

MINUTES OF THE 122nd MEETING OF THE BORO. OF CHESTER HEIGHTS COUNCIL
HELD IN THE BORO. SCHOOL BUILDING MONDAY FEBRUARY 4th 1957 at 8.00 P. M.

The meeting was called to order by President Wood with all members present excepting Mr. Breneman.

Justice of the Peace T. O. Buckley administered the Oath of Office to Mr. Chester Anderson who was appointed to serve the unexpired term of Mr. Arthur Stromgren as Councilman.

The minutes of the January meeting were approved and correspondence handled.

The following receipts were reported and handed to the Treas.,

Aston Township	Prior years taxes	9.50
Edgar Urban	Building Permit #149	2.00
" "	" " #150	3.00
" "	" " #151	2.00
T. O. Buckley	Fines	85.00
Comm. of Penna.	Highway Aid	691.92

The following bills were approved and ordered paid;

Dela. Co. Assoc. of Boroughs	Dues	10.00
T. O. Buckley	Insurance Premiums	190.15
Chester Times	Adv.	2.50
John Voigt	Labor on Highways	44.24

The Treasurers Report was approved as presented by Miss Dickson.

The Building Inspector advised he had inspected the sign of the Walnut Hill Riding Academy and that it would conform with the requirements of the Zoning Ordinance provided an exception to operate the Riding Academy was applied for and was granted.

Zoning Committee; Mr. Townsend advised that there were several minor errors in the printing of the Zoning Ordinance and in order to make the corrections it may be necessary to draft an amendment to the Ordinance. Mr. Townsend was requested to refer this to the Solicitor for an opinion.

The next order of business was the consideration of the Budget for the year 1957. Mr. Hobough presented the Budget as prepared by the Financial Committee. It was then moved and seconded and unanimously RESOLVED that the Budget for the year 1957 is hereby

adopted.

The next order of business was the fixing of the Tax Rate for the year 1957.

Upon motion, which was seconded, it was unanimously RESOLVED, that Tax Ordinance #33, fixing the tax rate in the sum of (5) five mills on each dollar of assessed valuation for general Borough purposes, is hereby adopted.

Mr. Samuel Jobson presented the yearly financial and operations report of the Chester Heights Volunteer Fire Company, a copy of which has been placed in the Borough files.

Upon motion, which was seconded, it was unanimously approved that the Secretary notify Mr. Benj. Levin, owner of the Walnut Hills farms property to apply within thirty days to the Zoning Board of Adjustment for a special exception from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance for the operation of a Riding Academy on this property.

Mr. Wood advised that Mr. Edwin Keller would accept the position as Director of Civil Defense for the Borough. The Secretary was directed to communicate with the Civil Defense authorities at Harrisburg, recommending the appointment of Mr. Keller by the Governor.

A discussion was held on the numerous signs and highway markers along the Borough roads, many of which are in poor condition and should be replaced or removed. This matter was referred to the Committee of Public Safety for investigation.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Hilton E. Jones,
Secretary