

CENTRAL MASSACHUSETTS MOSQUITO CONTROL PROJECT

MINUTES OF THE COMMISSIONERS MEETING

DATE: April 18, 1991
TIME: 12:00 Noon
PLACE: Davco Farm, Southborough, MA

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Present: Frank Perrin, Stephen Henry, Jeffrey Bean, Richard Day,
Ray Davis, David Scott

1. The minutes of the March 14, 1991 Commissioners Meeting were reviewed and approved by unanimous vote.

2. The following payrolls were unanimously approved:

3/16/91	\$6605.32	3/23/91	\$6303.98
3/30/91	\$6246.40	4/6/91	\$6625.80
4/13/91	\$7111.50		

3. Total invoices amounting to \$6515.25 unanimously approved.

4. Re-draft of the Audubon Bill was discussed and there was no significant difference over the first bill. All Commissioners expressed a very negative attitude toward this bill as has been expressed in writing previous to re-draft.

House Bill 4740 is acceptable.

House Bill 2843 is another fairly well written bill.

5. David has worked out the Fire Alarm system to the satisfaction of the Fire Chief's wishes and awarded the contract to Minuteman Fire Systems to furnish and install the system.

6. EEE Mass Board of Health: a formal plan is being generated.

7. EEE "CMMCP" Style: all possibilities with contacts and prices to do an air spray in our towns have been explored, and David stands ready if we should have an EEE outbreak to make the necessary contacts and get quick action. Our area has been observed by the people who can apply the air spray using twin engine fixed wing jobs and a chopper for small areas.

8. Southboro voted to stay in the Project. David and his people saturated the voters who attended Town Meeting. There were 580 first class letters mailed out to residents of the Town of Southboro, of which each Commissioner received a copy prior to mailing.

8a. Lunenburg has in its Town Warrant an Article to vote out of CMMCP. The Town Meeting is 5/4/91.

9. Groton has in its Town Warrant an Article to vote out of the CMMCP - Article 10 - recommended by the Finance Committee.
10. Holliston Earth Day Fair - Sunday, April 12 from noon until 4PM will be attended by Tim Deschamps and David Scott with video, slide show, and talk by David.
11. Stow Board of Health meeting - considering rejoining the Project.
12. AMCA meeting and NJMCA meeting were interesting and much was gleaned about other operations; time was well spent.
13. Water Management still underway; doing excellent work in Westboro, Northbridge, and going next to Littleton. Light traps all set and ready to go. Some adults are on the wing already.
14. P.R. - Some discussion, no decision. We need to keep our P.R. in front of the public - "it's a 365 day job", and so is mosquito control.
15. Chelmsford Air Spray - before leaves use Abate 2E liquid
- after leaves are out go with Granules.
16. Natick Air Spray - hopefully will treat large swamp areas. End of this week before the foliage comes out any further.
17. Mass. Audubon Society has requested copies of our 1989 and 1990 Annual Reports.
18. Next Meeting May 16, 1991.
19. Meeting Adjourned 2:10 P.M.

APPROVED:



Chairman
C.M.M.C.P.