Board of Health
Meeting Minutes
May 30, 1989

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

The meeting was called to order at 7:18 P.M.

A memo was received from Marion Boggs regarding the Franklin County Solid Waste Management District. (see attached)

Percolation test results from May 30th are as follows:

Stone Hill Road (Mackie) Map 11, Lot 10	Three (3) tests performed ALL THREE FAILED
Cross Road (Danek) Map 11, Lot 24	FAILED
Cyrus Stage Road (Pollander) Map 11, Lot 115	PASSED (1 " in 8 min.)
Steele Brook Road (Veber) Map 10, Lot 25	No test done, road frontage insufficient (less than 250 feet)

An inspection was conducted at property currently owned by Michael Quinn (Cyrus Stage Road, Map 11, Lot 117). It was determined that there is only one suitable location for a house site, and that is in the same area as the successful percolation test, therefore the spot where the septic system must be constructed. There was not sufficient room on the lot for both the house and the system while at the same time keeping within the limitations of the Board of Health regulations, (Town By-Law Book, Page 23, Sewage System Construction, "In-ground sewage systems shall be located ... greater than seventy-five (75) feet from and property boundary line:.)

An inspection of the septic system was attempted for the second time at the home of Vaughn Tower on Leshure Road. Mr. Tower was not at home, and no inspection was possible. (Map 11, Lot 37)

The plan for a septic system (for grey water only) to accompany an application for a disposal works construction permit for Rowe Camp and Conference Center was received. (Map 5, Lot 27) The application was approved unanimously. The original was sent to John Brickett, with one copy going to the file with the plan and a copy going to the Rowe Camp.

The meeting adjourned at 7:40 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Melissa S. Quinn, Clerk

Approved:

Ellen L. Foberg

Ellen L. Foberg, Chairman

George A. Riggan

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Marion W. Boggs

MEMORANDUM FOR THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Subject: Transition to Franklin County Solid Waste Management District

It is anticipated that the above-named district, which Rowe has joined, will come into existence on June 30, 1989, under the terms of the District Agreement.

The governing body of the district is a District Committee composed of representatives of the member towns apportioned according to population. The representatives are to be appointed by the "executive body" of each town for a two-year term. Rowe has one representative to be appointed by the Board of Selectmen. "All appointments shall be in writing signed by the respective Executive Body or its chairman, and presented to the Secretary of the District."

During the planning stage, Rowe has been represented by a committee appointed by the Moderator. In view of the probable early establishment of the District, no new appointments replacing resigned members of the Rowe committee need be made, and as of June 30 the committee functions and appointments should be regarded as lapsed.

The Board of Selectmen should during the first weeks of June seek to recruit a candidate for appointment as the Rowe representative on the District Committee.The logical representative would be the chairman of the Rowe Board of Health.

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Marion W. Boggs
May 29, 1989