

COMMISSIONERS OF BRIDGEVILLE
REGULAR MEETING
APRIL 12, 1982

Meeting was called to order at 7 P. M. by President Mulvaney.

Commissioners present were: Robert L. Mulvaney, A. L. Jones, William L. Hartzell and James Evans.

Guest were: Clif Laverty, Town Manager, Alderman Margaret Thompson, Bonnie Grant, Donna Smith and Donald Moore.

Bills in the amount of \$10,701.54 were approved by the Board for payment. Bills here attached.

President Mulvaney moved to dispense reading of the last month's minutes, seconded by James Evans.

Pres. Mulvaney reported to the Board that at the Scat Meeting with Tom Evans he asked why Bridgeville could not be eligible for a traffic light and widening the road, etc instead of all money going up state and Kent County such as widening roads between Dover and Little Heaven. He asked Senator Evans to have his staff look into our problem. Senator Evans promised to do so.

President Mulvaney read the bids that where received at April 10's auction of lots owned by the Town and bought with HUD money:

Old dump site - \$2,000.00 bid by Leonard Chaffinch. William Hartzell made a motion to accept bid, seconded by Al Jones. and approved by the Board

Lot on Walnut St. \$1600.00 bid by Mildred Handley. Motion to accept bid was made by William Hartzell and seconded by A. Jones and approved by the Board.

Lot on Church St. - \$1450.00 bid by Jack Horton. Motion made by William Hartzell, seconded by A. L. Jones to accept bid. Approved by the Board.

N. Cannon St. lot-\$1,000.00 by Frank Abbott. Motion made by William Hartzell, seconded by Robert Mulvaney to accept bid, approved by the Board.

Lot on Second St. - Leon Coleman the bidder for \$1,000.00. Motion to accept bid was made by James Evans, seconded by William Hartzell and approved by the Board. All bidders to be notified of Board action. Dennis Schrader, Town Solicitor to make up deeds at bidder's expense.

There will be a \$423.00 auctioneer's fee on these lots. All money from lots has to be spent on a HUD line item. Street Commissioner, William Hartzell made a request for \$2,000.00 of this money for his department.

President Mulvaney read a request from Bill Degnan, Track Coach of Woodbridge High School for \$320-500 for paving the track run-ways. Pres. Mulvaney made a request also from the Board to take the money from Revenue Sharing to pay for this work. Mr. Evans moved to pay bill, seconded by Robert Mulvaney and approved by the Board with one exception.

President Mulvaney also said he would like to have the Board's permission to invest \$10,000 of the Revenue Sharing money in 30 day certificates. Board agreed to do this.

President Mulvaney said that he wanted to adopt the personnel policy at next meeting.

Commissioner's reports were asked for by Pres. Mulvaney.

Water Commissioner, James Evans told the Board that the cut-off valve to Bridgeville Manor has been installed across from Banks Mkt. The water meter has been installed at Canterbury Apts. There is only one meter at the apts. A 2" meter has been installed at Pet Poultry and Ralph and Paul Adams. Mr. Evans read the new insert to go out in the water bills about changes in water billing.

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Street Comm., William Hartzell reported that Town Manager, Cliff Laverty is looking into getting streets in the Town repaired. Hopes to get a blanket bid from Tilcon to repair pot holes, etc. He said was buying barricades to be used on streets when needed. The storm drain project has not been finished since additional grading is needed.

Police Comm., A. L. Jones told the Board that at a police meeting concerning 100% Blue Cross coverage, his men would like to have this coverage and had agreed to pay all over \$150.00 per month on the premium. The Town will pay \$150.00 a month for Blue Cross on all employees with employees paying balance of payment. He said that 37 stop signs are needed and asked Street Comm., William Hartzell if he would agree to apy for signs. Mr. Hartzell said he would pay for 12 signs and 12 posts. Mr. Jones told the Baord that Town Mgr., Clif Laverty has been asked to write a column in the Leader on Bridgeville telling what is happening in the Town, what is available to the citizens and some opinions from Commissioners. They agreed for Mr. Laverty to write this column. Mr. Jones said there were several places in town that needed bushes and trees trimmed back from the streets. Robert Bennett, Leroy Tull and Cherry Alley being locations. Owners to be notified . There were 79 more traffic arrests more than Feb, and the police had used 497 gals. of gas, the sewer plant had used 87 gals. and 140 gals used by the Town.

Alderman Thompson gave her report of: 150 fines were collected during March making a total of \$6501.63 of which \$468.80 was V.C. Tax, and \$1258.00 Court Costs, leaving a net in fines of \$4,774.83. Alderman Thompson also made a request for permission to buy a small balckboard on which alleged offenders and arresting officers can draw diagrams of where their respective vehicles were located at the time of detection and arrest. Permission granted.

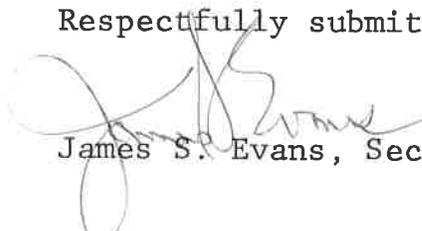
Pres. Mulvaney reported that several of the Comm. may make a trip to Atlanta, Ga. to see a spray irrigation plant in operation.

Town Mgr. Clif Laverty gave a report on the Public Hearing for Community Development Block Grant. Areas that could be improved are parking, upgrading fire hydrants, replacing 4 in. water mains, especially on Church St. first. He said there may be a possibility of 3rd year funding. Mr. Laverty to look into the new building permit fees charged by the County as we usually use their rate for our building permits.

Mr. Lavery read a request for Little League to have a parade on May 1, 1982 to open the season. They also requested that the Commissioners ride in the parade. The Commissioners agreed to do so.

President Mulvaney moved to adjourn meeting at 8:08 P. M., seconded by James Evans.

Respectfully submitted,



James S. Evans, Sec.