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MEMORANDUM

To: East Amwell Township Committee From: Tamara Lee
East Amwell Planning Board

Re: Farm Project – Oct. Status Report Date: October 4, 2020

The following is an update on the Township's 'Farm Project':

1. Presented the Farm Project for FOSPC for their information and invited the Committee members to participate and offer ideas, thoughts and suggestions.
2. Generated an initial list of possible farm services that would be useful to local farmers and distributed the list to others for review and comment.
3. Developed a form that will be distributed to farm stand and farm service owners. Submitted the form to the County GIS Director with whom we're creating the farm stand and services map. Awaiting review and comment of the form before we distribute it.
4. Reviewed the County's report on 'The Economic Impact of Tourism in Hunterdon County.' It provides some overall perspective regarding the viability of agritourism, should we decide to make it a significant element of the farm project. Shared the report with the Ringoes Village Advisory Committee.
5. Continue to collaborate with Hunterdon County Office of Economic Development which has offered to provide assistance in the production of the farm stand and services map.
6. Conceptualized an initial description of a potential expanded farmers' market and farmers' resource center. Distributed the initial descriptive narrative for review and comment.
7. Went on vacation for 8 days.

Of course, we'll keep you posted.

Cc: Elena Gabel, PP, AICP
Mike Mills
Katherine Fullerton, PP, AICP

- Ag Advisory Committee members
- FOSPC members
- Ringoes Advisory Committee

Marc Saluk, Hunterdon County Economic Development Office
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