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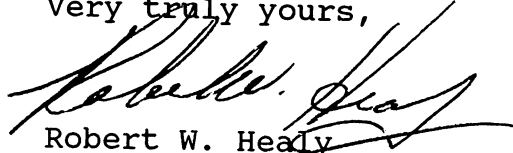
To the Honorable, the City Council:

In response to Awaiting Report #19 regarding the proper and safe disposal of used syringes found on public property, please be advised of the following:

When Department of Public Works employees find a used syringe while cleaning public grounds and parks, the Police Department is called to survey the area, and to properly disposed of the syringe.

The Police Department places the syringe in a hard cardbox container with a special warning label. The container is turned into the Property Room and placed in a large envelop marked "hazardous materials." The envelop is stored in a plastic bucket that, when filled, is brought to the Food and Drug Administration for proper disposal.

Very truly yours,

  
Robert W. Healy  
City Manager

Consent Agenda #6

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regarding proper & safe disposal of  
used syringes found on public property

In City Council,

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