Alloway Township Agriculture Advisory Board

Minutes May 12, 2016

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Schultz at 7:33 pm. Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chairman Schultz.

Roll Call: Present: Lou Joyce; Chuck Mihlebach; Jack Schultz; Walt Turner

Absent: Ron Vassallo; Don Smith; Al Mitchell, Beth Reilly

Approval of the minutes, on motion by Turner, 2nd by Mihlebach, the minutes of March 10, 2016 meeting were approved unanimously.

Old Business:

Mr. Joyce reported the application for the farm identified as McAlonan 3 was modified to exclude Block 19, Lot 21.02 by the owner. He indicated that the Township Resolution 16-27 greenlighting the application included Lot 21.02. He sent a memo to the Township Committee on April 14 reporting on the modification and indicated the Board would affirm the action at the May meeting. McAlonan 3 will move forward containing only Block 18 Lot 10.01 per Fran Rapa, NJCF.

Motion by Turner, second by Mihlebach to remove Block 19, Lot 21.02 from McAlonan 3 application was approved by unanimous vote.

The Board reviewed the current applications for ranking and the discussed the status of each. The applications deemed to be active and to be ranked are:

Richard Reick, Block 64, Lot 6 (received 9/2015)

Kurt & Donna Sickler, Block 36, Lot 4 (received 7/2015)

Benjamin & Charlotte Gentile, Block 37, Lots 13 &14 (received 6/2015)

Gene Zimmer, Block 15, Lot 5.03 (received 9/2011)

The committee will seek information on soils type ranking from SADC in order to complete the ranking sheet for each. Mr. Joyce indicated that we have received the necessary mapping for each of the properties.

Mr. Joyce indicated that the Daniel & Laura Chard, Block 32, Lot 11 has gone to settlement.

New Business

There were no new applications received

It was announced that the next meeting will be July 14, 2016.

Meeting adjourned at 8:04 pm on motion by Mihlebach and 2nd by Turner on unanimous vote.

Louis C. Joyce, Secretary

Approved: July 14, 2016