

COMMISSIONERS OF BRIDGEVILLE
REGULAR MEETING
MAY 11, 1987

President Gilefski called meeting to order at 7 P.M.

Comm. present: James Evans, Walter Gilefski, A. L. Jones, and Daryl Tull.

Guests: Chief of Police, John Tyndall, Alderwoman, Connie Collins, and Waste Treatment Mgr., John Loscomb.

Motion was made by Comm. Tull, seconded by Comm. Jones to dispense with the reading of the last regular meeting minutes. Approved.

Motion was made by Comm. Tull, seconded by Comm. Jones to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the special meeting. Approved by the Board.

Motion was made by Comm. Evans, seconded by Comm. Jones to pay bills in the amount of \$9,363.71 as presented except for the M&L GMC Trucks, Inc. until the bill is checked on. Copy of bills attached.

Pres. Gilefski read a proposed absentee ballot change to our Charter written by our Town Solicitor, Dennis Schrader. This was approved by the Commissioners with 2 amendments to be added. After amendments are finalized our legislators will be contacted to see if the necessary change can be made in this year's legislation session. A guideline for an ordinance governing absentee ballots will be discussed at a later date.

Pres. Gilefski read for the first reading an Ordinance to amend the R-2 Multi-Family Residential District. There were several questions the Commissioners feel need to be answered before the second reading at next month's meeting. One being the 40,000 sq. ft. lot limit set.

Pres. Gilefski asked for a motion to hire Mrs. Ruth Mars as part-time secretary at \$5.00 per hr. - 20 hrs. a week. Motion was made by Comm. Tull and seconded by Comm. Jones to hire Mrs. Mars at this position. Approved by the Board.

Motion was made by Comm. Evans, seconded by Comm. Tull to hire Mr. Larry Gregory at \$4.50 per hr. for approx. 10 hrs. a week as part-time maintenance man. Approved by the Board.

Pres. Gilefski presented a water/sewer bill of Mrs. Anna Smack for the Boards consideration of an adjustment. Mrs. Smack had a leak which was repaired causing a large bill. Motion was made by Comm. Evans, seconded by Comm. Tull to adjust bill with notice that this will be a one time adjustment. Approved by the Commissioners.

Pres. Gilefski informed the Commissioners of the Sussex County Prayer Breakfast that will be held June 9, 1987 for their consideration.

Pres. Gilefski informed the Board that Clark Carbaugh of CABA Association had called and said he had in hand a letter from DNREC stating that they gave the Commissioners permission to award the contracts for the new sewer plant. He read for the Commissioner's approval a resolution to award Contract A-No. C-10029 to L. A. Merrell Construction Co. in the amount of \$3,505,555.00 with the condition

that the funding agencies, DNREC and EPA, authorize the award. Motion was made to approve the resolution as read, seconded by Comm. Jones and approved by the Board.

He also read a resolution to approve Contract B - No. C-10029, for the outfall to Lance J. Eller with the condition that the funding agencies, DNREC and EPA, authorize the award in the amount of \$251,245.50. Motion was made to approve resolution as read by Comm. Tull, seconded by Comm. Jones and approved by the Board.

Pres. Gilefski said we would still be asking the County for the \$750,000. If they can not supply same there are several banks who are interested.

Commissioner reports are as follows:

Alderman's report was given to each Commissioner. Pres. Gilefski questioned the 14 traffic arrests that went to Court of Common Pleas. All were thrown out except two. What happened to the new Deputy Attorney that took John Sandy's place?

Water Dept. - Comm. Evans said they had put in the post for the fencing at the well site #5. The construction company plans to come close to completing the job by the completion date of the 15th of May. Mr. Evans said there had been a fire hydrant broken off at corner of Oak St. This is being investigated. There is a need of a street sign designating Oak and Birch Sts. instead of Railroad Ave. and Birch St.

Police Dept. - Comm. Jones told the other Commissioners that the new police car came in on May 6 and was performing well. He passed out to each Commissioner a copy of a proposed drug ordinance that Pres. Gilefski read for the first reading. The Commissioners will review it before the second reading and possible approval at next month's meeting. Comm. Jones said there are five autos in the com- to be disposed of as soon as titles are obtained. Also he would like the Board's permission to sell two police cars - a 1988 Chev. Nova and a 1982 Diplomat Dodge thru advertising but with the right to refuse the bids if not acceptable for the price he felt they should have for these two cars. Permission was granted. A motion was made by Comm. Jones to hire Lester Guyer full time at \$6.00 per hr. as early as Monday, May 18th or as soon as he can be available thereafter. Motion seconded by Comm. Tull and approved by the Board. This would help to eliminate Chief Tyndall's overtime load. Patrolman Guyer would be hired on a 6 month probation period. He has worked the past 6 months as part-time officer. We might have to send him to school but not before last fall or late winter.

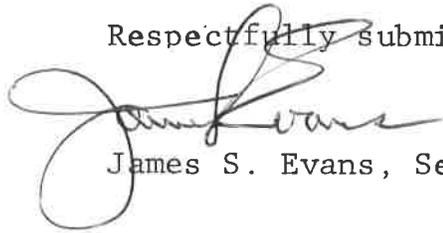
Sewer Dept. - Comm. Tull said 10 permit violations had been sent to Delagra - 8 for flow - 2 for P.H. violation. All the Commissioners felt that Delagra should be fined for each violation starting at \$100 the first time and increasing each month for any other violations up to \$500.00.

Town Mgr. - In the absense of Mr. Laverty his report was read by Pres. Gilefski. Mr. Laverty said that Larry Gregory was hired to cut the grass and that 25 grass letters had been sent out and all had been cut except 3. The 10 day deadline is up on Wednesday, May 13th.

There are approx. 55 water bills to be sent out that are past due. Cut off letters will be mailed next week. Mr. Lavery said he would like the approval of the Commissioners to send out Certificates of Appreciation for anyone who helped with the beautification of the intersection at Market and Main. He and Pres. Gilefski especially want to thank Mr. Albert Rizzo and wife and friend Steve for their extra help and efforts. Mr. Lavery said the well project was running a little behind due to the inclement weather.

Motion was made by Comm. Jones, seconded by Comm. Evans to adjourn at 8:45 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "James S. Evans". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

James S. Evans, Sec.