

Commissioners of Bridgeville  
Regular Meeting  
July 13, 1970

Meeting called to order by President Paul A. Lynch at 8 P. M.

Members present were Earl C. Willey and Wm. R. Reynolds.

Also present were George H. Torbert, Sr. and Frank T. Galante. Mr. Torbert being the Town Alderman and Mr. Galante, Chief of Police.

Mr. Torbert felt that he had been criticized for the way he had been running the Alderman's Court. He explained about different things that had happened that he felt there was no cause for. There was a discussion on how to improve the operation of the Court. Mr. Lynch thanked Mr. Torbert for coming and Mr. Torbert left.

Frank Galante said he would like to resign his position as Chief of Police but would like to work as a Patrolman. He felt he could work better in that capacity. He stated his reasons to the Board and they in turn told him to give them a letter to that effect and they would accept it. Same being attached to the back of this sheet.

The following bills were presented and approved for payment.

R. D. Grier and Sons	\$	60.06	
Pure Oil Co.,		12.00	
G. E. Jones Co.		67.89	
Ralph E. Davis, Inc.		220.00	
Rulon Co.		42.71	
Warren Electric		26.12	
Southern States		19.64	
Bridgeville Body Shop		4.00	
Dresser Industries, Inc.		154.44	
Duro Test Corporation		22.68	
Arthur H. Thomas Co.,		31.72	
Peninsula Plumbing & Supply		4.51	
O. A. Newton and Son Co.		10.30	
Chesapeake Utilities		198.50	
H. C. Layton and Son		32.82	
Dorr-Oliver, Inc.		309.30	
Oxford Chemicals		400.40	
Tull Brothers, Inc.		68.04	
Ralph Davis, Inc.		436.50	
		<u>\$2121.63</u>	Waste Treatment Account

Bob's Men's Shop	41.80
Short's Ser. Station	3.00
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George F. Cake Co.,	19.25
H. C. Banning	67.82
Pure Oil Company	114.16
International Bus. Machines	45.50
James B. Kelvington	7.50
R. D. Grier and Sons Co.,	267.74
The Talbot Co.,	215.45
Lewis Insurance Agency	20.00
Diamond State Tel. Co.,	36.96
News Print Shop	75.35
Protection Ser. Inc.	47.52
Comfort Heating and Air Condition	24.70
Delmarva Power and Light Co.,	719.47
G. E. Jones and Co.,	573.88
Lo-Mar, Inc.	14.85
Ralph E. Davis, Inc.	331.58
W. R. Reynolds	25.00

\$ 2674.87      General Fund

Motion made by Earl C. Willey to pay all bills, seconded by Wm. R. Reynolds.

After some discussion a motion was made by Earl C. Willey that the Board accept the resignation of Frank T. Galante as Chief of Police effective as of July 13, as this was of his own free will. Seconded by Wm. R. Reynolds.

Mr. Lynch, asked Mr. Willey about making off parking spaces at the corner of Market and Cannon Sts. to Adams Market and also on opposite corner by old Post Office to help better parking conditions. Mr. Willey said he had ordered the paint and that the Lions Club would do the work.

Mr. Lynch said he would like to have a meeting with the Police to talk over some of the differences that they had. He asked the other Commissioners to come to the meeting, but they suggested that he go ahead without them.

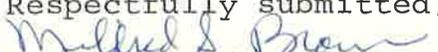
Mr. Willey said that a new light would be installed at North Elementary School. He also thought Dr. Flint should be contacted about the parking situation, to see just what progress had been made. Mr. Lynch will write him a letter.

Mr. Lynch said the Sewer Department was doing very nicely.

Mr. Earl Willey and Mr. Wm. R. Reynolds plan to go ahead with street work.

Being no further business Earl Willey made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Wm. R. Reynolds.

Meeting adjourned at 10 P. M.

Respectfully submitted,  
  
Mildred S. Brown, Sec.

THOMAS J. GRAY, JR.  
Commissioner

FRANK T. GALANTE  
Chief of Police

BRIDGEVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT  
BRIDGEVILLE, DELAWARE

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Commissioners of Bridgeville  
Bridgeville, Delaware

I Frank T. Galante this 13th day of  
July 1970 do hereby submit my resignation as Chief of  
Police for the town of Bridgeville for a reduction  
in rank of Patrolman for the Town of Bridgeville.

The reason for my Resignation is  
that I would be more satisfied to work for the  
Town as a Patrolman.

Yours

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Frank T. Galante". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the typed name "Yours".