

MINUTES OF THE THIRTY-FIRST MONTHLY MEETING
OF THE BOROUGH OF VHRSTER HEIGHTS, PA. COUNCIL
HELD IN THE BOROUGH SCHOOL BLDG. MONDAY
JULY 12th. 1948 at 8 P.M.

Due to the absence of J. Taney Willcox, Pres. of Council, who is convalescing from an illness, the Secretary called the meeting to order and ask that Council select a temporary President. Mr. Herbert H. Breneman was unanimously chosen and assumed the chair. Councilman Keller ~~was~~ was also absent due to being away from home.

The Minutes of the June 1948 meeting were read and unanimously approved.

Next was the unanimous approval for payment of the following bills:

J.H. Spiegel ---Desk Chair _____	\$ 17.75
A.Pomerantz & Co.--Set Letter Size Guides_	4.85
John S. Voigt ---5 hrs. work on Roads_____	5.00
Chester Heights Fire Co. No.1	
Donation for 1948 _____	300.00
	\$ 327.60

The next order of business was the unanimous adoption of the following Resolution, three copies of which were to be forwarded to the Dep't. of Highway.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Borough Council -----desires to limit the speed on State Highway ~~23001~~ in Borough -----of Chester Hgts.in county of Delaware, between Station 330+89/ Concord Township Line and Station 349+26. Int. with L.R. 23016 and

WHEREAS, Signs will be required in accordance with the provisions of The Vehicle Code and the Manuel of Regulations for Official Traffic Signs and Signals.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the speed on State Highway 23001 from Station 330+89 **to Station 349+26 shall be and is hereby limited to 35 miles per hpur, after proper signs have been

erected, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Borough of Chester Heights does hereby request the Department of Highways to authorize the erection of signs on said State Highway Route in accordance with The Vehicle Code, and the Manual of Regulations, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That speed on said State Highway shall not be restricted unless or until the Secretary of Highways approves this resolution and authorizes the erection of the necessary signs as above.

I, C. Nelson Smitheman, Secretary of the Borough of Chester Heights do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the resolution duly adopted in accordance with law at a meeting held -----July 12th ----1948.

C. Nelson Smitheman
Secretary

(SEAL) Recommended by ***-----Date-----
District Engineer

Approved: Ray F. Smock Date -----
Secretary of Highway

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
Department of Highways Traffic Division By:-----
Deputy Secretary of Highways

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Council next unanimously authorized the transfer of \$100.00 from the Unappropriated Balance to Item 18 (Contribution) to Vol. Fire Co's) and the payment of \$300.00 to the Chester Heights Vol. Fire Co. No.1 as the 1948 contribution. The Resolution was as follows.

RESOLVED, that \$100.00 be transferred from the Un-appropriated Balance to Item 18 (contribution to Vo. Fire Co's. and that \$300.00 then be sent to the Fire Co. as the Boroughs contribution for the year 1948.

It was moved, seconded and unanimously RESOLVED a School

Model SA Rex-o-graph be purchased for Borough use, together with the necessary accessories for operation.

The Treasurer, Mrs. Josephine G. Breneman read her report which was unanimously approved.

The Burgess, Walter E. Schrader discussed with Council the responsibility of the Borough due to Ord. No. 11 (The Pole Ord) in the event of falling trees, breakdown of roads, etc. Acting Chairman, Herbert G. Breneman referred this matter to Solicitor, Donald H. Hamilton for a complete investigation as to the Boroughs Responsibility due to the Ordinance in question.

The Burgess recommended to Council that an attempt be made with Aston Township to settle upon a lump sum for delinquent taxes to this Borough as a result of Tax liens held jointly between the Borough of Chester Heights and Aston Township.

The above subject was discussed and it was unanimously RESOLVED the Burgess and the Borough Solicitor discuss this matter of Tax liens held jointly between the Borough of Chester Heights and Aston Township Commissioners and that a report of the result be made at the Aug. meeting.

The Burgess proposed the purchase of an Automobile for Police use as the only efficient way to police the Borough.

Acting Chairman, Herbert H. Breneman requested the Burgess submit in writing all reasons for such a purchase together with the initial cost and estimated cost of storage and maintenance.

The Chief of Police, John S. Voight, Police Report was read to Council and placed in file .

There being no further business to come before the Council it was moved, seconded and unanimously RESOLVED to adjourn.

C. Nelson Smitheman
Secy.

