

**PENINSULA & AREA AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION**  
**ZOOM MEETING**  
**THURSDAY FEBRUARY 10, 2022 7:00 pm**

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1. Adoption of ZOOM Minutes:      JANUARY 13, 2022
2. Treasurer's Report
3. **SPEAKER'S BUREAU:** Nothing scheduled  
    Note: Mike Doehnel arranging for speaker from the Regional Water Commission
4. **AGRICULTURAL ISSUES: NEW**
  - a)      4251 Blenkinsop Road – Application for non-farm use on ALR land (Rental Storage)
  - b)      4400 Blenkinsop Road – Application for non-farm use on ALR land (Rental Storage)
5. **AGRICULTURAL ISSUES: CURRENT (updates)**
  - a)      Saanich Farm Worker Housing Policy Update – Pierre Iachietti
  - b)      Funding for Hedgerows – Project with HAT– Robin/Bev/Max & Paige Erickson
  - c)      Central Saanich OCP Update – Draft Plan distributed – Andrea Pickard
  - d)      Drainage sub-committee – Members appointed from C. Saanich & Saanich
  - e)      Water Update – Mike Doehnel
6. **COMMENTS, UPDATES, CONCERNS RE FARMING OPERATIONS**
  - Further action/discussion re protection of farmland (see January 13 Minutes)
  - Outcome of discussions with FIRB re poultry issues & rising costs (Jan 13 minutes)
  - Any follow-up on reintroduction of Agriculture in the Classroom (Jan 13 minutes)
7. **CORRESPONDENCE:**
8. **OTHER BUSINESS**
  - a) Vancouver Island Agriculture Adaptation Group – Bob Maxwell
  - b) PAAC Membership
  - c) PAAC Annual Report
9. **Upcoming Events / Webinars**
10. Next Meeting – Thursday, March 10, 2022

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**Parking Lot:**

- T-5 Slip 2020 - interest from GIC
- Grape & Fruit Atlas
- 50<sup>th</sup> Celebration of ALR 2022
- Appointment of new representative from Minister's Office