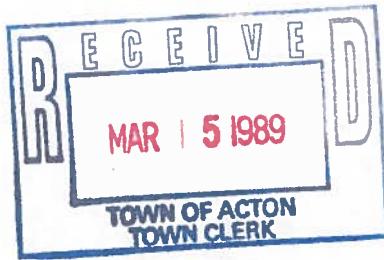


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BOARD OF HEALTH WORKSHOP
JANUARY 30, 1989

The meeting opened at 7:45 P.M. Board members present were Chairman George Emmons, Joseph Glannon, Gerhard Heinrich, and Marilyn Hotch. Staff present were Health Director Doug Halley, Health Officer Jose Albors, and Secretary Sheryl Howe.

The first order of business was to elect a Vice Chairman. The Board also decided there will be an election once a year. Ms. Hotch made a motion to nominate Mr. Glannon. Mr. Heinrich seconded. All were in favor.

A mention was made as to getting a fifth member added to the Board.

The Board members decided on assigning each member primary responsibilities for a group of issues. Ms. Hotch chose Groundwater including Groundwater Protection, Water Supply (Public + Private Swimming Pools), and Solid Waste Disposal (Recycling and Compacting). Mr. Glannon chose Sanitation Standards, including Housing (asbestos, lead paint, complaints), Food Service, Dumpsters, Domestic Animals, and Rabies Clinic. Mr. Emmons chose Sanitary Waste including Septage Disposal (Upper Blackstone + Greater Lawrence), Septage Management, Sanitary Sewage (Septic Systems + Treatment Plants), Maynard Sludge, South Acton + Kelley's Corner sewers. Mr. Heinrich opted for Hazardous Materials including Hazardous Material Storage, W.R. Grace, 21E + Superfund, Hazardous Waste Day, and Local Emergency Planning.

Each Board member took a turn to discuss what they thought should be given special attention.

Mr. Glannon: 1. Temporary aquifer regulations made permanent.
2. Rewrite hazardous material Bylaw
3. Recycling

Mr. Heinrich 1. Rewrite hazardous material bylaw
2. recombinant DNA
3. Wood stove emissions
4. lead paint

Ms. Hotch 1. Sewerage Treatment Plant

Mr. Emmons 1. Aquifer Protection bylaw - Mr. Emmons would like to enact permanent regulations by March
2. Revise Septic System portion of codes.
3. Rewrite Hazardous Material bylaws
4. Animal Regulations
a. conditions in which they are kept.
b. disposal of manure
c. protect the people who work there

GROUNDWATER PROTECTION DISTRICT

The proposed zoning articles were presented before the Board of Health. The Board would like to make sure the people are aware of the groundwater protection. The Board discussed accepting zones 1-3. Finally, the Board decided they should draw up their own regulations and if they are ready before the Town Meeting then they will be presented. Discussions ensued as to the possibility of having Mr. Bartl Planning Director come to a meeting so all Board members could contribute to the proposed zoning articles. Comments on a few of the articles were made as to some word changes. The Board decided they would like to spend some more time to think about this. Mr. Glannon made a motion to adopt and post the Tier II list from the E.P.A. published in volume 52 of the Federal Register for April 22, 1987 on page 13,397 as its list of Hazardous Materials for which a storage permit must be obtained under section 32 even though stored in quantities less than 25 gallons liquid volume or 25 pounds. Mr. Heinrich seconded. All were in favor.

New Fees

The Health Department recommends that the following amendments be made to the fee schedule.

Application for Soil Testing

percolation tests	\$30.00 per hole
deep tests	\$15.00 per hole
(applicant must pay \$120.00 fee prior to testing and must pay for additional testing prior to issuance of disposal permit.)	

Disposal Works Installers Fee	\$100.00
Commercial Haulers	\$50.00
Sewerage Transporter	\$50.00
Public or Semi Public Swimming Pools	\$100.00

Eliminate "catering fee"

Frozen Dessert	\$30.00
Sundries	\$25.00
Milk + Cream	\$10.00
Mobile Food Service	\$30.00

Sewerage Treatment Plant operating permit	\$5.00 per 1000 gal
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Ms. Hotch seconded. All were in favor.

Mr. Glannon made a motion to adjourn at 10:25 P.M. All were in favor.

Respectfully Submitted,

S. Howe

Sheryl Howe, Secretary

Signed and Approved,

G. Emmons

George Emmons, Chairman