

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead held in the Town Hall on Tuesday, March 1, 1955 at 10:00 A.M.

Present:

Joseph V. Kelly, Supervisor

William J. Leonard

Austin H. Warner

Frank J. Yousik, Justices of the Peace

Absent: Otis G. Pike, Justice of the Peace

Also present were: Oliver W. Hubbard, Town Attorney, Myron C. Young, Superintendent of Highways, Stephen J. Grodski, Police Chief, Alden W. Young, Superintendent of Sewers, Roselle Benjamin, Water Plant Superintendent and John Riedsorph, Asst. Superintendent to the Water District.

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Board held on February 15, 1955, were submitted and on motion made by Justice Warner and seconded by Justice Leonard, it was Resolved that the minutes be accepted as submitted. The Vote---Justices Leonard, Warner and Yousik, Yes; Supervisor Kelly, Yes; Justice Pike, Absent. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

The Police Report for the month of February 1955 was submitted to the Board and ordered placed on file.

Charles Allen Horton, Receiver of Taxes of the Town of Riverhead submitted reports of the amount of taxes collected as of February 16, 1955 and February 28, 1955. The reports were ordered placed on file.

A communication was read from the Town of Riverhead Planning Board advising that the following resolution was passed unanimously at their meeting held on February 14, 1955: RESOLVED, that the Planning Board recommends that the Town of Riverhead should not accept any highways less than $49\frac{1}{2}$ feet in width, even though by approval of the Superintendent of Public Works of the State of New York, a highway less than $49\frac{1}{2}$ feet might be accepted and BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead." The communication was ordered placed on file.

A communication was read to the Board from Albert P. Warner, Riverhead, N.Y. submitting preliminary plans for the acceptance by the Town of Riverhead as public highways, certain roads off Hubbard Avenue at Aquebogue, N.Y. The matter was referred to the Riverhead Town Planning Board.

The following report was submitted relative to the pruning of 478 trees in the Town of Riverhead. Bids were opened on February 21, 1955 at 10:00 A.M. as follows:

Dennis Maud Tree Expert Company	\$950.00
The Davey Tree Expert Company	970.00
The F.A. Bartlett Tree Expert Company	1554.00

The bids were ordered placed on file.

On motion made by Justice Yousik and seconded by Justice Leonard, it was Resolved that the bid of the Dennis Maud Tree Expert Company to prune approximately 478 trees in the Town of Riverhead for the sum of \$950.00 be accepted and that the supervisor be authorized to enter into an agreement with the said Company for the said amount. The Vote--Justices Leonard, Warner and Yousik, Yes; Supervisor Kelly, Yes; Justice Pike, Absent. The Resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

The Town Attorney, Oliver W. Hubbard, rendered an opinion relative to the complaint of Frank Severdija against the Riverhead Savings Bank's Peconic River project. In summation, it was the opinion of the Town Attorney that no rights of the Town of Riverhead have been injudiciously encroached upon. The communication was ordered placed on file.

On motion made by Justice Leonard and seconded by Justice Yousik, it was Resolved that the Town Board meet at the Town Hall on Tuesday, March 15, 1955 to consider the purchase of one 5-8 Ton Tandem Roller for the Riverhead Town Highway Department at a maximum estimated cost of \$6,000 and that the Town Clerk public notice of Public Hearing to be held at 10:30 A.M. and the opening of sealed bids at 10:45 A.M. on said day relative to the purchase of said roller. The Vote---Justices Leonard, Warner and Yousik, Yes; Supervisor Kelly, Yes; Justice Pike, Absent. The Resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

The Town Board convened as a Board of Audit and examined all Town bills to date, the total of which was as follows: General Town Fund---\$2867.83 and Highway Machinery Fund---\$115.80. On motion and vote it was Resolved that the bills be approved as rendered.

The Town Board adjourned to convene at 2:00 P.M.

The Town Board reconvened at 2:00 P.M. with Justices Leonard, Warner, Yousik and Supervisor Kelly present.

The Board met with Special Attorney, Samuel Hays, and the heads of all official departments and a discussion was held relative to the revision of the Town Ordinances that are now in effect.

There being no further business on motion and vote the meeting adjourned to meet on Tuesday, March 15, 1955 at 10:00 A.M.

Anthony F. Gadzinski
Anthony F. Gadzinski, Town Clerk

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