

AGRICULTURE COMMITTEE  
Approved Minutes of April 7, 2015 special meeting

Members present: Al Cyr (chair), Ed. Hall, Kathleen Paterson, Bryan Kielbania, Vicky Wetherell, Jennifer Kaufman (staff).

Meeting was called to order at 7:05.

Vicky was appointed acting secretary.

Minutes of the March 4, 2015 meeting were approved.

**New Business**

*Walktober* The committee discussed potential items on a tour of Twin Ponds Farm for Walktober (date to be determined).

*Gaining Insights, Gaining Access: Securing Farmland for the Next Generation* Jennifer informed the committee about this pilot American Farmland Trust project to identify farmland fields that are not currently leased and could be available for farmers. A list of potential farmland properties has been created with GIS, and the property owners will be surveyed by the Trust.

*Communications* Jennifer informed the committee about an April 12 site visit to a proposed subdivision on Coventry Road across from active farmland. Representatives of the committee will attend.

The meeting adjourned at 7:30.