#### AGENDA

# Bernards Township Agricultural Advisory Committee Thursday, January 20, 2022 at 7:00 PM

## Virtual Meeting: contact C English to request link – lists@englishfarm.org

Members: Debra DeWitt Advisors: Tom Timko Township Engineer
Carol English Jon Knox Somerset Ctv B of A

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Kathleen Grochala, TC Liaison Walter Lane Somerset Cty: O of PP&ED
Tyson Mertz Kate Kaizer Somerset Cty: O of PP&ED

Jim Milito Tyler Seville

Liaison: Nick Polanin Rutgers NJAES

#### **ACTION ITEMS:**

- Approve Minutes from Nov 18 meeting
- Approve 2021 Annual Report

#### **BUSINESS:**

- Annual Reorganization of Ag Advisory Committee
- Review Committee Responsibilities (<u>Section 2-31 Agricultural Advisory Committee</u>)
- On-going activities
  - o Farm map Carol
  - Outreach Tyler
  - o Permit fees: food trucks on farms Carol
- Annual Activities actions and responsibilities
  - National Agriculture Month (March)
  - o Farm Meeting
  - Charter Day
- Possible 2022 Committee Meeting Dates:
  - o Feb 24 or Mar 24
  - Apr 21 (Farm Meeting)
  - Nov 17 (Thanksgiving 11/24)
- New business

#### **INFORMATIONAL: 2022 Winter Meetings**

•	1/29-30	Northeast Organic Farming Association (NOFA)-NJ, Winter Conference, Zoom
		https://nofanj.org/event/32nd-annual-nofa-nj-winter-conference-january-29-and-30-2022-duplicate-1/
•	2/1 - 3	Mid-Atlantic Fruit & Veg Convention, Hershey Lodge <a href="https://www.mafvc.org/">https://www.mafvc.org/</a>
•	2/8 - 10	NJ Agriculture Convention and Trade Show, Atlantic City <a href="https://vganj.com/convention">https://vganj.com/convention</a>
•	2/10-12	Pennsylvania Association for Sustainable Agriculture (PASA), Winter Conference, Lancaster, PA
		https://web.cvent.com/event/495529cf-5f11-41ed-9a1d-c9e55d151c6a/summary?Refid=home

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS**