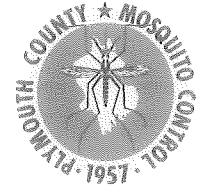


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COMMISSIONER'S MEETING MINUTES

On Wednesday, July 25, 2018 the Commissioners of the Plymouth County Mosquito Control Project held their monthly meeting at Project Headquarters in Kingston at 10:00 am. All Commissioners were present, along with Supt. Steve Gillett, Asst. Supt./Pilot Ross Rossetti, Community Liaison Dan Daly and Admin. Assistant Denise Deluca. There were no members of the public present.

Chairman Kenney called the meeting to order at 10:02 am.

Project Administration

The minutes of the June 27, 2018 meeting were reviewed and approved as written.

Expenses for the last period were reviewed, with no issues noted.

Commissioner's Reports – Commissioner Drinan again noted her continued appropriate interactions on social media towards promoting the Project for nuisance spraying.

Superintendent's Report/Monthly Review

No update on new facility

Several end of fiscal year reports were prepared and sent as required.

Year to date spray requests are at 10, 978, up 1500 from same time last year.

No West Nile Virus or EEE found in Plymouth County yet this season.

Water Management - Since our last meeting, larval sites checked totaled 951 and basins treated totaled 13,756. Total basins treated for the season stands at 34,687.

Machine digging was carried out in Middleboro on Clay St., in Plympton on Churchill Rd. and in West Bridgewater on North Elm St., for a total of 660 linear feet.

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Mid-Season Entomologist Report - low counts so far for the EEE vectors, with slightly higher counts in the towns in the southern part of the county but low overall compared to past years.

Community Liaison

Dan will be at the Marshfield Farmer's Market this Friday, July 27, with literature and poster board on an easel. Permission granted by the organizers after much communication back and forth.

He is waiting on the Hingham Farmer's Market (held on Saturdays) and a couple other towns, and is also waiting to hear back from the Marshfield Fair.

He was interviewed recently on WATD and will be going back for a second engagement.

Other Business/Comment - None

Public Comment/Input - None

Our next meeting will be at 10:00 am on Wednesday, August 22, 2018.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:40 am.

Respectfully submitted,


John Sharland, Secretary