MARSHFIELD AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION MEETING February 28, 2017

Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM at the Town Hall, Lunch Room.

Attending: Lorrie Dahlen, Sarah Garretson Lowry, Carolyn Housman, Robert Dougherty, Karen Vieira, Scott Franklin , Annie Massed, Susan Keith

Absent: Carleton Chandler

The minutes from 2/7/17 meeting were accepted as amended. Lorrie motioned to accept the minutes as amended, Annie seconded the motion. All eligible members present approved the minutes as amended.

Regional and state AgCom Meetings

No one on the commission could attend the regional or state Agricultural Commission meetings this year.

On March 7 there is a regional agricultural commission dinner in Middleboro that several commission members plan to attend.

Update on Spring Lectures

There are 133 people registered for the lectures. Pre-registration will close at Noon on Friday but people can still attend by registering the day of the event. The volunteer and food assignments were reviewed. WBZ is listing the Spring Lectures for Things To Do This Weekend. Paul Split is donating seed packets to give out at the door so participants can all go home with something.

Right to Farm Signage in town update

The signs are still in progress and will be delivered to the DPW when complete.

Adopt-a-Seedling Update

Went over the materials which have been ordered and they can be picked up at Carolyn's house. Went over some of the seedlings that volunteers will grow for the event.

Next meeting will be held Tuesday, March 28, 2017, at 7:00 PM in the Lunchroom at Town Hall. Lorrie motioned to adjourn the meeting at 8:07 PM. Sarah seconded the motion and all were in favor.

Respectfully submitted, Sarah Garretson Lowry, Secretary