

TOWN OF LEDYARD CONNECTICUT

741 Colonel Ledyard Highway Ledyard, Connecticut 06339

Ledyard Farmers Market Committee ~ AGENDA ~

Regular Meeting

Wednesday, April 3, 2024

5:30 PM

Town Hall Annex - Hybrid Format

In-Person: Council Chambers, Town Hall Annex Building

Remote Participation: Information Noted Below:

Join Zoom Meeting from your Computer, Smart Phone or Tablet:

https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88912146280?pwd=wmuDF8BnLMMxpA6ZdUS4Zabd6ETzyl.1

Or by Audio Only: Telephone: +1 646 558 8656; Meeting ID: 889 1214 6280; Passcode: 369530

- I. CALL TO ORDER
- II. ROLL CALL
- III. RESIDENTS & PROPERTY OWNERS COMMENTS
- IV. PRESENTATIONS / INFORMATIONAL ITEMS
- V. MEMBER COMMENTS
- VI. TREASURERS REPORTS

Financial Reports Fiscal Year 2023/2024

- · Year to Date Report March 26, 2024
- Purchase Orders Report March 26, 2024
- · Open & Closed Purchase Order Report- March 26, 2024

Attachments: FM-YEAR-TO-DATE-REPORT-FYE-2024-03-26.pdf

FM-PURCHASE ORDERS-FYE-2024-03-27.pdf

Open & Closed PO-2024-03-26-A.xlsx

- VII. MARKET MANAGER REPORTS
- VIII. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION to approve the Farmers Market Committee Minutes as follows:

- Regular Meeting Minutes of March 6, 2024
- · Special Meeting Minutes March 20, 2024

Attachments: FARMERS-MIN-2024-03-06-DRAFT.pdf FARMERS-MIN-2024-03-20-DRAFT.pdf

VIII. BUSINESS OF THE MEETING

- 1. General discussion regarding other preparations for the 2024 Farmers' Market.
- 2. MOTION to open new Purchase Orders for the upcoming 2024 Summer Market.
- 3. Discussion and possible action to approve expenditures.
- **4.** Discussion regarding the marking of the Pavilion.
- **5.** MOTION to enter into executive session to review Vendor Applications and Contracts relative to selections for the 2024 Summer Market.
- **6.** MOTION to select Vendors for the 2024 Summer Market.

IX. NEXT MEETING DATE

X. ADJOURNMENT

DISCLAIMER: Although we try to be timely and accurate these are not official records of the Town.



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File #: 24-0305 **Agenda Date:** 4/3/2024 Agenda #:

REPORT

Staff/Committee Report: Financial Reports Fiscal Year 2023/2024

- Year to Date Report March 26, 2024 Purchase Orders Report March 26, 2024
- Open & Closed Purchase Order Report- March 26, 2024



YTD REPORT -FARMERS MRKT-03/26/2024

FOR 2024 12						
ACCOUNTS FOR: 20810201 DONATIO ORIGINAL APPROP	NS/GRANTS EXPENSE TRANS/ADJSMTS	ES REVISED BUDGET	YTD EXPENDED	ENCUMBRANCES	AVAILABLE BUDGET	% USED
54201 FARMERS MARKET						
24201 FARMERS MARKET						
0208-00-1020-00000-54201 -2420 17,109.56	2,545.00	FARMERS MARKET 19,654.56	T 7,184.76	7,015.24	5,454.56	72.2%
TOTAL FARMERS MARKET 17,109.56	2,545.00	19,654.56	7,184.76	7,015.24	5,454.56	72.2%
TOTAL DONATIONS/GRANTS EX 17,109.56	(PENSES 2,545.00	19,654.56	7,184.76	7,015.24	5,454.56	72.2%
TOTAL EXP 17,109.56	PENSES 2,545.00	19,654.56	7,184.76	7,015.24	5,454.56	



YTD REPORT -FARMERS MRKT-03/26/2024

FOR 2	2024 12						
	ORIGINAL APPROP	TRANS/ADJSMTS	REVISED BUDGET	YTD EXPENDED	ENCUMBRANCES	AVAILABLE BUDGET	% USED
	GRAND 17,109.56	7 TOTAL 2,545.00	19,654.56	7,184.76	7,015.24	5,454.56	72.2%

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PURCHASE ORDERS BY GL ACCOUNT

YEAR/PERIOD: 2024/12 Amounts Include Unposted AP Invoice Liquidations

ACCOUNT/VENDOR	PO	YEAR/PER	OPEN LINE AMT	OPEN PO AMT	DESCRIPTION	STATUS
20810201 DONATIONS/GRANTS EXPENSES						
20810201 54201 24201 FARMERS MARK 900293 R & B APPAREL PLUS LLC		2024/01	1,764.00	1,764.00	Farmers Mkt FY	23/24 R& Posted
902139 COPY CATS INC	20240331	2024/01	2,500.00	2,500.00	Farmers Mrkt-	FY 23/24 Posted
903136 PAMELA BALL	20240327	2024/01	750.00	750.00	Farmers Mrkt-	P. Ball - Posted
904608 CWPM LLC	20240321	2024/01	726.24	726.24	Farmers 2023 S	Summer M Posted
904707 NIANTIC CHILDREN'S MUSEUM	20240323	2024/01	275.00	275.00	Farmers 2023 Su	ummer Mrk Posted
905089 ALLISON TROY	20240328	2024/01	1,000.00	1,000.00	Farmers Mrkt A	. Troy Mi Posted
	ACCOUNT	TOTAL	7,015.24	7,015.24		
	20810201 ORG TOTA	\L	7,015.24	7,015.24		



PURCHASE ORDERS BY GL ACCOUNT

YEAR/PERIOD: 2024/12 Amounts Include Unposted AP Invoice Liquidations

ACCOUNT/VENDOR	P0	YEAR/PER	OPEN LINE AMT	OPEN PO AMT DESCRIPTION	STATUS
0208 DONATIONS AND GRANTS	FUND TO	TAL	7,015.24	7,015.24	

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REPORT PO TOTAL



PURCHASE ORDERS BY GL ACCOUNT

YEAR/PERIOD: 2024/12 Amounts Include Unposted AP Invoice Liquidations

ACCOUNT/VENDOR P0 YEAR/PER OPEN LINE AMT OPEN PO AMT DESCRIPTION STATUS 7,015.24

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SUMMARY OF FUNDS

YEAR/PERIOD: 2024/12 Amounts Include Unposted AP Invoice Liquidations

FUNDS	DESCRIPTION	PO TOTAL	GRAND TOTAL	
0208	DONATIONS AND GRANTS	7,015.24	7,015.24	

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PURCHASE ORDERS MARCH 26, 2024 Total Expended to Date \$7,148.76

	Total Experided to							
EFF DATE		PO#		AMOUNT ENCUMBERED		VDR NAME/ITEM DESC		
			Oı	en Purchase	0	orders		
12/26/2023		20240332		1,764.00		R & B APPAREL PLUS LLC		
10/16/2023		20240327		750.00		PAMELA BALL		
10/03/2023		20240321		726.24		CWPM LLC		
06/28/2023		20240328		1,000.00		ALLISON TROY		
08/23/2023		20240323		275.00		NIANTIC CHILDREN'S MUSEUM		
06/28/2023		20240331		2,500.00		COPY CATS		

7,015.24

EFF DATE	PO#		AMOUNT		VDR NAME/ITEM DESC
			PAID		
		C	Closed Purcha	as	e Orders
11/28/2023	20242159		225.00		WILLIAM J BRUNELLE
11/28/2023	20242159		-225.00		WILLIAM J BRUNELLE
10/30/2023	20240341		350.00		JAMES WILLIAM BRUNELLE
10/30/2023	20242159		225.00		WILLIAM J BRUNELLE
09/18/2023	20240324		125.00		JPO PRODUCTIONS LLC
09/06/2023	20240325		300.00		NICHOLAS JOSEPH ROBERT BOSSE
09/06/2023	20240341		350.00		JAMES WILLIAM BRUNELLE
09/06/2023	20240329		200.00		ANNA MAY THOMPSON
08/23/2023	20240322		250.00		DENISON PEQUOTSEPOS NATURE CENTER
08/23/2023	20240324		125.00		JPO PRODUCTIONS LLC
08/08/2023	20240341		350.00		JAMES WILLIAM BRUNELLE
08/08/2023	20240324		125.00		JPO PRODUCTIONS LLC
08/08/2023	20240330		100.00		JEREMY PONGETTI
07/13/2023	20240326		654.00		LAURIANN A. HARY
08/23/2023	20240326		1,200.00		LAURIANN A. HARY
09/06/2023	20240334		500.00		LEDYARD ROTARY
07/26/2023	20240324		125.00		JPO PRODUCTIONS LLC
07/13/2023	20240324		125.00		JPO PRODUCTIONS LLC
07/13/2023	20240329		200.00		ANNA MAY THOMPSON
07/13/2023	20240333		150.00		WILLIAM J. SANTORO

Total Expended

\$7,184.76

5,454.00



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File #: 24-0302 Agenda Date: 4/3/2024 Agenda #:

MINUTES

Minutes:

MOTION to approve the Farmers Market Committee Minutes as follows:

- Regular Meeting Minutes of March 6, 2024
- Special Meeting Minutes March 20, 2024



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LEDYARD FARMERS' MARKET COMMITTEE SPECIAL MEETING

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Roxanne M. Maher (860) 464-3203

HYBRID FORMAT ~ MINUTES~

Wednesday, March 6, 2024

5:30 PM

Annex Meeting Room- Annex Building

DRAFT

I. CALL TO ORDER – The Meeting was called to order by Committee Chairman Pamela Ball at 5:30 p.m.

Chairman Ball welcomed all to the Video Conference Meeting; and she noted that the remote meeting information for the Farmers Market Committee and members of the Public to participate in tonight's meeting was available on the Agenda that was posted on the Town's Website - Granicus-Legistar Meeting Portal.

II. ROLL CALL -

Attendee Name	Title	Status	Location	Arrived	Departed
Pamela Ball	Chairman Pro-tem/Treasurer	Present	In-Person	5:30 pm	7:05 pm
Ellin Grenger	Committee Member	Present	In-Person	5:30 pm	7:05 pm
Sarah Martic	Recording Secretary	Present	In-Person	5;30 pm	7:05 pm
Bill Thorne	Committee Member	Present	In-Person	5:30 pm	7:05 pm
Allison Troy	Committee Member	Absent			
Ehtan Foltz	Committee Member	Present	In-Person	5:30 pm	7:05 pm
Naomi Rodriguez	Town Council Chairman	Present	In-Person	5:30 pm	7:05 pm

III. MEMBER COMMENTS

Ditty Bag, located in Mystic, inquired about having an Informational Booth at the Farmers Market.

IV. TREASURER REPORT

The following Financial Reports were provided. It was noted that there were no changes since the January Reports.

- Year to Date Report February 27, 2024
- Purchase Orders Report February 27 2024
- Open-Closed Purchase Orders Report February 27 2024

V. MARKET MANAGER REPORT -

Market Manager Pam Ball reported that they have received a lot of Vendor Applications. She noted there were 81 returning Vendors and 40 new Vendors were reached by email.

VI. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION to approve the Regular Meeting Minutes of February 1, 2024

Moved by Ms. Ball, seconded by Mr. Thorne.

VOTE: 5 - 0 Approved and so declared

VII. **OLD BUSINESS**

1. Update regarding the status of the proposed "An Ordinance Establishing a Farmers Market for the Town of Ledyard".

Chairman ball noted in accordance with Chapter III; Section 5 of the Town Charter the Town Council scheduled a Public Hearing for March 13, 2024 to receive comments regarding the proposed Ordinance. She stated if the proposed Ordinance is approved that the Members would be comprised of Five Regular Members; and Four Alternate Members, noting that three Regular Members would be a quorum.

RESULT: COMPLETED

2. Update/status regarding access/update/management of the Farmers Market Website and email program.

Chairman Pro tem Ball noted that the Farmers Market's New Website was being done by Christie Kristie Lundgren and that it looked great.

RESULT: COMPLETED

VIII. **NEW BUSINESS**

1. MOTION to elect Pam Ball to serve as the Ledyard Farmers' Market Manager. Moved by Mr. Thorne, seconded by Ms. Grenger

VOTE:

5-0 Approved and so declared

RESULT: 5 - 0 - **APPROVED** [UNANIMOUS] Bill Thorne, Committee Member **MOVER:** SECONDER: Ellin Grenger, Committee Member Ball, Foltz, Grenger, Martic, Thorne **AYES:**

ABSENT: Troy 2. MOTION to close the following Purchase Orders:

> PO #20240326 Lauriann A. Hary

PO #20240334 **Ledyard Rotary**

Jeremy Pognetti PO #20240330

Moved by Ms. Ball, seconded by Mr. Thorne

Discussion: Ms. Ball noted that these Purchase Orders were no longer needed.

VOTE:

5-0 Approved and so declared

RESULT: 5 - 0 - **APPROVED** [UNANIMOUS] **MOVER:** Pam Ball, Committee Chairman **SECONDER:** Bill Thorne, Committee Member **AYES:** Ball, Foltz, Grenger, Martic, Thorne

ABSENT: Troy

3. MOTION to open a new Purchase Order to R&B Apparel in the amount of \$1,000 to purchase T-Shirts for Farmers Market Committee Members as well as any needed signs, banners, table covers, bags or other goods for market use.

for the upcoming 2024 Summer Market. Moved by Ms. Ball, seconded by Mr. Thorne

Discussion: None.

VOTE: 5-0 Approved and so declared

> **RESULT:** 5 – 0 - APPROVED [UNANIMOUS] **MOVER:** Pam Ball, Committee Chairman **SECONDER:** Bill Thorne, Committee Member

> **AYES:** Ball, Foltz, Grenger, Martic, Thorne

ABSENT: Troy

4. Entertainment for the 2024 Farmers Market (entertainment, music, kids activities).

MOTION to appropriate \$2,000 for kids activities which includes a PO for \$1,000 for Allison Troy to buy supplies.

Moved by Mr. Thorne, seconded by Ms. Ball

VOTE: 5-0 Approved and so declared

> **RESULT:** 5 – 0 - APPROVED [UNANIMOUS] Bill Thorne, Committee Member **MOVER: SECONDER:** Pam Ball, Committee Chairman

Ball, Foltz, Grenger, Martic, Thorne **AYES:**

ABSENT: **Troy** 5. Marking of the Pavilion.

The Committee discussed the need to develop a plan to mark the exterior bays for the Vendors to make the spots easy to locate.

RESULT: CONTINUED Next Meeting: 4/3/2024: 5:30 pm

6. MOTION to revise the Farmers' Market Committee's 2024 Regular Meeting Schedule to be the first Wednesday of each month at 5:30 p.m. as follows.

Ledyard Farmers' Market Committee (1st Wednesday; 5:30 p.m. Town Hall Annex Building)

April 3 May 1 June 6[^] July* August* September* October 2 November 6 December 4

January 8, 2025 (moved to second week due to New Year Day Holiday)

Denotes meeting scheduled on Thursday

* Denotes no meeting scheduled

Moved by Ms. Ball, seconded by Mr. Thorne

Discussion: Ms. Ball explained that due to Committee Members' commitments that the first Wednesday of each month would work better than the first Thursday of each month. She noted during the Summer Market that the Committee would not schedule regular meetings, noting that should they need to address an issue, they could schedule a special meeting. She went on to note at this time the Committee would meet on Thursday, June 6, 2024 to review the Summer Market June 5, 2024 Kick-Off with regard to whether any adjustments were needed.

VOTE:

VOTE:

5-0 Approved and so declared

RESULT: 5 – 0 - APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Pam Ball, Committee Chairman
SECONDER: Bill Thorne, Committee Member
AYES: Ball, Foltz, Grenger, Martic, Thorne

ABSENT: Troy

7. MOTION to enter into executive session to review Vendor Applications and Contracts relative to selections for the 2024 Summer Market.

The executive session to include all Farmers' Market Committee Members present and Town Council Chairman Rodriguez

Moved by Ms. Ball, seconded by Ms. Martic

5-0 Approved and so declared

RESULT: 5 – 0 - APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Pam Ball, Committee Chairman

SECONDER: Sarah Martic, Committee Member **AYES:** Ball, Foltz, Grenger, Martic, Thorne

ABSENT: Troy

Entered into executive session at: 6:05 p.m. Came out of executive session at: 6:50 p.m.

8. MOTION to select all returning Vendors for the 2024 Summer Market.

Moved by Ms. Ball, seconded by Ms. Martic

VOTE: 5-0 Approved and so declared

RESULT: 5 – 0 - APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]

MOVER: Pam Ball, Committee Chairman

SECONDER: Sarah Martic, Committee Member

AYES: Ball, Foltz, Grenger, Martic, Troy

ABSENT: Troy

9. General discussion regarding other preparations for the 2024 Farmers' Market.

MOTION to select Bill Thorne as Treasurer with duties to be allocated as follows:

- As Treasurer Mr. Thorne would take on the responsibility for the cash box, checks, and payment of all invoices.
- Committee Chairman Ms. Ball would maintain the PayPal Account.

Moved by Ms. Ball, seconded by Ms. Martic

Discussion: None.

VOTE: 5-0 Approved and so declared

RESULT: 5 – 0 - APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Pam Ball, Committee Chairman
SECONDER: Sarah Martic, Committee Member
AYES: Ball, Foltz, Grenger, Martic, Thorne

ABSENT: Troy

10. General discussion regarding proposed changes to market vendor and food truck application including content, taking applications from previous vendors and taking applications from new vendors.

The Committee noted that the cutoff date for New Vendor Applications was Friday March 15, 2024. They agreed to schedule a Special Meeting on March 20, 2024 to review New Vendor Applications and Food Trucks.

RESULT: CONTINUED Next Meeting: 4/3/2024: 5:30 pm

IX. **NEXT MEETING DATES**

- March 20, 2024 April 3, 2024

XII. **ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION to adjourn meeting at 7:05 p.m. Moved by Ms. Martic, seconded by Mr. Thorne

5 - 0 Approved and so declared VOTE:

Respectfully submitted,

Pamela Ball Committee Chairman



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Ehtan Foltz	Committee Member	Present	In-Person	5:30 pm	6:41 pm

III. BUSINESS OF THE MEETING

1. MOTION to enter into executive session to review Vendor Applications and Contracts relative to selections for the 2024 Summer Market.

The executive session to include all Farmers' Market Committee Members present.

Moved by Ms. Ball, seconded by Ms. Martic

VOTE: 6-0 Approved and so declared

RESULT: 5 – 0 - APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]

MOVER: Pam Ball, Committee Chairman SECONDER: Sarah Martic, Committee Member

AYES: Ball, Foltz, Grenger, Martic, Thorne, Troy

Entered into executive session at: 5:31 Came out of executive session at: 6:35 p.m.

- 2. MOTION to select the following new Vendors for the 2024 Summer Market:
 - ✓ Meechook Farm
 - ✓ Fully Stoked Coffee
 - ✓ Traveling Italian Chef
 - ✓ Spotted Donkey Donuts
 - ✓ Waffle Wagon
 - ✓ Standish Brook Farm
 - ✓ Nana's
 - ✓ Because of Dogs
 - ✓ AJs Pet Treats
 - ✓ D8 creations
 - ✓ Langslow Handmade
 - ✓ Crunchy Diva Designs
 - ✓ Soft Petalz Cosmetics
 - ✓ Sugar Pop Crochet
 - ✓ Beltweaver
 - ✓ Alvinas Farm
 - ✓ Prestige World Woodworks
 - ✓ Full Heart Farm

Moved by Ms. Ball, seconded by Ms. Martic

VOTE:

6-0 Approved and so declared

RESULT: 6 – 0 - APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Pam Ball, Committee Chairman
SECONDER: Sarah Martic, Committee Member

AYES: Ball, Foltz, Grenger, Martic, Thorne, Troy

IV. NEXT MEETING DATE

• April 3, 2024

XII. ADJOURNMENT

MOTION to adjourn meeting at 6:41 p.m.

Moved by Ms. Martic, seconded by Mr. Thorne

VOTE: 6 - 0 Approved and so declared

Respectfully submitted,

Pamela Ball

Committee Chairman



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File #: 24-0080 Agenda Date: 4/3/2024 Agenda #: 1.

AGENDA REQUEST GENERAL DISCUSSION ITEM

Subject:

General discussion regarding other preparations for the 2024 Farmers' Market.

Background:

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Department Comment/Recommendation:



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File #: 24-0213 Agenda Date: 4/3/2024 Agenda #: 2.

FINANCIAL BUSINESS REQUEST (FBR)

Motion/Request:

Discussion and possible action to authorize New Purchase Orders for the 2024 Summer Market.

Background:



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File #: 24-0303 Agenda Date: 4/3/2024 Agenda #: 3.

AGENDA REQUEST GENERAL DISCUSSION ITEM

Subject:

Discussion and possible action to approve expenditures.

Background:

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Department Comment/Recommendation:



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File #: 24-0214 Agenda Date: 3/20/2024 Agenda #: 4.

AGENDA REQUEST GENERAL DISCUSSION ITEM

Subject:

Discussion regarding the marking of the Pavilion.

Background:

(type text here)

Department Comment/Recommendation:



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File #: 24-0223 Agenda Date: 3/20/2024 Agenda #: 5.

AGENDA REQUEST GENERAL DISCUSSION ITEM

Subject:

MOTION to enter into executive session to review Vendor Applications and Contracts relative to selections for the 2024 Summer Market.

Background:

(type text here)

Department Comment/Recommendation:



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File #: 24-0224 Agenda Date: 4/3/2024 Agenda #: 6.

AGENDA REQUEST GENERAL DISCUSSION ITEM

Subject:

MOTION to select Vendors for the 2024 Summer Market.

Background:

(type text here)

Department Comment/Recommendation: