CENTRAL MASSACHUSETTS MOSQUITO CONTROL PROJECT

MINUTES OF THE COMMISSIONERS MEETING

DATE:

August 20, 1992

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TIME:

12:00 Noon

PLACE:

Davco Farm, Southborough, MA

PRESENT:

Frank Perrin, Ray Davis, David Scott, Jeffrey Bean,

Stephen Henry

1. The minutes of the July 16, 1992 Commissioners Meeting were unanimously approved.

2. The following payrolls were unanimously approved:

7/18/92	\$7830.16	7/25/92	\$7760.20
8/1/92	\$7737.35	8/8/92	\$7970.00
8/15/92	\$7970.00		• 2500000 JUNE 9000 90 900900000

- 3. Invoices amounting to \$12,846.52 were unanimously approved.
- 4. FY Budget was signed by the Governor for \$563,430.00
- 5. Encephalitis virus is developing in some areas none in our area yet but some HJ virus as close as Bedford, so if it continues to appear our control will increase within our towns.
- 6. The recent heavy rain, if followed by hot weather, may bring off a much larger hatch of mosquitoes and if EE virus is to show up and become a problem we will take effective steps to deal with the problem at that time. At present our limited adulticiding is working our just fine. Larviciding seems to be very effective so far. Artificial pools and other breeding sites are expected to produce a large hatch within the next two weeks.
- 7. Water Management is going forward and while a small amount of doover water management was necessary due to the extremely heavy rain at the Marlboro job, we should finish this job within a week or ten days.
- 8. David said the Video was coming along very well and he expects to have it for viewing at our next meeting.
- 9. David gave us a new flyer "Mosquitoes" an excellent piece of work which has been circulated to the towns that are in our project. Perhaps this flyer could be mailed to the towns that have voted out.
- 10. No action on Legislation. They are in informal session.
- 11. Old Business: Radio tower in Harvard is again functional; however, radios and equipment need maintenance work. Perhaps it's better to go to mobile phone systems in each vehicle. It may be more economical to have mobile phones than radios.

- 12. New Business: It was voted to invite the three members of the Reclamation Board to join with us at the October 8th meeting to get acquainted. Location to be decided either Davco Farm or headquarters in Northboro.
- 13. Meeting adjourned 1:30 P.M.
- 14. Next Meeting September 10, 1992 at Davco Farm

APPROVED:	Frank Verun	Chairman