Board of Sewer Commissioners
Minutes of May 10, 2011
Bourne Veteran's Building
239 Main Street, Buzzards Bay MA 02532

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TA Guerino (excused)

John Ford, Chairman
Jamie Sloniecki, Vice Chairman
Peter Meier
Earl Baldwin
Don Pickard

Guests: George Tribou, Sewer Inspector, Mr. Jim Mulvey

List of documents:
None

Meeting called to order
6:30 pm

Minutes
Sloniecki MOVED and SECONDED by Pickard to approve minutes of 2/8/11 as amended. VOTE 5-0.

Louis Langton, 22 Head of the Bay Road re: Sewer Water Overage Bill
Received bill of $700, $400 the year after that. It seems he is being charged overages to water his yard. Mr. Langton has an $800 overage bill this year.

Mr. Tribou said with overages, commercial residents picked up the bills as an original idea. Irrigation systems are an issue. This is a source of revenue for the Sewer. There are 132 residents paying overages this year, a total of $132,000 including commercial and residential. This goes towards operation and maintenance.

Chm. Ford asked about adding a well. Mr. Tribou said this is exceptable.

Pickard asked about an extension to pay the bill for Mr. Langton. Two water meters were discussed.

Chm. Ford said there isn't too much that can be done for Mr. Langton except to decrease watering his lawn.

Mealy said the other remedy is with the Water District. He asked Mr. Langton what remedy he thinks the BOSC should apply to residents to watering their lawns. Mr. Langton said there must be some recourse.

Chm. Ford said there are other areas that have separate meters, but it is not under the BOSC jurisdiction.

The BOSC will discuss with the Water District Commissioners to address and get back to Mr. Langton. Mr. Tribou said water issue will get worse as it is mandated by DEP.

Adjournment
Sloniecki MOVED and SECONDED by Pickard to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 7:00 pm. UNANIMOUS VOTE.

Respectfully submitted,
Lisa Groezinger, sec.