

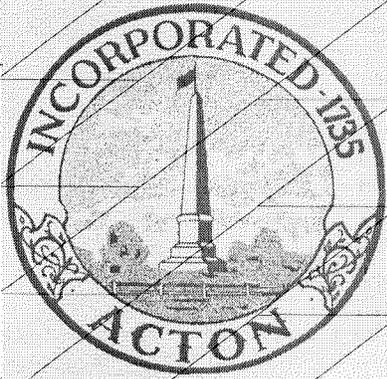
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BOARD OF HEALTH PRESENTATION

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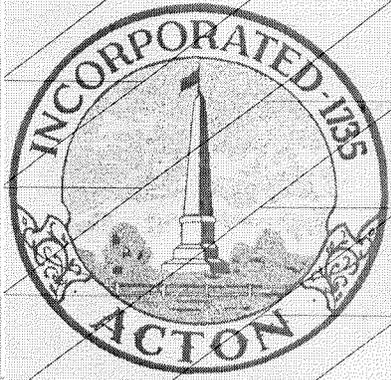
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Public Health Protection

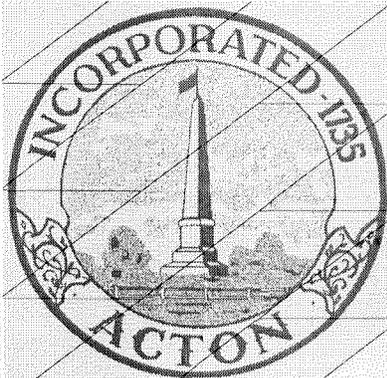
- **Animal/Insect Control** – Mosquito Surveillance, Stream management limited spraying, West Nile & EEE monitoring – Rabies Investigation, Dog-Cat bites, Wildlife
- **Day Camps**
 - Dozen camps inspected for health protection and CORI checks
- **Food Service**
 - 120 Facilities inspected biannually, 20 – 30 complaint/investigations
- **Housing**
 - Owner/Tenant Housing Code Violations (20 per year)
- **Tobacco**
 - 30 Facilities inspected biannual – Sales compliance checked quarterly



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Health Planning/ Education

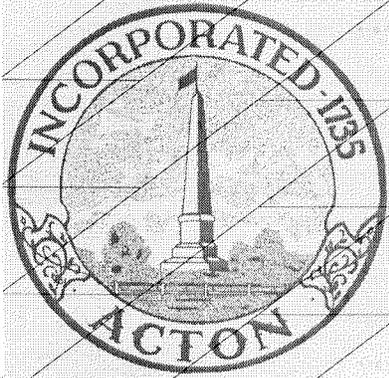
- Bioterrorism
 - 150 volunteers committed to plan, prepare and implement vaccination program
- Community Health Assessment
 - College interns enlisted to develop plan to assess the status of community health
- Health Education Programs
 - Hand washing awareness
 - Rabies Awareness
 - Skin Cancer Awareness
 - Food Service Trainings
 - Parenting/ Self-Esteem Instillation Program



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Nursing Service

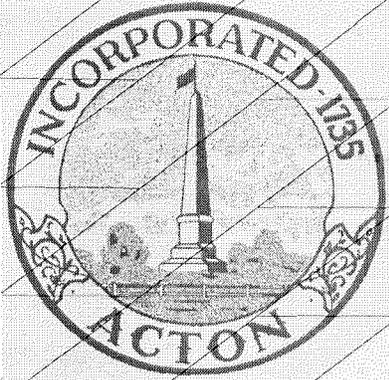
- Visiting Nurse, Physical-Occupational-Speech Therapy, Home Health Aides, Social Worker – 40 patient rotating base
- Communicable Disease Investigations & Intervention
 - State mandated services at no cost to the Town
- Flu Clinics – 2,000 flu shots
- Immunization & Vaccine Distribution – Free to Town staff
- Haartz Health Fair
- Coordination of Services with Council on Aging
- Smoking Cessation – Public health promotion
- Mammography – Public health promotion



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Environmental Protection

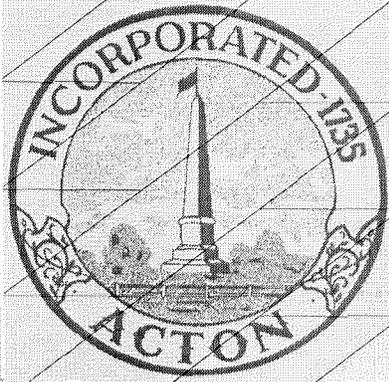
- Septic System Replacement
 - Replacements 150 – New Construction 75 – 10 Treatment Plants - CWRMP
- Hazardous Waste/Material Storage
 - 120 Facilities Inspected Annually – 40 Hazardous Waste Sites monitored
- NPDES Stormwater Compliance
 - 5 Year Plan – 9 Major Compliance Areas - 23 Annual Measurable Goals
- W. R. Grace Oversight
 - Feasibility Study – Record of Decision – Irrigation Wells
- Environmental Monitoring
 - Dozen monitoring wells tested monthly – 48 stream locations tested quarterly



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Revisions to Title 5

- Expected to be released for public comment this Fall
 - Public hearings around the state in October or November
- Mainly “housekeeping” revisions
- Stronger enforcement powers for local BOH and DEP
- Shifting of responsibilities from DEP to BOH
 - Increase in number of variances granted by the local BOH, decrease in DEP involvement



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Other Health Interests

- Sewer – O & M Administration, Sewer connection inspections, Dig-safe location
- Sealer of Weights and Measures – 60 facilities inspected annually
- Semi-Public Swimming Pools – 22 facilities inspected biweekly in summer
- Noise, Emissions, Trash – Inspections & Action in response to complaints
- Archaeology – Establish repository for Pine Hawk Artifacts
- Hazardous Waste Day – Collect household waste biannually for 1,000 homes
- Massage Establishments – Tanning Facilities – Body Art