## Town of Montville Farmers Market Committee Special Meeting January 6, 2025, 6:00 p.m. Room 102 - Town Hall

Comments will only be accepted at times designated for public comment by the Chair of the meeting. The Montville Town Council Rules of Procedure, decorum, timeliness and suitability shall be followed and enforced.

- 1. Call to Order 6:07 pm
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Roll Call Kelley Orbe, Mike Orbe, Brianna Tobey, Kate Southard (Town Council),
- 4. Remarks from the Public regarding items on the agenda (3-minute limit) none
- 5. Old Business
  - a. Discussion of Regular 2024 Market
    - Safety issues need to be addressed
  - b. Discussion of 2024 Holiday Market
    - Need access to internet
- 6. New Business
  - a. Discussion of 2025 Market
    - Farmers free
    - Extend the season for farmers?
    - Applying for SNAP acceptance at the market
    - Senior Center van to bring seniors/offer vouchers for seniors
    - Pay online for vendor spots
    - Reimbursement to vendors through town needs to be an easier process
    - Fees will remain the same
    - Three food trucks per market
    - Look into Farmers Markets grants (vouchers for kids, seniors, families)

- Themes: Community Night, Kids Night, 2 Car Shows, Dog Days, Pirate Night, Native Vendor Night all other nights will be a regular market
- Talk to Clem Brown about Car Show dates
- Find an phone app for communications with FM vendors
- Application will be out by the end of the month
- b. Farmers Market Meeting Dates First Monday of the month

February 3

March 3

April 7

May 5

June 2

July - No meeting

August 4

September 3 (Wednesday due to Labor Day)

October 6

November 3

- 7. Remarks from the Public None
- 8. Remarks from Town Council Liaison None
- 9. Adjournment 8:00 pm