Berkshire Conservation District Agenda for Wednesday, March 2, 2022 Zoom Remote Meeting Starting at 5pm

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Join By Phone: (301) 715-8592 Webinar ID: 875 9905 4766

Pursuant to Chapter 20 of the Acts of 2021, this meeting will be conducted via Zoom. All meetings of the Berkshire Conservation District are open to the public and are subject to Massachusetts Open Meeting Laws. Members of the public are welcome to speak only during the Public Comment Period. If you wish to make a comment, please use the "raise hand" feature. Please state your name and the town you reside in for the record. This meeting will be recorded.

- 1. Call to order and Determination of Quorum
- 2. Public Comment Period Use "raise hand" feature in Zoom or put comment in chat box
- 3. Report from NRCS Representative Sylvia Muniz-Gaya
- 4. Secretary's Report Submitted by Donna Kittredge
 - a. Review and approval of Meeting Minutes
- 5. Treasurer's Report Submitted by David Ellis
 - a. Review and approval of Treasurer's Report
- 6. Program Status
 - a. No-Till Rental Program
 - I. Past month review
 - II. Next month action items
 - i. CG and AG meeting with Mike Balawender (no-till caretaker) on 3/4 to review caretaker agreement/contract, rental agreement form, rental return form.
 - ii. Public demonstrations event planning: May/June and Aug/Sept
 - iii. Stipends: how do we implement?
 - b. FY22 Pollinator and Native Plant Initiative
 - I. Labor Day Plant Sale
 - II. On-Farm Pollinator Habitat Promotion + Farm Tour
 - III. Community Pollinator Garden in North Adams
 - IV. Pollinator Friendly Resolutions
- 7. District Administrator Updates
- 8. New Business
- 9. Guest Presentation: Local Foods GIS Mapping Project by Andrew Ferrara and Eric Dupont of Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts
- 10. Supervisor/Staff Comments and/or Announcements
- 11. Adjournment