Council about agriculture in Mansfield.

8. Storrs Farmers Market

Kathleen announced the market's new location (library) and winter schedule.

9. Meeting adjourned at 8:30.