

PENINSULA & AREA AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION
ZOOM MEETING
THURSDAY MAY 12, 2021, 7:00 pm

1. Adoption of ZOOM Minutes: April 8, 2021
 2. Treasurer's Report
 3. AGRICULTURAL ISSUES: NEW
 - a) Presentation: Brian Spencer, Applied Bio-nomics re Biodiversity & Preservation of Pollinator Habitats
 - b) Presentation: Dallas Gislason & Ty James: South Island Prosperity Project Re Shipping Containers as On-farm Packaging & Processing Options
 4. AGRICULTURAL ISSUES: CURRENT (updates)
 - a) Central Saanich OCP Review - Update
 - b) Saanich Farm Worker Housing Policy Update – Pierre Iachietti
 - c) Increased Farm Insurance Rates Info Session Update – Dianne Williamson
 5. COMMISSION'S COMMENTS, UPDATES, CONCERNS RE FARMING OPERATIONS
 6. CORRESPONDENCE:
 7. OTHER BUSINESS
 - a) Vancouver Island Agriculture Adaptation Group – Bob Maxwell
 8. Upcoming Events / Webinars
 - a) Saanich Fair 2021 – Bob Thompson
 9. Next Meeting – THURSDAY, June 10, 2021
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Parking Lot:

- T-5 Slip 2021
- Hedgerows – Speaker from Habitat Acquisition Trust
- Grape & Fruit Atlas
- 50th Celebration of ALR
- Appointment of new representative from Minister's Office