



State of Connecticut  
Department of Agriculture  
Milk Regulation Board

25 Jan 2012

Minutes of the 24 Jan 2012  
Milk Regulation Board Meeting

Agenda Item 1: Meeting called to order 2:05 pm

Agenda Item 2: Introductions

Board members Present: Commissioner Steven Reviczky

Michael Young	Peter Orr
Mae Schmidle	James Stearns
Jack Tiffany	Joanne Houser (DPH rep)

Others Present: Wayne Kasacek, DoAg Bruce Sherman, DoAg

Agenda Item 3: No Correspondence

Agenda Item 4: 21 Apr 2011 Milk Regulation Board Minutes of 27 Oct 2011. Motion to approve Mae Schmidle, 2<sup>nd</sup> Jim Stearns. Minutes approved by unanimous consent.

Agenda Item 5: Reports

Commissioner Reviczky reported the Governor's Farmland Restoration program is on the bond commission agenda.

Commissioner Reviczky reported that the congressional super committee failed to reach an agreement on the farm bill.

Dr. Sherman gave the board an update on a possible brucella investigation being conducted by USDA and Massachusetts officials.

Commissioner Reviczky reported on the current state of the dairy sustainability grants. The department is working with the University of Connecticut, Zwick center to create CT cost of production figures using USDA methodology.

Agenda Item 7: No new business.

Agenda Item 8: No public comment.

Agenda Item 9: Motion to adjourn Jack Tiffany, 2<sup>nd</sup> Michael Young, meeting adjourned at 3:17pm.

Respectfully submitted,

*Wayne Kasacek*  
Wayne Kasacek  
Clerk of the Board

Approved 11. Apr '12