

RUTLAND
CO-OP

26th ANNUAL MEETING

Chat Transcript - Rutland Co-op 26th Annual Meeting - via Zoom 9/16/2020

- 00:34:36 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** Welcome Everyone! Please feel encouraged to drop your questions & concerns here, in the chat!
- 00:39:33 **Amy Moore:** I have my volume up all the way and can barely hear... sorry! just wanted to say
- 00:40:07 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** Thanks for letting us know, Amy. We will work on it.
- 00:40:43 **Amy Moore:** thanks!
- 00:41:04 **Justin Jankus:** It might help if she gets closer to her mic.
- 00:44:18 **Justin Jankus:** Curious who the other Justin Jankus is! -Justin Jankus, Marketing Manager
- 00:45:01 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** board@rutlandcoop.com is the best way to contact the Board of Directors
- 00:45:24 **Justin Jankus:** Still not loud enough.
- 00:45:32 **Amy Moore:** can't hear at all :(
- 00:47:21 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** Thanks for the feedback, we will work on it!
- 00:49:30 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** You can also find the contact information for RAFC management on the website: <https://rutlandcoop.com/departments/>
- 00:53:45 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** Any questions coming up? Remember to write them here and we'll make sure they get answered
- 00:54:21 **Justin Jankus:** Volume got better with Chris. Thank you!
- 00:55:10 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** Thanks everyone for your patience with the volume!
- 01:01:34 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** Any other questions? Drop them here!
- 01:02:38 **Justin Jankus:** Is our bulk session going to be restored to its former glory as the Covid situation evolves?
- 01:03:17 **Justin Jankus:** I just want to be clear, this last chat was not from me, Justin Jankus Marketing Manager
- 01:03:38 **Justin Jankus:** Not sure who signed in with my name, so weird!
- 01:04:01 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** Real Justin Jankus— there are 4 of you. I'm not sure how that happened, but wanted you to be aware.
- 01:05:40 **Justin Jankus:** Never knew I was that popular
- 01:06:10 **Justin Jankus:** Does my name show as Justin Jankus?
- 01:06:24 **Justin Jankus:** Yes Indeedy not Justin Jankus!

01:08:18 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** NCG = National Co+Op Grocers

01:08:45 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** Check it out here: <https://www.ncg.coop>

01:09:15 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** As Melissa mentioned, you can read past Board meeting minutes here: <https://rutlandcoop.com/about/our-board/>

01:17:46 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** Continue to pop your questions in the chat!

01:21:12 **Justin Jankus:** Any idea why the moths have become such a huge problem this year as opposed to the past 20+ years? (This is Rosemary, not Justin Jankus.)

01:24:04 **Justin Jankus:** When I worked at the co-op one of our strategies was keeping moth traps in the bulk area.

01:25:01 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** We will make sure TJ and the team knows that. Thank you so much!

01:26:08 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** Please contact: board@rutlandcoop.com for access to our virtual board meetings

01:26:46 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** Reminder: you can read past Board meeting minutes here <https://rutlandcoop.com/about/our-board/>

01:27:19 **Justin Jankus:** Rosemary appreciates you all! So grateful for RAFC!

01:27:42 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** Is your interested piqued?! We are always looking for friendly folks to join the Board of Directors! Email us for more info

01:28:23 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** Contact information for RAFC management is on the website: <https://rutlandcoop.com/departments/>

01:29:23 **Jess Venable-Novak (they/them):** Thank you Member Owners! We appreciate you!

01:30:56 **Hannah Abrams:** Thank you to everyone involved with the Rutland Food Coop. It's been an amazing six years of service on the Board.

01:31:14 **Justin Jankus:** Bye everyone!

01:31:14 **Hannah Abrams:** Thank you Melissa!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

01:31:16 **Justin Jankus:** Thank you everyone for attending!