Board of Health
Meeting Minutes
September 17, 1991

Present: Douglas Corarito, Leonard Laffond, Melissa Quinn
Absent: James O'Brien

The meeting was called to order at 7:50 P.M.

Chairman Corarito reported that he had contacted the Massachusetts Department of Fisheries and Wildlife regarding a health problem at the Rowe School playground created by Canada Goose droppings. One of several recommendations offered for discouraging the geese was firing "shell crackers"* to frighten the flock away. Six of these "shell crackers" were dropped off at the Town Hall, and have since been given to the School Custodian. Arrangements will be made for their use, if necessary, at his discretion.

Chairman Corarito also spoke to Nurse Dianne Rode relative to a complaint from the Council on Aging. She has agreed that, in the future, she will conduct her nursing duties in the privacy of her office.

It was noted that Richard Tower is keeping a count on the number of tires disposed of at the Refuse Garden. This information will be used in determining how to best dispose of tires after they are no longer accepted in the landfill.

The meeting adjourned at 8:05 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Melissa S. Quinn

Approved:

Douglas C. Corarito

James E. O'Brien

Leonard J. Laffond

*These are 12 gauge shotgun shells loaded with a bulldog firecracker. They are NOT intended to harm the geese, only to frighten them away and discourage them from returning.