

MINUTES OF THE SIXTH MONTHLY MEETING OF  
THE BOROUGH OF CHESTER HEIGHTS, PA.  
HELD IN THE VOIGT BLDG, MONDAY  
JUNE 3rd. 1946 at 8:10 P.M.

Not so promptly at 8:10 P.M. a quorum gathered and the President J. Taney Willcox called the meeting to order. Before any business could start the remaining three Councilman arrived and took their seats.

The first order of business was the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting which were unanimously accepted as read.

60 It was RESOLVED, that the following bills submitted for payment be acknowledged and the Secretary directed to issue the necessary orders. The Bills for Mr. Tucker and Mr. Hamilton to be paid out of "Legal Expenses". Councils action was unanimous.

To Mr. Tucker ----- \$80.00  
Re-imbusement for Buss Transportation of  
Residents to Harrisburg for hearing regarding  
school, May 24, 1946.

To Donald H. Hamilton, Esq. ----- 5.00  
Re-imbusement for Tip to Bus Driver.

To the Rockdale Herald ----- 55.15  
For Printing of Building Permits, Tax Bills  
and Advertising of Ordinances ~~if4-if5-if6~~

Due to a slight but important change in Ordinance ~~if6~~ Council unanimously directed the corrected Ordinance be re-advertised.

The question of an Ordinance governing speed throughout the Borough was placed in the hands of the Highway Committee to make a survey and report at the next (July) meeting what speeds are recommended and upon which roads, also their recommendations of speed limits within the school zone.

Mr. Hamilton the Borough Solicitor read letters from the General Accident Ins. Co., Re. the C.P.L. Policy held by the Borough which clarifies the terms of the Policy to the satisfac-

tion of Council. The Secretary was directed to file these letters with the Policy.

Council requested Mr. Hamilton contact the proper Township Authorities re-obtaining final cash balance owed to the Borough of Chester Heights and further authorized Council to prepare a petition to the Delaware County Courts to this end if necessary.

Mr. Keller made a report for the Zoning Committee and exhibited a Color map of the Borough which indicated the direction in which the Committee is working. The Committees work thus far received the blessing of Council.

Constable John Voigt made and submitted his monthly report to Council which was duly filed.

Mr. Schrader the Burgess, reported that since the Railroads were recently obliged by the Federal Government to reduce their steam train service to save soft coal, the P.R.R. withdrew a train locally known as the 5 o'clock which incidentally runs through Chester Heights in both directions but not at the same time.

The withdrawal of this train has seriously affected the "none too good" transportation service to this Community and has likewise curtailed the mail service to the Borough. As a result of this report from the Burgess, Council,

61 RESOLVED, the matter be placed in the hands of the Borough Solicitor Mr. Hamilton who was directed to prepare letters dealing with this subject and forward them to the U.S. Government Post Office and to the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. Councils action was unanimous.

The Burgess further brought up the question of the division of the Civilian Defense equipment with the Township. This matter was turned over to the Borough Street Commissioner for final settlement, and Council directed a letter of Authority be handed

to John Voigt authorized him to act for Council. Following a  
62 RESOLUTION to this effect which was concurred in unanimously.

Mr. Willcox read a letter from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Department of Health regarding the Borough decision upon the question of a Local Board of Health. It was,

63 RESOLVED, that since the Council had already appointed a Board of Health that was functioning, the Secretary so advise the State Board of Health and at the same time contact Dr. Wm. Best of the Borough Board and request that he contact Harrisburg and get from them the necessary state report forms. This action was unanimous.

Regarding complaints from residents to the effect the Garbage Collector had not been collecting from all residents it was

64 RESOLVED, unanimously that a letter be sent to the Contractor by the Secretary to the effect that unless his contract was lived up to completely the Borough would be forced to take legal measures of correction.

The question of <sup>the</sup> debt of Aston Township to The Borough of Chester Heights was re-opened in order that Council might pass a Resolution upon this matter, it was

65 RESOLVED, unanimously that Donald H. Hamilton, Esq. be authorized to take whatever legal measure necessary, in order to bring about, through the Courts of Delaware Co. a final division of property as required by law; if the Township of Aston has not made such a division by June 7, 1946.

In order to facilitate the Borough Tax Collector's application for bond; Council unanimously passed the following

66 RESOLVED, that the First National Bank of Media, Pennsylvania, be designated as the depository for all Borough taxes

collected by the Tax collector, Samuel E. Jobson Sr.

At this point there being no further business a motion to adjourn was unanimously passed.