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Minutes of a Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead held at the Town Hall, Riverhead, New York, on Tuesday, January 16th, 1968 at 10:30 A. M.

Present:

Robert B. Vojvoda, Supervisor

Bruno Zaloga
Thomas R. Costello, Town Justices

Vincent B. Grodski
George G. Young, Councilmen

Also present: Shepard M. Scheinberg, Town Attorney
Alex E. Horton, Superintendent of Highways.

The members of the Town Board and Town Attorney met at 10:00 A. M. to hold Public Hearings scheduled for 10:00 A. M., and 10:15 A. M.

PUBLIC HEARING - 10:00 A. M.

The Town Clerk submitted Affidavits of publication and posting Public Notice Calling Public Hearing on proposals to repeal the existing Ordinance No. 29, entitled "Ordinance Restraining and Running At Large of Dogs", and to adopt a revised Ordinance No. 29, entitled "Ordinance Restraining the Running At Large of Dogs."

The Affidavits were ordered filed.

Supervisor Vojvoda requested Town Attorney Shepard M. Scheinberg to explain the added proposals to Ordinance No. 29.

Town Attorney Scheinberg explained as follows:

Under Section 1 - the definition of Owner has been changed to read: "Any person, group of persons, including the parent or guardian of an owner under the age of sixteen years, firm or corporation, owning, keeping or harboring a dog or dogs."

Also under Section 1 - the definition of muzzle has been inserted to read; "Muzzle: A fastening or covering for the mouth of an animal used to effectively prevent eating or biting."

Under Section 2 - paragraph (f) has been inserted to read; "That while a female dog is in heat, the dog shall be confined so as not to cause a public nuisance."

Town Justices Costello and Zaloga recommended that Section 8 - Penalty be changed to read; "Any person owning or harboring a dog in violation of any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a violation punishable by imprisonment of a term not in excess of fifteen (15) days and/or by a fine of not less than \$10.00 for the first offense and not less than \$25.00 for the second or any subsequent offense, nor more than \$100.00."

The Town Board accepted this recommendation.

PUBLIC HEARING - 10:00 A. M. continued:

Supervisor Vojvoda asked if anyone else wished to be heard. No one else having responded and no communications having been received thereto, Supervisor Vojvoda declared the Hearing closed.

PUBLIC HEARING - 10:15 A. M.

The Town Clerk submitted Affidavits of publication and posting Public Notice calling Public Hearing on proposals to adopt a revised Ordinance No. 10, entitled "Mobile Home and Travel Trailer Parks Ordinance." The Affidavits were ordered filed.

Supervisor Vojvoda thereupon declared the Hearing open and asked if anyone wished to be heard in favor of or against the aforesaid proposals.

Bruce Stark, Mobile Home Park Owner, appeared protesting to the fees.

Rollin Hargis, Mobile Home Park Owner, appeared protesting to the fees.

Town Attorney Shepard Scheinberg stated that the reason behind the proposed new ordinance was to give Mobile Home and Travel Trailer Park Owners a "Permanent Permit", whereby they could go and obtain financing after having improved their Parks somewhat.

Edward Munson, Building Inspector requested clarification of regulations and stated that he assumed when this ordinance was being drawn up it would take care of existing situations in present Parks, however, if this ordinance goes into effect, every Park now in existence is in violation.

After some discussion the Town Board decided to meet with the Mobile Home Park Owners and Edward Munson, Building Inspector on February 20th, for the purpose of further discussion on the proposals of this ordinance.

No one else wishing to be heard, Supervisor Vojvoda adjourned the Hearing, pending the outcome of the aforesaid meeting on February 20th.

Supervisor Vojvoda called the Regular Town Board meeting to order at 10:45 AM.

Town Justice Costello offered the following resolution which was seconded by Town Justice Zaloga.

RESOLVED, That the Minutes of a Special Meeting of the Town Board held in the Town Hall on December 28, 1967, be approved as submitted.

The vote, Councilman Young, Yes, Councilman Grodski, Yes, Town Justice Zaloga, Yes, Town Justice Costello, Yes, and Supervisor Vojvoda, Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Town Justice Costello offered the following resolution which was seconded by Town Justice Zaloga.

RESOLVED, That the Minutes of the Meeting of the Town Board held in the Town Hall on January 2nd, 1968, be approved as submitted.

The vote, Councilman Young, Yes, Councilman Grodski, Yes, Town Justice Galoga, Yes, Town Justice Costello, Yes, and Supervisor Vojvoda, Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

At this point of the meeting, Supervisor Vojvoda asked if anyone wished to be heard and the following responded:

Aurora Egert, Clerk-Typist, Highway Department, addressed the Board making appeal for its reconsideration regarding a more adequate salary increase.

Mrs. Egert informed the Board that in good conscience she could not leave Mr. Horton at this time.

Mrs. Egert pointed out that at the outset she was paid \$1.50 per hour, raised to \$1.75 per hour and kept at this rate for some time.

Mrs. Egert compared her present salary to that of a Clerk whose duties are to assist and stated she felt this is grossly unfair as she has always assumed full responsibilities of her office and is presently doing all of the office work in the Highway Department.

The Town Board advised Mrs. Egert to take a promotional Civil Service test and providing she passes such test, her request will then be given consideration.

Mrs. Egert thanked the Town Board for granting the time for this presentation.

REPORTS

Police Department, Annual Report for 1967. Filed.

Receiver of Taxes, Dated Jan. 11, 1968. Filed.

OPEN BID REPORT-FUEL OIL-ALL TOWN DEPARTMENTS

After being duly advertised, the following bid for Fuel Oil for use of all Town Department, was opened by the Town Clerk on January 8, 1968 at 11:00 A. M:

LONG ISLAND RELIABLE CORP., 88 E. Hoffman Avenue, Lindenhurst, N. Y. 11757.

1. Net cost per gallon of No. 2 Fuel Oil: \$.1245 (firm)
2. Do you have ample storage of Fuel Oil? Yes

The Bid was filed for the January 16, 1968 Meeting of the Town Board.

OPEN BID REPORT-SNOW FENCE & POSTS-HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

After being duly advertised, the following bid for Snow Fence and Posts for use of the Riverhead Town Highway Department, was opened by the Deputy Town Clerk on January 15, 1968 at 10:00 A. M:

LOCAL STEEL AND SUPPLY CO., Inc., 60 Jericho Turnpike, Mineola, N. Y. 11501

Delivered Price of Snow Fence per 100 Foot Lineal each roll: \$18.00 per roll in truckloads of 100 rolls of 100 lin. ft. each.

Delivered Price of Snow Fence Posts: \$.87 each

Delivery Date: Snow Fence-4 to 5 weeks after receipt of order.

Delivery Date: Snow Posts-3 days after receipt of order.

The Bid was filed for the January 16, 1968 Meeting of the Town Board.

COMMUNICATIONS

Gordon K. Ahlers, dated Dec. 30, 1967, submitting report on Boat Launching Ramp, Iron Pier, Jamesport. Filed.

Town of Brookhaven, dated Jan. 9, 1968 re: adoption of "Disclosures Code". Filed. Copies to Town Board, Town Attorney and Building Inspector.

Wading River Boating Association, dated Jan. 9, 1968 requesting additional street lighting in the area of Post Office and N. Country Road and Zophar Mills Rd. Filed. Copy to Lighting Committee.

Letter from Alden W. Young to H. Lyndon Hallock dated Jan. 5, 1968 re: the acquisition of two parcels of land on Sound Ave. at Roanoke for recharge basins. Filed.

Riverhead Chamber of Commerce, dated Jan. 9, 1968, submitting bill for Christmas Decorating in the amount of \$503.76. Filed.

Supt. of Highways asked the Town Board who is to be responsible for storing the decorations.

Donald Rhuda, Recreation Supervisor made reply stating the decorations are presently stored by the Recreation Department and that inventory of same has been made.

Town of Brookhaven, dated Jan. 10, 1968, re: adoption of amendments to Zoning Code. Filed. Copies to Building Inspector and Town Attorney.

Suffolk County Department of Public Works, dated Jan. 10, 1968, submitting Agreement for Expenditures of Highway Moneys, approved by Commissioner. Filed.

Donald W. Rhuda, Recreation Supervisor, dated Jan. 12, 1968, advising it will be necessary to create an Advisory Council for Senior Citizens in order to receive State Aid for Senior Citizen Activities, also recommendations for such Council. Filed.

Constantine P. King, Kingswood Development Corporation, dated Jan. 16, 1968, requesting street lights on poles located on Town roads in Kingswood. Filed.

Copy to Lighting Committee.

Russell A. Fleischman, Sr., dated Jan. 15, 1968, regarding drainage problem on Sunrise Avenue. Filed.

Referred to Supt. of Highways and Councilman Young.

The Town Board discussed the matter of drainage problems in the Town of Riverhead and designated Councilman Young, Supt. of Highways Alex E. Horton and Alden W. Young as a Committee to review existing drainage problems and make report to the Town Board for its undertaking of Drainage Projects for the year 1968.

PETITIONS

Containing 19 signatures of residents requesting correction of drainage problem existing in the area of Sunrise Avenue. Filed.

Referred to Councilman Young and Supt. of Highways.

PETITIONS continued:

T. L. Scanlon and Robert Scanlon for Change of Zone from Residence to Business 1 Use Zone on property located in Wading River.

Petitions signed by four (4) residents of Wading River approving and consenting to above Petition for Change of Zone. Filed.

Wading River Chamber of Commerce, dated December 18, 1967, favoring Petition of T. L. Scanlon and Robert Scanlon for Change of Zone. Filed.

The above Petition was referred to the Planning Board for recommendation and report.

RESOLUTIONS

Councilman Young offered the following resolution which was seconded by Councilman Grodski.

RESOLVED, That the Superintendent of Highways be and is hereby authorized to pay snow overtime compensation for the period from January 1, 1968 to January 15, 1968, a total of 1461 hours in the amount of \$5,596.47.

The vote, Councilman Young, Yes, Councilman Grodski, Yes, Town Justice Zaloga, Yes, Town Justice Costello, Yes, and Supervisor Vojvoda, Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

The following resolution was offered by Councilman Grodski, seconded by Councilman Young and duly adopted by the unanimous vote of the Town Board.

IN HONOR OF

COL. ROY R. RUMPPF

RESOLUTION COMMENDING COL. ROY R. RUMPPF
FOR SERVICES RENDERED TO THE LOYAL ORDER
OF THE MOOSE.

WHEREAS, Co. Roy R. Rumpff has rendered for more than 30 years of meritorious service to the Loyal Order of the Moose, Riverhead Lodge #1742, and

WHEREAS, Co. Roy R. Rumpff has aided and assisted to problems common to both the fraternal members,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead, on behalf of the people of Riverhead commends Col. Roy R. Rumpff for his close cooperation with his fraternity and township, and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead extends to Co. Roy R. Rumpff its best wishes for his future health and happiness, and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Town Clerk is hereby authorized to deliver to Col. Roy R. Rumpff a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution in recognition of the honor and esteem of the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead for Col. Roy R. Rumpff for the outstanding service he has rendered.

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RESOLUTIONS

Town Justice Zaloga offered the following resolution which was seconded by Town Justice Costello.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY given that at a Regular Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead held at the Town Hall, 250 Main Avenue, Riverhead, New York, on the 16th day of January, 1968, the following Resolution was duly adopted:

**RESOLUTION
REPEALS EXISTING
ORDINANCE NO. 29
ADOPTS REVISED
ORDINANCE NO. 29**

WHEREAS, The Town Board of the Town of Riverhead, Suffolk County, New York, has caused all matters and things to be done which are required by the Town Law and other statutes made and provided in connection with the repeal of the existing Ordinance No. 29, entitled "Restraining and Running At Large of Dogs", and the adoption of the revised Ordinance No. 29, entitled "Restraining the Running At Large of Dogs".

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead hereby repeals the existing Ordinance No. 29, entitled, "Restraining the Running At Large of Dogs," and hereby ordains and enacts the following revised Ordinance No. 29, entitled "Restraining the Running At Large of Dogs":

**ORDINANCE NO. 29
TOWN OF RIVERHEAD
RESTRAINING THE RUNNING
AT LARGE OF DOGS**

SECTION 1. - DEFINITIONS: As used in this Ordinance, the following terms shall mean:

(a) Owner: Any person, group of persons, including the parent or guardian of an owner under the age of sixteen years, firm or corporation, owning, keeping or harboring a dog or dogs.

(b) Dog: Any dog of either sex, or any age.

(c) At Large: Any dog shall be at large when it is off the premises of its owner and not under the reasonable control of the owner.

(d) Reasonable Control: Any dog shall be under "reasonable control" when the dog is on the premises of its owner, or when the dog is with and obedient to its owner.

(e) Not Under Reasonable Control: A dog shall be deemed to be "not under reasonable control" when not upon the premises of its owner and not within the immediate custody of, and obedient to its

owner, or when the dog causes damage to a person or property of anyone other than the owner, except when the dog is in defense of its owner, the owner's family or property.

(f) Impound: To apprehend, catch, trap or net a dog and thereafter confine it.

(g) Muzzled: To put to death in any humane way.

(h) Muzzle: A fastening or covering for the mouth of an animal used to effectively prevent eating or baying.

**SECTION 2. - RESTRAINING
THE RUNNING OF DOGS AT
LARGE:**

Every person owning or having charge, custody, care or control of any dog, whether licensed or not, shall keep such dog exclusively upon his own premises, provided, however:

(a) Such dog is muzzled.
(b) Such dog when off such premises be under the immediate and reasonable control of its owner.

(c) That such dog if elsewhere than on the premises of such person or on the premises of another person with the consent of such other person and unless such person is engaged in hunting wild birds or animals with the aid of such dog during open seasons or unless such person shall take such dog afield for training in hunting.

(d) That any time such dog is not muzzled, it must be fully controlled by its owner by means of a rope, leash or other similar device when on any street, highway, park, or public place in the Town of Riverhead.

(e) That such dog shall not be taken into any establishment in the Town of Riverhead where food products are kept for sale if legible signs are displayed at each public entrance to such establishment that the entry of dogs is prohibited, or to be taken upon or in any other establishment where food or food products are kept for sale unless such dog is effectively restrained by a rope, leash or other similar device.

(f) That while a female dog is in heat, the dog shall be confined so as not to cause a public nuisance.

SECTION 3. - SEIZURE AND IMPOUNDING:

It shall be the duty of any police officer or the Dog Warden or other authority designated by the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead to apprehend and impound

any dog not under reasonable control of its owner, which:

(a) Is an unlicensed dog.
(b) Is running at large contrary to the provisions of this Ordinance.

(c) At anytime has destroyed property or habitually trespasses in a damaging way or commits a nuisance on the property of persons other than the owner or person harboring said dog.

(d) Shows vicious habits or molests passers-by who are lawfully on a public street, public park or school ground, whether or not said dog is on a public street.

(e) At anytime has attacked or bitten a person.

(f) Habitually enters on a public highway and runs or barks at pedestrians or vehicles.

(g) Is kept upon the premises of the owner or person harboring said dog under such unsanitary conditions that the maintenance or keeping of said dog creates vile smell to the annoyance of persons in the vicinity.

(h) By loud or frequent or habitual barking, yelping or howling, which cause disturbs or is a serious annoyance to the neighborhood or to people passing upon the streets.

**SECTION 4. - REDEMPTION OF
IMPOUNDED DOGS:**

Pursuant to Sections 114 and 114-a of Agriculture and Markets Law.

SECTION 5. - DOG BITE:

The owner of a dog which bites any person, shall be required to confine said dog and keep it under observation for a period of at least seven days. All expenses incurred incidental to said dog bite shall be borne by the owner of the biting dog. The owner of a dog which bites any person may notify and report such incident to the Suffolk County Health Department. In the event the biting dog must be disposed of, its head must not be damaged in any way, to provide a proper examination by an investigating agency. If at the end of the seven day observation period the dog is alive and healthy and said dog fulfills all other conditions of this ordinance, it may be released from confinement.

**SECTION 6. - POISONING DOGS
PROHIBITED:**

No person or persons shall feed or place so as to constitute a direct or obvious hazard to man or dog, or shall offer or tempt any dog with any liquid, or meat or

any food product which shall (a) cause prostration, convulsion, pain or suffering as a prelude to death, (b) death, or (c) be proven to be toxic or lethal in the amount present to any man or dog by competent medical or veterinary authority.

**SECTION 7. - NOTICES OF DOG
LICENSES:**

The Town Clerk of the Town of Riverhead shall cause notice to be given to the owners of dogs within the Town of Riverhead when the annual dog licenses must be secured.

SECTION 8. - PENALTY:

Any person owning or harboring a dog in violation of any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a violation punishable by imprisonment of a term not in excess of fifteen (15) days and/or by a fine of not less than \$10.00 for the first offense and not less than \$25.00 for the second or any subsequent offense, nor more than \$100.00.

**SECTION 9. - SEVERANCE
CLAUSE:**

The provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable and if any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance shall for any reason be held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining sections, sentences, clauses and phrases of this Ordinance but they shall remain in effect, it being the invalidity of any part.

SECTION 10. - REPEAL:

The Ordinance Restraining the Running At Large of Dogs No. 29, adopted April 5, 1960, is hereby repealed as of the date this ordinance shall go into effect.

**SECTION 11. - EFFECTIVE
DATE:**

The adoption of the aforesaid Ordinance Restraining the Running At Large of Dogs No. 29, shall take effect ten (10) days after such publication and posting. Dated: January 16, 1968

BY ORDER OF
THE TOWN BOARD
TOWN OF RIVERHEAD,
NEW YORK
HELENE M. BLOCK,
TOWN CLERK

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RESOLUTIONS continued:

The vote, Councilman Young, Yes, Councilman Grodski, Yes, Town Justice Zaloga, Yes, Town Justice Costello, Yes, and Supervisor Vojvoda, Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

The following Resolution was offered by Councilman Grodski and seconded by Town Justice Costello and adopted by the unanimous vote of the Town Board.

A RESOLUTION

OF

COMMENDATION TO HUGH WILSON FOR SERVICES
RENDERED AS MEMBER OF THE RIVERHEAD TOWN
PLANNING BOARD.

WHEREAS, Hugh Wilson has served as a member of the Town of Riverhead Planning Board from October 1, 1964 to December 31, 1967, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Town Board hereby express great appreciation to Hugh Wilson for services rendered and commends him for the harmonious and unpretentious manner in which he conducted himself during his tenure in office, and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Town Board extends to Hugh Wilson the best of good wishes for his future health and prosperity, and be it further

RESOLVED, That this Resolution be spread upon the minutes of the Town Board and a copy thereof certified by the Town Clerk under the Seal of the Town of Riverhead be forwarded to Hugh Wilson.

Town Justice Zaloga offered the following resolution which was seconded by Town Justice Costello.

WHEREAS, The Association of Towns Convention being held in New York City on February 5th, 6th, and 7th, 1968, falls on a regular meeting date of the Town Board scheduled to be held on February 8th, 1968, now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the regular meeting of this Board scheduled to be held on February 6th, 1968, be changed to and held on February 13th, 1968 at 10:30 A. M., and

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Town Clerk is hereby authorized to publish notice of the aforesaid meeting in the News-Review and to post a copy of the same on the sign board maintained by the Town Clerk.

The vote, Councilman Young, Yes, Councilman Grodski, Yes, Town Justice Zaloga, Yes, Town Justice Costello, Yes, and Supervisor Vojvoda, Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

RESOLUTIONS continued:

Town Justice Zaloga offered the following resolution which was seconded by Town Justice Costello.

PUBLIC NOTICE

WHEREAS, EMJAY PROPERTIES, INC., of 20 Jerusalem Avenue, Hicksville, New York, has heretofore filed with the Planning Board of the Town of Riverhead a preliminary subdivision plan for Rolling Woods of Roanoke and has received the approval of the Planning Board pursuant to its resolution adopted January 11th, 1967,

WHEREAS, EMJAY PROPERTIES, INC. has offered to sell to the Town of Riverhead a parcel comprising approximately 1.1 acres and located at the northeast corner of the said subdivision plan Rolling Woods of Roanoke, and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead, after per-

sonal inspection and due deliberation, is convinced that the said parcel would constitute a valuable addition to the asset of the Town of Riverhead, and particularly to its recreation program; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead has considered certain drainage plans relative to the parcel in question and recognizes the necessity for appropriate drainage installations, and

WHEREAS, EMJAY PROPERTIES, INC. has indicated to the Town Board its willingness to complete the construction of such drainage, and

WHEREAS, the Town Board has considered the existing vehicular traffic problem contigu-

ous to and within the said parcel.

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved, that the Town of Riverhead purchase from Emjay Properties, Inc., the parcel comprising of approximately 1.1 acres and located in the northeasterly corner of the subdivision plan known as Rolling Woods of Roanoke for a consideration of Two thousand five hundred dollars, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that in further consideration of the said purchase, Emjay Properties, Inc., shall at their own cost and expense install storm sewers and drains along Roanoke Avenue northerly from the proposed northerly intersection of Linda Lane East with Roanoke Avenue, as the same is more particularly speci-

fied in certain drainage plans for Rolling Woods of Roanoke dated December 28, 1966, and presently on file with Town of Riverhead, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the aforementioned resolution to acquire the 1.1-Acre Parcel be subject to permissive referendum.

Dated: January 16, 1968

BY ORDER OF
THE TOWN BOARD
TOWN OF
RIVERHEAD, N.Y.
HELENE M. BLOCK,
TOWN CLERK

The vote, Councilman Young, Yes, Councilman Grodski, Yes, Town Justice Zaloga, Yes, Town Justice Costello, Yes, and Supervisor Vojvoda, Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Councilman Young offered the following resolution which was seconded by Councilman Grodski.

RESOLVED, That the Town Clerk be and is hereby authorized to publish in the February 1, 1968, edition of the News-Review, the following Notice of Public Hearing:

"Pursuant to Section 265 of the Town Law and Section 501 of the Zoning Ordinance No. 26 of the Town of Riverhead, Suffolk County, New York, a public hearing will be held by the Riverhead Town Board at the Town Hall, 220 Roanoke Avenue, Riverhead, New York, on the 13th day of February, 1968, at 11:00 A.M. o'clock of said day on the following proposal to amend said Zoning Ordinance No. 26 of the Town of Riverhead, As Amended, as follows:

Article II, Section 205A, paragraph 30d (1) Amended to read:

(1) The dwelling may be occupied only from January 15 to November 30 in each year; and

Any person desiring to be heard on the proposed amendment should appear at the time and place specified.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Town Clerk send a copy of the Notice of Public Hearing amending Zoning Ordinance No. 26 of the Town of Riverhead to the Towns of Southampton, Brookhaven and Southold and to the Suffolk County Planning Commission and to the State Park Commission.

RESOLUTIONS continued:

The vote, Councilman Young, Yes, Councilman Grodski, Yes, Town Justice Zaloga, Yes, Town Justice Costello, Yes, and Supervisor Vojvoda, Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Councilman Young offered the following resolution which was seconded by Councilman Grodski.

RESOLVED, That Highway bills submitted on Abstracts dated January 16, 1968, as follows:

Machinery Item No. 3-Municipal Machinery Co. Inc., dated December 6, 1967, and 28, 1967 and January 3 and 5, 1968, for \$2353.80; Miscellaneous Item 4-Local Steel and Supply Co., dated January 1, 1968 for \$885.00, be and are hereby approved for payment.

The vote, Councilman Young, Yes, Councilman Grodski, Yes, Town Justice Zaloga, Yes, Town Justice Costello, Yes, and Supervisor Vojvoda, Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Councilman Young offered the following resolution which was seconded by Councilman Grodski.

WHEREAS, The Superintendent of Highways has re-hired Timothy V. Benton as Automotive Equipment Operator in the Highway Department effective January 12, 1968, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Superintendent be and is hereby authorized to pay said Timothy V. Benton, Automotive Equipment Operator, an hourly salary of \$2.25, payable bi-weekly.

The vote, Councilman Young, Yes, Councilman Grodski, Yes, Town Justice Zaloga, Yes, providing a policy is set on re-hiring employees, Town Justice Costello, Yes, on the employee, No, on the rate of pay, and Supervisor Vojvoda, Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Town Justice Costello offered the following resolution which was seconded by Town Justice Zaloga.

RESOLVED, That William C. Haugaard be and is hereby appointed Town Attorney for a term commencing with the 1st day of February, 1968, and ending with the 31st day of December, 1969; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the salary of the Town Attorney be \$9,166.67 for the eleven month period in 1968, which salary is to be pro-rated and paid bi-weekly.

The vote, Councilman Young, Yes, Councilman Grodski, Yes, Town Justice Zaloga, Yes, Town Justice Costello, Yes, and Supervisor Vojvoda, Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Town Justice Costello offered the following resolution which was seconded by Town Justice Zaloga.

RESOLVED, That the Long Island Lighting Company be and is hereby authorized to make a survey for additional street lighting in the area of the Wading River Post-office and the corner of North Country Road and Zophar Mills Road, Wading River, New York.

RESOLUTIONS continued:

The vote, Councilman Young, Yes, Councilman Grodski, Yes, Town Justice Zaloga, Yes, Town Justice Costello, Yes, and Supervisor Vojvoda, Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Town Justice Zaloga offered the following resolution which was seconded by Town Justice Costello.

RESOLVED, That the bid for Fuel Oil for the use of all Town Departments for the year 1968, be and it is hereby awarded to Long Island Reliable Corporation, 88 East Hoffman Avenue, Lindenhurst, New York 11757, at the cost of \$ 1245 per gallon, and

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the acceptance of said bid is subject to the bid and specification form submitted by Long Island Reliable Corporation and filed in the Office of the Town Clerk.

The vote, Councilman Young, Yes, Councilman Grodski, Yes, Town Justice Zaloga, Yes, and Town Justice Costello, Yes, and Supervisor Vojvoda, Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Councilman Young offered the following resolution which was seconded by Councilman Grodski.

RESOLVED, That the bid for Heavy Duty Snow Fence and Snow Fence Posts as required by the Riverhead Highway Department for the year 1968, be and it is hereby awarded to Local Steel and Supply Co., Inc., 60 Jericho Turnpike, Mineola, New York, 11501, at a cost of \$18.00 per delivered price of snow fence per 100 foot lineal roll and \$.87 delivered price of six (6) foot snow fence posts, subject to the bid and specification form submitted by Local Steel and Supply Co., Inc., and filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

The vote, Councilman Young, Yes, Councilman Grodski, Yes, Town Justice Zaloga, Yes, Town Justice Costello, Yes, and Supervisor Vojvoda, Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Town Justice Zaloga offered the following resolution which was seconded by Town Justice Costello.

RESOLVED, That the Deed of Frank Firth and Rose Firth, his wife, to the Town of Riverhead, dated December 19, 1967, covering certain property at Wading River, Town of Riverhead, New York for highway purposes be and is hereby accepted.

The vote, Councilman Young, Yes, Councilman Grodski, Yes, Town Justice Zaloga, Yes, Town Justice Costello, Yes, and Supervisor Vojvoda, Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

COMMITTEE

Supervisor Vojvoda designated Town Justice Costello, Donald Rhuda, Recreation Supervisor and Supt. of Highways Alex E. Horton as a Committee to meet with the Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of resolving future Christmas Decorating Operations in the Town of Riverhead.

Councilman Young made the following statement in connection with the vacancy on the Planning Board.

"At the time the Town of Riverhead Planning Board was established the Town Board had a Democratic majority. It was their belief that a body as important as a Planning Board should at all times be bi-partisan and so this Board appointed three Republicans and two Democrats as members of the Town Planning Board. Up to this present time that ratio has been maintained. Our present Town Planning Board consists of three Republicans and one Democrat and the Democratic Party feels it should be allowed in all fairness to recommend the name of a Democrat to fill the vacancy. At this time I present the name of David J. Dougherty to fill the existing vacancy."

Councilman Young offered the following resolution.

RESOLVED, That David J. Dougherty be and is hereby appointed as a member of the Riverhead Town Planning Board.

The motion was not seconded and therefore was not entertained.

Edward Munson, Building Inspector asked the Town Board if it would be permissible to use the Town Car for transportation purposes to the Association of Towns Convention in New York City.

Approval granted by the Board.

BOARD OF AUDIT

The Town Board ~~convenes~~ as a Board of Audit and examined General Town bills submitted on Abstract No. 1 in the amount of \$28,053.22, Highway Item No. 1-\$1,213.42, Highway Item No. 3-\$3,377.45 and Highway Item No. 4-\$3,865.01.

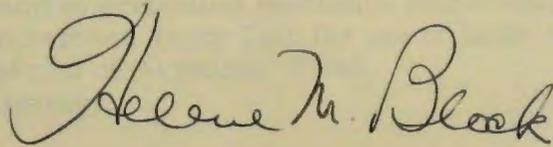
Councilman Grodski offered the following resolution which was seconded by Councilman Young.

RESOLVED, That General Town bills submitted in the amount of \$28,053.22, be approved for payment, and

FURTHER RESOLVED, That Highway Item No. 1 bills in the amount of \$1,213.42, Highway Item No. 3-\$3,377.45 and Highway Item No. 4-\$3,865.01, be approved for payment.

The vote, Councilman Young, Yes, Councilman Grodski, Yes, Town Justice Maloga, Yes, Town Justice Costello, Yes, and Supervisor Vojvoda, Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

There being no further business on motion and vote, the meeting adjourned to meet on Tuesday, February 13, 1968 at 10:30 A.M.



Helene M. Block, Town Clerk