

Agricultural Advisory Committee
February 12, 2020

Members Present: E. Carpenter (Chair), K. LeMotte, M. McRae, B. Magee

Absent: S. Foote, E. Bieber

Liaisons: L. Sparling Town Board

Guests: C. Anderson Planning Board

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m.

New Business

Craig Anderson from the Dryden Planning Board came to provide a status report on the Comprehensive Plan update.

- Last year the Town Board charged the Planning Board with updating the current Comprehensive Plan.
- The Planning Board has hired a Syracuse planning firm, Environmental Design & Research, EDR, to be the project lead consultant.
- The first step in the process is to document community goals and the future vision residents have for Dryden.
- To start this public engagement process, EDR will be conducting three community stakeholder group meetings in February.
- The Planning Board will also be seeking the public's input by conducting outreach meetings with different Civic groups, the general public and the Town's Advisory Boards/Committees. Approximately 23 of these meetings are scheduled over the next 30 days. One of these meetings includes the Ag. Committee.

A discussion occurred regarding the Comprehensive Plan update.

There being no further business, The meeting was adjourned at 9:07 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Craig Anderson