



# CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

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*Bureau of Agricultural Development and Resource Preservation*



## FARMLAND PRESERVATION ADVISORY BOARD

### MEETING AGENDA Thursday, March 17<sup>th</sup> 9:00 – 10:50am

*Will be held virtually- please use information below to participate.*

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**Meeting Number:** 2631 791 5911 **Passcode:** FPAB2022

**Join by phone:** +1-408-418-9388 United States Toll **Access Code:** 2631 080 8741

9:00 Inspirational Message – Kip Kolesinskas and Jiff Martin

9:10 Guest Presentation on Buy-Protect-Sell in New Jersey

10:00 Approve February meeting minutes (Robin Chesmer)

10:05 Public Comment

10:10 Agency Update & PDR Programs Report (Jaime Smith & Cam Weimar)

### OLD BUSINESS

OPAV (10:20): Status of recommendation to Commissioner Hurlburt regarding OPAV

### NEW BUSINESS

Community Farms Preservation Program (10:25): What is the Department's vision for the program? How is the program currently being utilized? What type of farms are being protected? What are the pros and cons? (DoAg Staff)

10:50 Close (Robin Chesmer)