Draft Governor's Council on Climate Change (GC3) Agriculture/Soils Working Group AGENDA

Meeting Date: Monday, June 29, 2020 Meeting Time: 3 – 4:30 PM Meeting Location: Remote location

Welcome and Announcements

(5 minutes)

Chair- Bryan Hurlburt, Commissioner, CT Department of Agriculture

Agenda - Energy and Innovation Practices Presentations

Alex DePillis – Vermont Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets – Opportunities for Anaerobic Digesters (**15 minutes**)

Gerry Palano – Massachusetts Department of Agricultural Resources – Massachusetts Climate Smart Agriculture Program (MCSAP) and Agricultural Climate Resiliency and Efficiencies (ACRES) Program (**15 minutes**)

Panel

Domingo Medena – Peels and Wheels – Innovative way to sequester carbon and reduce organic waste going into a landfill (10 minutes)

Joe Geremia – Four Season Farm– efficient indoor production models (10 minutes)

Public comments (20 minutes)

Next Steps and Adjourn

Working and Natural Lands – Ag/Soils Sub-Group – who is responsible for what?

- a. Background and Context
- b. Importance to Climate Change Adaptation, Resilience, and Mitigation
- c. Impact Assessment and Vulnerability
- d. Progress
- e. Indicators and Targets
- f. Outcomes, Objectives and Strategies
- g. Implementation Actions
- h. Assessment of Impacts to Vulnerable Communities

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