



PENINSULA & AREA AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION AGENDA

Thursday, APRIL 11, 2019 at 7:30 pm

COMMITTEE ROOM NO. 2 – SAANICH MUNICIPAL HALL

DESCRIPTION	ACTION	LEAD
1 Approval of the Agenda	Motion	Chair
2 Approval of the Minutes - March 14, 2019	Motion	Chair
3 Treasurer's Report	Information	Treasurer
4 Speakers' Bureau: 1. Larry Kimmett: Small Scale Farming 2. Susan Tychie: – Closing the Gap Project & Grant Request 3. Amanda Parnham, BC Housing: Woodwyn Farms update	Discussion Discussion Discussion	Larry Kimmett Susan Tychie Amanda Parnham
5 Correspondence	Information	Secretary
6 Farm Succession Seminar – April 10, 2019 - Review	Discussion	Commission
7 AGRICULTURAL ISSUES – NEW	Discussion	Commission
8 AGRICULTURAL ISSUES - Current <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Geese /Deer Management Strategy – Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Presentation to CRD Board – May 22, 2019 ■ CRD Food & Agriculture Strategy - Update ■ Saanich Agriculture & Food Security Plan ■ Bee Habitat and IPI Update ■ Sandown Update ■ Woodwyn Farms Update ■ Municipal Water Rates 	Information ACTION Information Information Information Information Information Information	Jeff Weightman Co-Chairs Linda Geggie Cam Scott (Saanich) Bob Maxwell Linda Geggie Jack Mar Michael Doehnel
9 Info items for Website www.saanich.ca/living/afs/index.html	Action	All
10 Agricultural Strategy – Sub-Cmte Reports a. Water (Michael Doehnel)- b. Farm Economics (Terry Michell) c. Agricultural Land Base (Phil Christie) d. Education and Outreach (Linda Geggie) ➢ 2019 Farm Tour Planning – June 15, 2019	Report Report Report Report ACTION	Michael Doehnel Terry Michell Phil Christie Linda Geggie All
11 Upcoming Events:		
Adjourn the meeting	Motion	Commission
Next meeting - May 9, 2018	Information	Secretary

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND, PLEASE ADVISE ISOBEL AT isobelhoffmann@shaw.ca