

Nelson Agricultural Commission Minutes, May 8, 2019

Olivia Rodham Library

Members present: Val Van Meier, John Bunce, Pat Rich

1. Meeting called to order 7:15 pm
2. Old Home day discussion: Val will contact Rick Church as August gets closer to confirm he has a display hive. She will also send email to Ag Com list regarding Rick's May lecture.
3. Sam Romano is our most recent Ag Com member, but as of now we have no future prospects. Pat Rich agreed to move from alternate to member.
4. Colonial Garden clean-up has been scheduled for Friday May 17th at 10 am.
5. 2020 Lecture Series discussion: Val will approach the Caterpillar Lab once again to determine their interest in participating. In addition we may have interest from a local forester. Other ideas discussed were plant propagation, plant rotation, hydroponics, garden season extension, vermiculture, and wine/beer making.
6. Now that the Harvest Market date is confirmed as Sept. 21st, Val will contact past vendors to determine their interest in returning this year.

Meeting adjourned 8:02 pm

Minutes submitted by Pat Rich