

Nelson Agricultural Commission

Minutes of Meeting April 30, 2014

Home of John Bunce - Nelson

Members Present: *David Voymas, Barbara Fraser, Val Van Meier, and John Bunce.*

1. Meeting called to order at 7:08 p.m. by David Voymas, chair.
2. Minutes of 3/5/2014 meeting accepted as read (note: these minutes, as taken by J. Roland, sec., supersede those voted upon at the April 2nd meeting).
3. Minutes of 4/2/14 meeting accepted as read.
4. David informed the Commission of the Plant Swap, to be held amongst the May Day festivities of May 4th. Also, that the Nelson Congregational Church is enthusiastic to once again partner with the Commission for the Farm Table this Summer. David will follow-up with John Zilske of the Church and arrange a meeting.
5. David also informed the Commission of the Select Board's action to cut the Commission budget by 2/3, to \$100.00.
6. Terms of service were discussed and finalized, and will be submitted to the Select Board.
7. The proposed Seed Saving presentation was briefly discussed; Val will check with Linda Cates on the schedule for the Summer Forum – otherwise, a possible date during Old Home Week will be selected.
8. The remainder of the meeting focused on the Greenhouse Tour on May 10. Materials will be produced by Val and Judi; posters will be placed by Commission members. Schedule will be emailed by Moving In Step, and placed on Facebook and the town website. Members will be present at the Library on the day of the event, to distribute maps.
9. Moved by John, 2nd by Barbara to adjourn at 8:10 p.m.
10. Meeting adjourned at 8:12 pm.

Submitted by David Voymas, acting secretary.