

TOWN OF DURHAM

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BOARD OF SELECTMEN'S MEETING June 22, 1978

Members present: Gregory G. Curtis, Lewis G. Hinman, Jr., Betty C. Wakeman, William A. Moore (Elijah Vance came in later)

Minutes of previous meeting approved. 3-0

Correspondence: Thank you note from the Durham Cooperative nursery for use of the town green for the Kiddie Kapers;

Letter from Mr. Williamson complaining about the noise of motorcycles near his home. The letter will be considered along with other problems in town by the Public Safety Study Committee just appointed.

Report on the actions taken by the Conservation Commission: they have approved the use of the Seward Road site for use as a septic lagoon and assigned the responsibility for its supervision to the Board of Selectmen. The DEP has it in their hands at the moment. Discussion of the height of fence needed seemed to settle on a 4' fence as being adequate. The commission also approved the concept of presenting an ordinance to the town restricting the use of alcohol in the Recreation area and on the White's Farm property.

Report and discussion on the Town Engineer Selection Committee. Met jointly with the Board of Selectmen on Monday and again on Wednesday. The revised job description was reviewed and the ads will be placed in the papers this weekend.

Treasurer's report: Board was advised that we might not need to borrow more than \$20,000 for end-of-fiscal year cash flow problem.

Discussion of the request from a Wheeler Hill Drive resident to look into the problem of the spreading of chicken manure by a neighboring farmer. Mr. Curtis will check further.

Mr. Vance requested that the Board of Selectmen contact the Board of Education with the suggestion that speeding limits be posted for the school parking area as some incidents of speeding in the area have been observed by the constables. Mr. Curtis said he would call the school.

Mr. Curtis reported that the highway vehicle had been purchased for \$500. This will be used by Robert Reilly, Road Foreman, to release the pickup truck for use of the crew. After further discussion Mr. Hin-

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