

PFMA Winter Market Meeting Minutes 11/14/2015  
*Minutes taken by Meg Mitchell*

Market members convened at 1:26PM in Deering Oaks. 16 vendors are present.

Hanne brings to the table two items for discussion.

1. As the Pignatellos will be our landlords in the new winter market location, Lauren can no longer serve as Winter Market manager.

Austin Chadd nominates Meg for Winter Market Manager

Beth Schiller seconds the nomination

No discussion

VOTE: 15 in favor, 1 abstention

2. The new space at 84 Cove St is smaller than we thought. We thought we had 28 spaces, but we only really have 22. Spaces are mostly standard 10x8, with the smallest at 9x7. Sean says the spaces will be bigger than last year and of a "decent size." Our dilemma is whether to let vendors already in the winter market take more than one spot or to let in 3-4 people on the waiting list.

Beth Schiller makes a motion to accept three members on the wait list, and let the 4th in after Kennebec Cheesery leaves post-December.

Joel seconds Beth's motion.

Discussion: Sean says new space isn't quite standardized so it would be possible to make individual agreements on space between vendors. New space might allow for some wiggle room, also might be some kinks to work out.

Only Meg and Scott speak up about wanting more than one spot.

Austin wonders about wanting more than one spot in the future.

Before voting, Meg wants to offer another option to Beth's motion. We could let in 3 vendors on the wait list, then when Kennebec Cheese leaves after December, Scott and Meg could split the vacant spot.

Beth suggests amending the existing motion to reflect these ideas.

The motion is amended and seconded by Joel and Meg.

VOTE: 15 in favor, 1 opposed. The motion is passed.

New spot is at 84 Cove, Sean says Lauren will email everyone about a good time to check the spot.

Someone motions to adjourn the meeting, someone seconds it, meeting is adjourned.