

Holliston Community Farm Advisory Board

Minutes

September 14, 2022

Meeting convened at 7:07 PM

Present: Dennis Prefontaine, Dennis Serocki, Kriss Westland

Absent: Shannon Gratton

Arrived later at 7:40 PM: Kristen Serocki

1. Meeting minutes from prior meeting on August 2, 2022, approved with edits as noted.
2. No public comment made.
3. Site update:
 - a. Greenhouse/Well power project:
 - i. Chipman Electric is targeting September 22 to begin the electrical work to upgrade the panel and power the greenhouse heater and well pump.
 - ii. Trench will be ready to go before electrical work begins. Need to shut off water and notify garden plot growers and the farmer in the field.
 - iii. Proper taping off of trench required.
 - iv. Propane hookup ntb scheduled – allow for 2 weeks. Need to find a plumber.
 - b. Garden plot growers reporting woodchuck in the fenced area. Will set up a trap. Tried to close off the access hole. Need to move pallets out of the plot area.
 - c. Garden Plot Clean Up date is October 2 from 4-6 PM. Kriss will send out a note to the growers to participate.
4. CR update:
 - a. SVT had a question on funding of the purchase of the property . A portion of Open Space funds were used, consequently a CR is required. Because it was a portion and not the entire purchase, this will allow an exclusion envelope in the area of the house, parking area, shed, and area up to greenhouse.
 - b. CR in final stages of review and will be sent to TC and SB for review.
5. Events:
 - a. Haunted Walk October 22 from 5-9 PM
 - i. Event permit submitted to HPD.
 - ii. Shannon is working on the flyer.
 - iii. Set up weekends of October 8-9 and October 15-16.
 - iv. Kris to do inventory to see what we need for supplies.
 - v. Rope off around bonfire debris area in the field.

Meeting adjourned at 8:12 PM.