Essex Conservation Commission

December 4, 2001 - Minutes

Present: Edwin Perkins, Chairman, Wallace Bruce, Stephen Gersh, Philip Lake.

Meeting called to order at 7:40 p.m.

<u>David Palmer of Bark Tech, Lynn,</u> met with the Board to make a presentation on the use of compost/mulch for erosion and sediment control. He submitted brochures to the Board explaining the benefits of using compost for erosion control.

Cliff Ageloff, a member of the <u>Board of Health</u>, met with the Board to discuss a complaint he had recieved from George French concerning the Butler farm on Milk Street and storage of manure. C. Ageloff said he just wanted to let the Commission know that the manure pile is well outside of the 100 foot buffer zone, 400 feet from a public water supply, and 400 feet from a potable water source.

Engineer Clay Morin, together with Fang Liaw of the <u>Essex Fortune Palace Restaurant</u>, 99 <u>Main Street</u>, met with the Board to discuss the property owner's wish to do some re-grading and to hot top the rear of the parking area.

S. Gersh submitted the new format for the Order of Conditions to the Board.

Thomas Prentiss - The Selectmen have not, as yet, received a formal letter stating that he wishes to resign from the Commission. S. Gersh wondered if a letter could be sent to the Selectmen stating that T. Prentiss had verbally said he would resign, but after repeated attempts, the Board has not been able to get a written letter from him.

S. Gersh moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by W. Bruce, with the Board voting unanimously in favor.

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Prepared by:

Gillian B. Palumbo / Administrative Clerk

Attest: