

Boards Encourage Support of Agricultural Commission in East Kingston

Following the input/response from residents from the mini-charette in November of 2009 and an August 2010 Exploratory Meeting, the East Kingston Selectmen, Planning Board and Conservation Commission placed a Warrant Article on the ballot in support of the formation of an Agricultural Commission.

This commission, although non-regulatory, would give a voice to the farmers; support agricultural businesses while preserving scenic views; encourage niche markets; help coordinate farmland leasing to local entrepreneurs; and explore the possibility of establishing a farm market and/or community garden.

We ask for your yes vote on Warrant Article 8 at the polls on March 8th.