MOSCOW FOOD CO-OP

General Manager FYI

June 1, 2017
No action needed

1. Health Inspection
   → Based on the recommendations from the health inspector, we've ordered and installed a blast chiller in the kitchen. This piece of equipment will cool large volumes of food fast.
2. Patronage Dividends
   → Dividends for 2016 can be distributed at any time. Management is proposing that we distribute them beginning on August 1st rather than waiting until September 15th as we have in the past.
3. Tuesday Growers Market
   → Similar to the arrangement we made last year, the Co-op is partnering with Palouse Grown Market to coordinate the Tuesday Growers Market.
   → This year, PGM made arrangements to hold the market in the Tri-State parking lot. The Co-op is contributing participating owners and marketing support.
   → The market runs June through September on Tuesdays
4. Co-op on Campus
   → Everything went well with Planning & Zoning. They'll send a recommendation to the City Council to change the zoning. This should go before the City Council on June 19th.
5. Composters
   → Due to multiple complaints about the smell the composters generate, we're working on an alternative solution that would enable us to relocate the composters while still composting our food waste.
   → We are having a conversation with PCEI about locating both composters on their property.