

CENTRAL MASSACHUSETTS MOSQUITO CONTROL PROJECT

MINUTES OF THE COMMISSIONERS MEETING

DATE: September 14, 1989
TIME: 12:00 Noon
PLACE: Davco Farm

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Present: Malcolm Henry, Ray Davis, Frank Perrin, David Scott,
Richard Day

1. The minutes of the preceeding meeting of August 10, 1989 were unanimously approved.

2. The following payrolls were unanimously approved:

8/12/89	\$8004.29	8/19/89	\$7650.20
8/26/89	7612.93	9/2/89	6841.89
9/9/89	6786.66		

3. Invoices amounting to \$13,027.81 and \$1,111.62 were unanimously approved.

4. Light traps indicating severe infestation of Aedes vexans, greater than the spring broods. It is a small mosquito with a vicious appetite for blood. All our summer help gone; routine adulticiding ceased last of August. Handling requests with our Mist Blower.

We are doing larviciding and as much adulticiding as possible. Our Water Management crew is in operation which is preceded by a crew brushing out. We need a good frost to rid us of the mosquito problem.

5. Mr. George Zoto has been appointed to the Reclamation Board by the Commissioner of D.E.P., Daniel S. Greenbaum.

6. Our budget seemingly stands for FY90 at \$611,936.00 plus \$16,000 from Wilmington.

7. We have need for a Back Hoe Operator and one more field worker, but there are no funds available for hiring.

8. Bruce Carville, a former employee, had a second hearing at the Unemployment Bureau. He was turned down.

9. Natick has an article in the Town Meeting Warrant to join. Their assessment would be about \$26,000.00.

10. \$500.00 paint damage settlement to Ed Storonsky's car was refused; employee wishes to have his insurance company adjuster establish the damage cost to restore the car.

11. Our IHC truck is to have a rebuilt motor installed, along with a clutch and transmission job, cost approximately \$3,000.00.
12. Schedule for NMCA given to each Commissioner - to be held in Pittsfield, October 2nd, 3rd, and 4th, 1989.
13. It was unanimously voted to have the Chairman write a letter to our cities and towns advising them of the possible increase in costs for 1990 mosquito control. He will wait until we have all the facts and figures.
14. Next meeting October 19, 1989
15. Meeting adjourned 1:50 P.M.

APPROVED:

Malcolm C. Henry

Malcolm C. Henry, Chairman
C.M.M.C.P.