

City of Ann Arbor Meeting Minutes

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Public Market Advisory Commission

Thursday, November 21, 2019

5:30 PM

Larcom City Hall, 301 E Huron St, Second floor, City Council Chambers

- A CALL TO ORDER
 - Meeting was called to order by Commissioner Parker at 5:36 pm
- B ROLL CALL
- **Present:** 5 Peter Woolf, Holly Parker, Lisa Young, Jeff Nemeth, and Helen Chandler
- C APPROVAL OF AGENDA
 - Approved as presented
- D FIRST PUBLIC COMMENTARY (AGENDA ITEMS ONLY) (3 Minutes per Speaker)
- E APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS

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Approved by the Commission and forwarded to the City Council due back on 1/20/2020

- F PRESENTATIONS
- G REGULAR BUSINESS (AGENDA ITEMS)

survey analyses

We may need to better label and educate our customers about different growing practices each vendor uses

producer only guideline recommendations

Market manager agreed to consult with beekeepers to make a list of activities involved in producing honey.

For producers, commission agreed with comments that plants may need to be in a vendor's possession more than 3-6 weeks, as was originally suggested. Rather than a set amount of time, commission recommended using different critieria here.

Market manager agreed to re-write suggestion for Plants/Seedlings section and bring back to commission. Also agreed that a trial period is needed to see how these apply in practice.

H NEW BUSINESS (NON-AGENDA ITEMS)

I REPORTS

A2 Food Truck Rallies Zero Waste Washtenaw Event Diversion Report

Received and Filed

customer dot survey 2019

Received and Filed

Market Manager Report

Received and Filed

J SECOND PUBLIC COMMENT (NOT LIMITED TO AGENDA ITEMS)

Jae Jermo, market vendor, was on the vendor committee for the original indoor building design. The cost jumped because the width expanded, and some vendors were not in favor because it affected parking. The sidewalls are nice because they do not take away parking.

L ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Parker adjourned the meeting at 6:25 pm

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