

MINUTES OF THE 181st MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF CHESTER HEIGHTS HELD IN THE BORO. FIREHOUSE MONDAY FEBRUARY 5th 1962 at 8.00 P. M.

The meeting was called to order by President Hobough, with all members and the Mayor present. The minutes of the January meeting were read and approved.

The following receipts were reported and handed to the Treasurer;

T, O. Buckley	Fines	10.00
Marie Jobson	1961 taxes	16.07
J. S. Voigt	Plumbing registration & permit	13.50

The following bills were approved and ordered paid:

Dela. County Times	Adv.	3.50
J. S. Voigt	Labor Hwys.	35.00
Dela. Co. Assoc. Boroughs	Dues	12.50
Marie Jobson	Postage	2.20
Lewis Baker	Cindering highways	60.00
J. S. Voigt	Police salary	20.00
	" mileage	<u>7.20</u>
		27.20
John Rapp	Police salary	20.00
	" mileage	<u>16.00</u>
		36.00
Bernie's Dept.	Store Police equip.	5.98

The Treasurer's report was presented by Miss Dickson and approved.

Mayor Breneman reported on Police activities during the month of January.

Budget Committee,

Mr. Gardner presented the proposed Budget for the year 1962 with estimated receipts of \$6879.00 and estimated expenditures of \$6940.00 and no change in the present Tax Rate. It was then moved and seconded and unanimously RESOLVED, that the Budget for the year 1962 as presented is hereby adopted.

The next order of business was the fixing of the Tax Rate for the year 1962.

It was moved and seconded and unanimously approved, that Tax Ordinance #48, fixing the Tax Rate for the fiscal year 1962 for general Borough purposes in the sum of eight and one-half mills on each dollar of assessed valuation is hereby adopted.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee appointed at the January meeting, Mr. John S. J. Brooks was unanimously appointed as Borough Solicitor.

Zoning Board of Adjustment.

Resignation of Mr. Schroeder as a member of the Zoning Board of adjustment was read and accepted.

Upon the recommendations of the committee the following were unanimously appointed to serve as members of the Zoning Board of Adjustment; Mr. C. Nelson Smitheman⁵⁵ for the term of one year
Mr. Robert Lundquist for the term of two years
Dr. George Stark for the term of three years

Planning Commission.

Mr. Hobough advised that he had attended a recent meeting of the Borough Planning Commission and presented a memorandum on the proposed re-zoning study to be conducted by the Dela. County Planning Commission. Mr. Hobough appointed Mr. Ward to attend the meetings of the Borough Planning Commission as a representative of Borough Council.

Miss Dickson advised that the Borough Planning Commission has accepted the proposal of the Dela. County Planning Commission to conduct the re-zoning study of the Borough.

It was unanimously approved that Mr. James C. Ross, Jr. is hereby re-appointed as a member of this Commission for the term of five years.

The following committees were appointed by President Hobough;

HIGHWAY

Mr. Kerns, Chairman
Mr. Farr
Mr. Kelly

PUBLIC SAFETY

Mr. Smitheman, Chairman
Mr. Kelly
Mr. Gardner

COMMITTEE ON REVISION AND EVALUATION OF ORDINANCES

Mr. Gardner, Chairman, Mr. Farr and Mr. Kerns.

It was unanimously approved that Mr. John Voigt is re-appointed to serve as Building Inspector and Highway Supervisor.

A discussion was held regarding the signs advertising the Old Ivy and Wawa Hills developments. As these developments are now completed it was decided that these signs should be removed. Mr. Breneman volunteered to contact the developers and request the removal of these signs.

There being no further business, the meeting then adjourned.

Hilton E. Jones,
Secretary

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