

SELECTMEN'S MEETING

Sept. 29, 1983

Three Selectmen and secretary present.

At 7:30 pm the Selectmen met with Road Agent, Almus Chancey and Land-fill custodian, George Houghton to try to resolve the problem of a complaint from the State regarding their opinion that the dump is not being compacted properly. The manner in which it is being done was described by the Road Agent, i.e. the area is covered and the machinery packs it by driving over the area.

The pile of metal and brush pile were also of concern. Sel. Olson opined that perhaps the Fire Dept. could use the brush pile for fire practice. This idea met with approval. There seemed to be the opinion that perhaps another custodian should be hired for Saturdays to oversee this area. Mr. Houghton agreed to this and offered to approach Joseph Thompson and offer the job to him. Mr. Houghton also advised that he has a man coming next week to remove the pile of metal. He also suggested that a notice be put in the "BETTER TIMES" informing people where to dump certain articles and enforcing a fine to anyone who abuses the law.

Mr. Houghton complained that he had withheld brooms, shovels, chairs and wood for his own use at the dump and it was all buried and impacted. Sel. Mansfield assured him this was not done with malice but due to a lack of communication between custodian and impactor

Sel. Olson then reported to the Road Agent that there had been many complaints about the condition of certain gravel roads. People were ruining car springs because of pot holes. It was agreed there would be better grading to prevent this.

Regarding the Landfill itself, the problem seems to be the open ends and the sloping. Care will be taken in these areas.

Building Permits were approved to Larry Yost, Philip Duke and Bruce Fillmore and George O. St. John.

Gravel Permit was approved to Manchester Redimix.

Pistol Permits approved to Gary Briggs and James Fowler.

Meeting adjourned at 11:00 pm.