

Hilltown Township Supervisors Meeting

August 11, 1975

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Dale Hartshorne. The treasurer's report was read by Mrs. Gutekunst and approved by Feryl Spanniger and seconded by Paul Frankenfield. The bills as presented were approved for payment by Feryl Spanniger and seconded by Paul Frankenfield. Mrs. Gutekunst was instructed to notify the sewer authority that we would pay no more bills until their budget for the remaining of the year was presented to us as requested previously.

A representative of Green Meadows was present at the meeting too question what progress was being made on the drainage problems, etc at the Green Meadows development. Our engineer, Jim Leister has been in contact with the owners and suggestions have been made as to how the problem can be cleared up. It is now just waiting to see if they will do these things as suggested.

The supervisors signed ordinance 75-3 amending ordinance #70-1 which is known as the move in-move out ordinance, which requires permits and provides penalties for the violation thereof.

The supervisors signed resolution 75-5 recognizing the late Mrs. Peter Robbins for her many contributions to the welfare of Hilltown Township. Copy will be sent to the Hilltown Civic Assoc. and copies to her children.

A motion was made by Feryl Spanniger and seconded by Paul Frankenfield to give \$500.00 to the Hilltown Township Bicentennial Committee for this year based upon their budget of \$869.19 for 1975. They plan to have a big celebration on October 5th.

A copy of a letter to Mr. Wm. Forst, President of the Hatfield Board of Commissioners from Joseph Synkalis, District Engineer for PennDot was read relative to the intersection of Bergey Road and Route 309. Because of complaints received from the citizenry when the recent changes were made, they now suggest making Bergey Road one-way. Mrs. Gutekunst was asked to give the letter to Chief Boose for his comments.

Mrs. Gutekunst read the report of Mr. Heidrich for the month of July. \$832.50 was collected for permits.

Mr. Mosser of 1825 North Route 113 whose property adjoins the Clearview Estates Development was at the meeting to hear what work will be done in connection with the drainage of water from this development onto his property. A letter from Mr. Leister to Mr. Mosser dated August 8th was read noting that they would start removal of the cul-de-sac which encroached on Mr. Mosser's property.

A letter from Mr. Leister to Hilltown Township, Hatfield Township, and New Britain Township was read along with a quote from Signal Service Inc. of \$736.00 to make the corrections to the traffic light at 309 and Hilltown Pike. Mrs. Gutekunst was told to contact the other townships and then answer the letter.

A letter from Norma Schultz, Regional Clearinghouse Administrator to Hilltown Township re: Pennridge Wastewater Treatment Authority, Bucks Co.- Construction of Sanitary Interceptors was presented and Mrs. Gutekunst was advised to relay this letter to the Sewer Authority.

A letter was read from Mr. Fred Achenback, Jr., President of the Bucks County Association of Township Officials relative to housing needs, camping facilities, etc which will be needed by Bi-Centennial visitors. A meeting will be held Sept. 10th at the County Court House at 8:00 P.M. on these matters.

Mrs. Gutekunst reported that Mr. Howard Hockman along with Titus Moyer had been into the office and reported that due to incorrect or duplicate assessment, Mr. Hockman had paid duplicate taxes for 1973-1974-1975. He would be due a refund of \$88.82. Mr. Wilson felt this could not be done legally but Mrs. Gutekunst will check with the Board of Assessment.

Mrs. Strouse and Mr. Sekella of Twinbrook Road were at the meeting inquiring as to what progress is being made in connection

with the polluted wells. Mr. Heidrich reported that he had called Mr. Guy Manley of the DER and he said due to a decrease in their work force, they have not been able to follow up as they would have liked to. Again he said, Mr. Horn would be issued a summons to correct the problem of the land-fill. Both Mr. Strouse and Mr. Sekella said they are not able to drink the water from their wells. Dale Hartshorne said he would call Mr. Manley and also try to contact the Bucks County Board of Health relative to this problem.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Dorothy Gutekunst

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Secretary-Treasurer



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