

Minutes of a Special Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead,  
held at the Town Hall, Riverhead, New York, on Thursday, January 19, 1967 at 10:00  
A.M.

Present:

Robert B. Vojvoda, Supervisor

Bruno F. Zaloga, Jr.  
Thomas R. Costello, Justices of the Peace

Vincent B. Grodski  
George G. Young, Councilmen

Also present: Shepard M. Scheinberg, Town Attorney.

WAIVER OF NOTICE AND CONSENT OF MEETING

WE, the undersigned, being all members of the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead, Suffolk County and State of New York, do hereby waive notice of the time, place, date and purpose of a meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead, to be held at the Town Hall, Riverhead, New York, at 10:00 A.M., on the 19th day of January, 1967, and do consent to the holding of such meeting for the purpose of adopting resolutions pertaining to the matter of the proposed establishment of a Jetport at Calverton, within the Township of Riverhead.

Dated at Riverhead, N. Y.

January 19th, 1967

Signed: Robert B. Vojvoda  
Supervisor

Bruno Zaloga, Jr.  
Justice of the Peace

Thomas R. Costello  
Justice of the Peace

George G. Young  
Councilman

Vincent B. Grodski  
Councilman

Justice Costello moved the adoption of the following resolution which was seconded by the remaining members of the Board and declared unanimously adopted.

WHEREAS, it has been recommended that the Grumman Aircraft Engineering Corporation facilities located at the U. S. Navy's Calverton property be the site of a proposed master jetport, and

WHEREAS, the Riverhead Town Board desires to state its position on the aforesaid proposal, now be it

RESOLVED, that the Riverhead Town Board does emphatically oppose any proposed master jetport located at the U. S. Navy's Peconic River Facility (Calverton) for the following reasons:

A. The major loss of employment and its economic ramifications to the Town of Riverhead, Suffolk and Nassau Counties as a result of the removal of the Grumman Aircraft Engineering Corporation facilities at Calverton and at Bethpage;

B. The major loss of \$115,000.00 of tax revenues to the Town of Riverhead as a result of the removal of the facilities at Calverton from the tax rolls;

C. The resultant waste land of eastern Long Island's major resort areas covering a 40 mile radius caused by sonic booms and noise;

D. The resultant loss of vital defense facilities at Calverton/in this time of emergency in Viet Nam;

E. The discard of the Town of Riverhead Master Plan which has been patiently and prudently developed;

F. The resultant loss of home rule of local government over local projects;

G. The inaccessability of the Calverton site from a viewpoint of transportation; and

H. The resultant destruction of Riverhead's prime residential areas of Calverton, Wading River and Baiting Hollow. (End)

There being no further business, on motion and vote, the meeting adjourned.

*Helene M. Block*

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Town Clerk