

Alloway Township Agriculture Advisory Board

Minutes

September 9, 2021

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Schultz at 7:370pm. Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chairman Schultz.

Roll call: present - Jack Schultz, Lou Joyce, Brian Lorenz, Kurt Sickler, Walt Turner, Warren Morgan, Twp committee liaison.

Absent- Al Mitchell (illness), Talia Priore (work)

Others present - Katie Mazzella, SADC

The minutes from the July 8, 2021 meeting were presented. Minutes approved on motion by Mr. Schultz, 2nd by Mr. Sickler, all in favor.

Old Business:

Report from Salem County CADB: Ms. Alexander sent report that surveys were proceeding for Bell and Rieck properties.

Report from SADC:

Ms. Mazzella provided a report on active applications. Ayars farms surveyor has submitted survey, expecting to settle in early 2022; she expects to provide an updated preservation map by next meeting; SADC has funds that must be used and will target farms for direct easement that can be below current target threshold of 94 acres;

Report from NJCF: no formal report.

Report from Township Planner: Mr. Scheule indicated that the reexam will be complete by the November meeting.

The Township Trust Fund balance report from September 9 stands at \$129,353.41 unchanged from July.

New Business: general discussion on target farms for SADC and current activities on a preserved farm that are being monitored.

Public Comment: no comments

Meeting adjourned at 7:57 pm on motion by Mr. Turner, with 2nd by Mr. Lorenz and unanimously approved.

Louis C. Joyce
Secretary

Approved: November 11, 2021