Board of Health
Meeting Minutes
July 19, 1988

Present: Ellen Foberg, George Riggan, Marion Boggs, Melissa Quinn

The meeting was called to order at 7:12 p.m.

William Foster came in to talk about his excavation on Zoar Road. After a lengthy discussion, Mr. Foster accepted the suggestion of the Board that an inspection of the site be made by the Board of Health, James Williams, and John Brickett with reference to the possibility of the requirement of a curtain drain. Mrs. Foberg will contact all the above mentioned parties and arrange a time and date.

Mr. Foster reported (in his capacity as Building Inspector) that he had received a complaint that the Rowe Camp is using the old infirmary as housing, and the septic system serving that building is malfunctioning. It was noted that the building had been condemned some time ago for structural defects. Mr. Foster will look into the matter.

Mrs. Foberg reported that an inquiry had been made by Martha Rice regarding requirements for year round residence in a camp on Potter Road. A letter was sent to Ms. Rice, (c/o Norma Brown) stating that year round residence is not possible without an approved septic system and potable water. Use of the structure as a camp is restricted as to length of time for occupancy in a each year.

Edgerton Miles came in to discuss his property on Stone Hill Road. Mrs. Foberg reported that after consultation with Town Counsel his recommendation was that Mr. Miles could have a curtain drain installed above a site for a new percolation test to be performed at a later time, during a regular percolation test season. The curtain drain would have to be designed by an engineer. The cost of the drain was estimated by John Brickett to be approximately $1000.

Mrs. Foberg, Mr. Riggan and Pete Brown (Road Superintendent) inspected the proposed site of the new stump dump. There is no way to access the site from the side. Mrs. Foberg obtained an oral estimate from Guthrie Fence Company for 180 feet of chain link fence, installed, with a 20 foot cantilevered gate, at a cost of $3,999.00. A representative of Guthrie Fence will inspect the site with Pete Brown. A schedule of hours for the dump to be open will need to be determined at a later date.

Water sample test results were received for the beach, the pitcher pump, the school, Town Hall and Avery fountain. All were satisfactory.

The meeting adjourned at 8:00 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Melissa S. Quinn, Clerk

Approved:

Ellen L. Foberg

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