

Hopewell Valley Agricultural Advisory Committee

July 5, 2016
Board minutes

Present:

Lucia Huebner (chair), Anne Carcagno, Christopher Pazdan, George Sciarrotta, John Hart, (Township Committee Liaison), Robert Miller (Administrative Officer),

The meeting was called to order at 8 PM

Goals:

The committee is starting to establish additional goals as the monies to preserve farmland is drying out.

Some goals could be :

- Encouraging farming
- problem solving
- Land leasing
- Education

Forum Night;

A forum night is tentatively planned for October 18th

Subject to be considered at the next meeting (Sept 6) are:

- How to support the ballot question concerning slot machine gambling at horse racetracks, which is a way to support farming in New Jersey.
- Deer management
- A movie

Working Items

The application of SADC/P.I.G. grant for the Auer/Herbert farm is at a standstill but monies to proceed are in the township budget.