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Department Agenda Item	Discussion	Decision	Action
<b>10:30 AM Animal Control w/J. Goodell</b>			
1. <a href="#"><u>February 2022 Monthly Update:</u></a>		Motion: Ayes: Noes: Absent:	Carried: Defeated: Referred to:
<b>10:45 AM Soil &amp; Water w/A. Fagan</b>			
1. <b>Resolution calling for a 30 day review of Ag. District #2 for the towns of Eagle, Gainesville, Pike, and Wethersfield</b>		Motion: Ayes: Noes: Absent:	Carried: Defeated: Referred to:
2. Resolution approving MOU by and between the County of Wyoming and NYS Ag. and Markets establishing SEQRA procedures to eliminate the overlap and duplication in comment and review and to create uniformity in the SEQRA processes within the context of Article 25-AA for certain actions related to Agricultural Districts within Wyoming County. Effective 04/12/22 through 04/11/30 with a one year automatic renewal for an indefinite period at no cost to the county.	<b>Resolution Required</b>	Motion: Ayes: Noes: Absent:	Carried: Defeated: Referred to:
3. <a href="#"><u>2021 Annual Report</u></a>		Motion: Ayes: Noes: Absent:	Carried: Defeated: Referred to:

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<b>11:00 AM Cooperative Extension w/A. Griffith</b>			
1. <b>General Update:</b>		Motion: Ayes: Noes: Absent:	Carried: Defeated: Referred to:
<b>Committee Chair's Agenda</b>			
1. <b><u>Winter NYSAC Conf. Resolution:</u></b> • Resolution Supporting Maintaining the 60-Hour Work Week for Farm Workers		Motion: Ayes: Noes: Absent:	Carried: Defeated: Referred to:
2. <b><u>Winter NYSAC Conf. Resolution:</u></b> • Expressing Frustration with the Lack of Local Input in Renewable Energy Siting and the Conversion of Farmland		Motion: Ayes: Noes: Absent:	Carried: Defeated: Referred to:
3. <b><u>Winter NYSAC Conf. Resolution:</u></b> • Resolution in Support of New and Expanded Tax Credits to Support Food Production		Motion: Ayes: Noes: Absent:	Carried: Defeated: Referred to:
4. <b>NYS Dept. of Ag. &amp; Markets request:</b> Committee Chair Becker granted access to County owned forestlands on 03/23/22 so that NYS Ag. & Markets can conduct a study on the European Cherry Fruit Fly.	1. <b><u>E-mail</u></b> 2. <b><u>Questions &amp; Answers</u></b> 3. <b><u>Pest Alert</u></b>	Motion: Ayes: Noes: Absent:	Carried: Defeated: Referred to:

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5. Review <a href="#">letter dated 03/01/2022 from NYS DEC to Jeffrey Williams</a> regarding Wetland DA-24 Boundary Delineation Proposed Stream Crossing Location Town of Orangeville, Wyoming County.		Motion: Ayes: Noes: Absent:	Carried: Defeated: Referred to:
6. <a href="#">Oatka Valley Snowmobile Association, Inc.</a>		Motion: Ayes: Noes: Absent:	Carried: Defeated: Referred to:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Landowner Appreciation Drive-Thru Chicken BBQ, Sunday, May 1, 2022 / 12 noon at the Warsaw Legion Building</li> <li>• Permission to continue use of trails through Wyoming County Owned Property.</li> </ul>		Motion: Ayes: Noes: Absent:	Carried: Defeated: Referred to:
<b>Ag. &amp; Farmland Protection</b>			
		Motion: Ayes: Noes: Absent:	Carried: Defeated: Referred to:
<b>Conservation w/</b>			
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<b>Fair Association w/M. Roche</b>			
		Motion: Ayes: Noes: Absent:	Carried: Defeated: Referred to:
<b>Dairy Industry w/</b>			
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Signature of Committee Chairman: p/B. Becker & M. Roche (minutes prepared by \_\_\_\_\_).

Next Agriculture Committee Meeting scheduled for **Wednesday, April 27, 2022 @ 10:30 AM.**

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