

CENTRAL MASSACHUSETTS MOSQUITO CONTROL PROJECT

MINUTES OF THE COMMISSIONERS MEETING

DATE: June 23, 1994  
TIME: 11:00 A.M.  
PLACE: Davco Farm, Southborough, MA

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PRESENT: Frank Perrin, Ray Davis, David Scott, Jeffrey Bean,  
Richard Day

1. The minutes of the May 19, 1994 Commissioners Meeting were unanimously approved.

2. The following payrolls were unanimously approved:

5/21/94	\$7919.24	5/28/94	\$7929.03
6/4/94	\$8069.38	6/11/94	\$7585.39
6/18/94	\$7520.24		

3. Invoices amount to \$28, 491.13 were unanimously approved. Included was a new short block for our aging IHC truck and resmethrin purchases. BTi will be next month.

4. Finished Water Management in Shrewsbury besides being busy removing and re-installing a new motor in IHC. Adulticiding is underway.

5. David said old tires are one of the worst breeders and it's hard to get inside a tire to treat them.

6. The paging system is working well. A price war is going on and it will soon be settled. Future plans will be explored as to getting rid of our two-way radios and go to car phones. A paging system with car phone should be the better route for us.

7. School is out and our school educational program is finished for the year.

8. The Town of Stow voted out in 1981 and in June, 1994 they voted back into our project. This increases our budget about \$18,500.

9. The Town of Blackstone voted to join our project which increases our budget by approximately \$12,000.

10. There are other towns very interested in joining our project. There was discussion and a willingness to accept a couple of towns per year; we couldn't handle any more without a boost in our budget.

Just adding towns, while it does increase our budget, also increases our cost of operations and will call for additional trained personnel. You don't pick trained personnel off of bushes. It takes time and money to get the kind of people needed to do a professional job of mosquito control.

11. Pay Scale was reviewed and it was unanimously voted to:

1. Grant three employees a step raise.
2. Give all employees a 3% cost of living increase.
3. Give all employees a 2% merit raise; this to be at the Superintendent's discretion.
4. A unanimous separate vote was to give David a 3% cost of living raise and a 2% merit raise.

12. David's letter to Mrs. Hate-a-Bug living in Mosquitoville was circulated and approved with a suggestion that adjacent towns that presently have our services be mentioned so as to let them know they would be adjacent to an already organized mosquito control project.

13. Meeting adjourned 1:35 p.m.

14. Next Meeting - July 21, 1994

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_



Chairman  
C.M.M.C.P.