AGRICULTURE AND EXTENSION EDUCATION/FAIR COMMITTEE MEETING Youth & Ag Center, South Room and by Zoom Lancaster, WI

Tuesday August 9, 2022 4:00 p.m.

The meeting was called to order by Committee Chairman Pat Schroeder. Present in person were Chairman Schroeder Joe Mumm, Bob Keeney, Amy Olson, Lori Vesperman, Amanda Cauffman and Jenny Dixon. Present by Zoom were Roger Guthrie, Gary Northouse, Kathy Kopp, Porter Wagner, Charisse Orth and Craig Bierman.

The meeting notice was posted at the Extension Office, Youth & Agriculture Center, Administration Building, on the Grant County website and emailed to media.

Motion by Joe Mumm, seconded by Gary Northouse, to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

Discussion was held on a swine exhibitor who did not identify their own pigs, but did identify two others that did not belong to a family member. It was decided to follow required steps for identification, information that the exhibitor received, and not allow the exhibitor to bring those pigs to the fair. The committee suggested to ask the exhibitor who owned the identified pigs to allow this exhibitor bring one pig to the fair and the owner to bring the other, thus allowing both exhibitors to have a pig to sell in the livestock auction.

Discussion was held on an exhibitor who asked to bring a beef to the fair that was identified by someone who was not a family member. They didn't feel they should bring the beef they identified themselves due to safe handling issues. It was decided by the committee to follow required steps for identification and not allow the exhibitor to bring the beef to the fair that was not identified by their own family.

Motion by Roger Guthrie, seconded by Porter Wagner to adjourn.

Adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

Kathy Kopp Secretary

Lori Vesperman Recording Secretary