# Town of Canandaigua

5540 Routes 5 & 20 West Canandaigua, N. Y. 14424

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# Agricultural Advisory Committee Meeting

Thursday, Jan 9, 2020

**Meeting Called by:**Bob DiCarlo, Chair

Committee Members Present: Bob DiCarlo, Chair

Ray Henry, Recording Secretary

Gary Davis Gary Jones

Committee Members Absent: Tim Riley

Fernando Soberon

**Town Representatives:** Doug Finch

Sarah Reynolds

#### **New Business**

Ray Henry was approved on a temporary basis to continue as "Recording Secretary" for a month (Motion made by Gary Davis, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Gary Jones). Gary Jones was approved on temporary basis to replace Bob DiCarlo as "Vice Chair" (Motion made by Gary Davis, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ray Henry). This will be revisited at the next meeting.

There was a discussion on the fair and did we want to participate. Bob suggested a display on various farm in the County. The local history has also volunteered a history display.

And as well as discussions involving the Agricultural Enhancement plan. Another discussion and a revue was held re: projects on conservation easements.

## Referrals

The following 1 applications were discussed: Application No: CPN-19-093; (See Attached Comment Sheet)

## Next meeting schedule

Meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:00 pm. The next meeting will be in the Town Highway Garage (Genundewah) Conference Room at 6:00 PM on Feb. 6, 2020. The Committee will review the implementation plan at the next meeting.

Ray Henry, Recording Secretary

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DATE: January 9, 2020

TO: Chairman Chuck Oyler & members of the Planning Board

FROM: Chairman Bob DiCarlo & members of the Agricultural Advisory Committee

**RE: Referrals from the Planning Review Committee (PRC)** 

In accordance with Town of Canandaigua Town Code §17-5 the Town of Canandaigua Agricultural Advisory Committee (Ag Committee) met on January 9, 2020 to review and provide comment relative to the application(s) listed below and referred to the Ag Committee by the PRC. The applications and the Ag Committee's findings are as follows.

CPN-19-093

4885 County Road 16, TM#140.18-1-16.00, 3.3 acres adjacent to Canandaigua Lake. Mark Bayer representing Daniel Wegman owner of property at, is seeking Site Plan Approval for a tennis court with perimeter fencing, shade pavilion and associated site/drainage improvements. (three area Variances (1) Lot coverage (2) accessory structure square footage and (3) accessory structure height. Pending 1-21-20 ZBA approval).

### Review was based on:

- Application materials on file as of 1/9/20
- Ontario County On-Cor maps
- Maps and Parcel Ranking data in the 2016 Agricultural Enhancement Plan
- Maps and Parcel Ranking data in the 2018 Open Space, Conservation, and Scenic Views Master Plan
- Town policies and maps incorporated in Comprehensive Plan and Land Use Planning documents adopted by Town Board.

#### Findings:

- 1. Property is NOT located within Ontario County Ag District 1
- 2. Property is NOT currently farmed but is across the road from an active farm (Wegman's Organic Farm).
- 3. Property consists of the following soil types:
  - a. Lansing silt loam, 25 to 35 percent slopes, 78.5% 2.600 acres
  - b. Ovid silty clay loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes, 21.5% 0.710 acres
- 4. Parcel DID NOT receive a rating from Ag Enhancement Plan.
- 5. Parcel DID NOT receive a rating from the Open Space Master Plan.
- 6. Property is NOT in the Padelford Brook Greenway
- 7. Property is NOT in the Strategic Farmland Protection Area
- 8. Property IS in the Strategic Forest Protection Area

#### Comments:

1. The committee had no comment.

**MOTION:** "The Agriculture Advisory Committee recommends the Town of Canandaigua Planning Board find the proposed project **does not** cause a loss of agricultural lands for the Town of Canandaigua. The Agricultural Advisory Committee wishes the applicant, the Zoning Board and the Planning Board to consider the impact this project would have on farming prior to the approval or disapproval of this project."

Motion made by: Ray Henry Motion seconded by: Gary Jones

ROLL CALL VOTE: Bob DiCarlo – Aye

Gary Davis – Aye Ray Henry – Aye Gary Jones – Aye Tim Riley – Absent

Fernando Soberon – Absent

Respectfully submitted by the Agricultural Advisory Committee