

**AGRICULTURAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE
2018 WORK PLAN
(as of January 2018)**

Project/Initiative	Background	Lead/ Responsible	Proposed Timeline	Proposed Budget	Link to Strategic Plan	Status
Work with the London and Middlesex Food Policy Council (LMFPC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Invite the LMFPC to speak at a 2018 AAC meeting 	AAC Team	January- Dec		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The London Plan (Food System) – draft • London and Middlesex Food Policy Council - new 	
Work with associated entities to assist with the development agribusiness in London	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • work with interested parties (ex. London Economic Development Corporation (LEDC) to discuss agribusiness (ex. plant processing, food production, food chains) • AAC would like to promote the development and securing of plant processing, food chains and food production • Invite LEDC to present on the agribusiness sector 	AAC Team	January			
Review City of London Land lease agreements for agriculture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review City of London standard farmland/agriculture land lease agreements to provide feedback 	Steve	Jan-Dec			
Plowing Championship for 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review the bid for the 2018 plowing championship 	AAC Team	Jan-Feb			
Bees Act	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Send a letter to the Minister of Agriculture to ask when the next consultation for reviewing and revising the Bees Act is • Review Bees Act and provide feedback for updates 	AAC Team	Jan-June			
Western Fair District	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review western fair/casino rental information • Re-invite a member of the Western Fair to present on WF agriculture work 	AAC Team	April – Dec			

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Review Committee Terms of Reference	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Re-examine the AAC TOR to see who is supposed to sit on AAC 	AAC Team	April – Dec			
Explore supporting a speaker or conference in 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be open to supporting a conference or a speaker in 2018 	AAC Team	August-Nov 2018	\$500		
Farm Tour 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Invite AAC, City Councillors, London Youth Advisory Council and others to a farm tour in 2018 	Steve	July-August 2018	\$500		