Town of North Stonington, CT HEWITT FARM COMMITTEE

Monday, February 13th 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

Regular Meeting New Town Hall Conference Room

1. **Call to order and attendence:** Acting Chair Deirdre Tavares called the meeting of the Hewitt Farm Committee to order at 4:30PM with members Nita Kincaid, Tim Chokas, Brian Banker and Rick Wood present.

Members Absent: Bob Dunn and Ed Harasimowitz

Guest/Staff Present: Ron Lewis, Diana Hunt, Paul Morrisson

- 2. Additions to the Agenda N/A
- 3. **Community Garden Report –** Diana presented on the 2022 Year End report. Discussed providing the water bills to Diana in order for them to review the usage and bill rate.
- 4. **Hayfield Report –** Ron Lewis presented on the 2022 Hayfields' report and the plans for the 2023 crop year.
- 5. **Meadow Mowing Update –** Meadow mowing complete
- Rec Dept Cabin Discussion Postpone until Ed returns.
- 7. **Rec Dept/HFC Earth Day- Trails -** Postpone until Ed returns
- 8. **Leash Ordinance –** Discussed inviting Brett Mastroianni (No. Stonington Selectman) to a future Hewitt meeting, as he suggested during the No. Stonington townhall that the HFC revisit the leash ordinance at Hewitt, to discuss how it relates to the No. Stonington leash ordinance.
- 9. **Public Comments / Discussion –** Discussed trees dropping bark in the community garden parking area, across from the corn crib.
- 10. **Adjourn –** Meeting was ajourned at 5:07pm

Respectfully submitted Deirdre Tavares