



State of Connecticut
Department of Agriculture
Milk Regulation Board

11-Oct-12

Minutes of the meeting held 10-Oct-12

Agenda item 1: Meeting called to order 10:06

Agenda item 2: Board members present:

Gregory Peracchio	Neil Marcus
Peter Orr	James Stearns
Jack Tiffany	Tracey Weeks, DPH
Lucy Nolan	Commissioner Steven K. Reviczky

Others:

Wayne Kasacek, DAG
Dr. Bruce Sherman, DAG

Agenda item 3: No correspondence

Agenda item 4: Minutes of the 11-Apr-12 Milk Regulation Board Meeting

Motion to accept Jack Tiffany, 2nd Lucy Nolan, there was no discussion. Minutes approved by unanimous vote.

Agenda item 5: Commissioner Reviczky reported that Congress did not act on the Farm Bill. In support of CT farmers, Governor Malloy at a press conference did publically ask Congress to act.

Commissioner Reviczky discussed A NEASDA proposal supporting the extension of the MILC program which NASDA accepted.

Commissioner Reviczky discussed the Agricultural Sustainability grant program and the Community Investment Act.

Commissioner Reviczky discussed the Governor's Council on Agricultural Development and the timeline to provide proposals on specific topics. Meeting were held and will be held to determine where opportunities and impediments exist to increasing consumer dollars spent of Connecticut agricultural products.

Agenda item 6: No old business

Agenda item 7 : No new business

Agenda item 8: No public comments

Agenda item 9: Neil Marcus motioned to adjourn, 2nd James Stearns, motioned approved by unanimous vote.

Respectfully submitted

Wayne Kasacek
Clerk of the Board