

Hilltown Township Supervisors Meeting

June 23, 1975

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Dale Hartshorne. The treasurer's report was read and approved by Feryl Spanninger and seconded by Paul Frankenfield. The bills as presented were approved for payment by Paul Frankenfield, and seconded by Feryl Spanninger.

Mrs. Gutekunst presented the quote for "Errors and Omissions Insurance" received from Wm. A. Gum. The bill allowing townships to purchase this type of insurance has passed in both the house and senate and is awaiting the governor's signature. As soon as this is law, we will take out this insurance. Motion was made by Feryl Spanninger and seconded by Paul Frankenfield.

Dale Hartshorne read a notice of a meeting to be held in Quakertown on June 26th on the final recommendations on public transportation.

The Bi-Centennial Committee from the Civic Association presented their budget for the celebrations, etc. to be held in Hilltown Township. The bill permitting townships to donate monies for this purpose has not been finalized but as soon as it does we will donate money for this project.

The supervisors signed the subdivision plans for A.&O. Limited and Elmer Landis.

The bids for painting were then opened. Low bidder for the painting was Thomas Kilmer of Blooming Glen with a bid of \$3195.00. Other bidders and amounts were Anastasios Argerios of Bethlehem- \$3770.00, Gerald D. Johnson Co. of Lansdale- \$5382.00, Walton Constanzer of Telford- \$3908.10, Don Fritz of Chalfont- \$4090.00. Only one bid was received for an accoustical ceiling- Accoustical Spray Insulators, Inc. of Allentown- \$1853.00 and one bid only on moulding for the insulation- H.F.Rice of Blooming Geln- \$53.53.

Mr. Arthur Moyer questioned the fact that curbing had not yet been installed on the Robert Carter subdivision for which we have a \$1500.00 escrow. Also he felt he should have been asked to put curbing on his second subdivision for another lot in the same area.

Mr. Charles Haring questioned board Chairman about his not living in the township and serving as a supervisor. Mr. Hartshorne informed him he had put a deposit down on an apartment in the Township which will be available Sept. 1st.

A letter from the secretary of the Planning Commission was read noting that they have retained the law firm of Grim and Grim of Perkasio to represent them should the need arise.

Mrs. Gutekunst reported that the flashing warning devices at Hilltown Pike and Swartley Road have not been approved by the state as yet. A letter received from Signal Service, Inc. reported that this device is not ready for final inspection as they are awaiting the arrival of a new pole.

A letter received from Gay Manley of the DER to the supervisors was read re: Industrial Waste, Blooming Glen Quarry Landfill. Within the next four weeks, the DER will file a summary complaint against Mr. Vernon Horn, owner of the Blooming Glen Quarry Landfill.

The police report for the month of May was read. One interesting observation was the decrease in the number of thefts.

Notice was read of a Zoning Hearing to be held on Monday, July 7, 1975 for Joseph Pae.

Mrs. Gutekunst suggested a review of the fees charged for holding zoning hearings should be done as the fees are exceeding the fees at the present time. Mr. Heidrich will consult with Frank Grabowski, attorney to the Zoning Board on this matter.

A letter from Mr. & Mrs. Galluccio of Rickert Road was read in which they expressed their appreciation for the improvements made by our road crew on Rickert Road.

Dale Hartshorne questioned Mr. Frankenfield on the ditches on Middle Road and he reported they are starting work on

