

TOWN OF KINGSTON  
AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION

Minutes of Meeting held November 19, 2008

Those present: Christine Nava, Barry Mathias, Rui Santos, Phil Burnham and Jean Landis Naumann,

Meeting called to order by Chairman Nava at 7:05 pm. The minutes of the 10/23/08 meeting were approved.

Barry introduced Brian Wick from the Cape Cod Cranberry Association. Brian addressed our concerns with the current earth removal bylaw and offered his assistance to craft an improved bylaw. He recommended we look at the new bylaw for Carver that has recently been approved at the state level. He mentioned that Plympton is also revising their earth removal bylaw. He spoke about the process of educating the public on any proposed revisions.

A motion was made and passed to have Jean request that a warrant article be placed on the annual Town Meeting agenda to revise the earth removal bylaw.

A question was raised on the status of the oyster farming proposal. Jean will get an update for the next meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 8:10 PM. Next meeting scheduled for 1/15/09 at 7:00 PM.

Respectfully submitted, Jean Landis Naumann