



Orange County Agricultural and Farmland Protection Board
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Monthly Board meeting
Wednesday, January 20th, 2021 - 7:00 p.m.

Virtual Meeting

Using Microsoft Teams or Call-in (1-347-991-6654 Conference ID: 528 224 208#)

AGENDA

Call to Order

Approval of November Minutes

Summary of Accounts

Inquiries & Correspondence

- Letter from Orange County Legislature to NYS Department of Ag & Markets Regarding the 'Inclusion of Lands – Orange County “Newly Consolidated” Agricultural District No. 1'
- Letter from New York State Department of Agriculture & Markets Regarding the Certification of Orange County Consolidated Agricultural District No. 1

New Business

- Election of Officers
- Required Ethics Board Forms
- Contract for Kristy Apostolides (Scope of Work for 2021 Attached)

Old Business

- Potential Ag Board Member
- Eight Year Ag District Review
- Ag Plan Priority Project Implementation Update (*Kevin Sumner – Priority Project & Update Attached*)

Other Business

- From Board Members
- Others

Announcements

Adjournment