

Town of Hampton Mosquito Control Committee

August 14, 2007

Minutes of Meeting August 14, 2007

Attendees:

Ann Kaiser

Russ Bernstein

Rich Reniere

The meeting was called to order at 5:30pm.

Due to the Selectmen's request for another year of level funding, we decided to put the same amount into our budget as we have done the last two years: \$60,000. The estimate of the total cost of larvaciding, adulticiding and greenhead trap maintenance and placement is \$110,000. Therefore, we agreed unanimously to draft another warrant article for the remaining \$50,000.

Rich asked if the state's reimbursement could be figured in to reduce the amount requested. We discussed that the definition of a reimbursement implies that we have to allocate and spend the money before we get anything back. Therefore, the entire amount must be approved and, if we get any reimbursement, it would go to the general fund. Regarding the state reimbursement, Ann said that surveillance is not reimbursable, so Dragon had to itemize it in their bill. However, the state requires surveillance in order to justify the deployment of chemicals. Ann volunteered to make some inquiries to see if the rule can be changed.

Motion to adjourn at 6:00pm.