

Duanesburg Parks Commission

Meeting Minutes

January 3 2017

In attendance: Josh Houghton, Elaine McCarthy, Deborah Peters, Charles Leoni.

Meeting started with a discussion of the possible venues for the Farmer's Market: sites include Pinegrove Farms, the parking lot behind Duaneburg Diner and Shaffer Park.

Need to contact Mr. Alan Krieger as he is familiar with an organizer of farmer markets.

Rules should be less restrictive than larger venues by allowing vendors to come when they have stock to sell.

Discussion of Point improvement: Layout was received for plantings, need to develop budget and timeline for the plantings.

Watering of new plantings to be done with an appropriately sized tank and gravity tubing with drip attachments.

Linda Mc Laughlin is coordinating with Cobleskill College about the design and planting implementation.

Jean Frisbee may have a packet with information.

Donations to be solicited from the College and local greenhouses.

The Duane Lions want to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Lions Club International with a fund raiser to improve Van Patten Park. The most needed item there is a toilet facility.

Coordination between the Commission and the Duane Lions is needed to decide on the design of the facilities and other improvements to the park.

Respectfully submitted

Charles Leoni