

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead held in the Town Hall on Wednesday, July 18, 1951 at 2:00 P.M.

Present:

Joseph V. Kelly, Supervisor

Austin H. Warner,
Frank J. Yousik,
Charles W. Gatz,
William J. Leonard, Justices of the Peace

William J. Hattrick, Town Attorney and Myron C. Young, Supt. of Highways were also present.

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Board held on July 3, 1951 were read and on motion and vote were duly adopted.

Mr. George Hoecker and Mr. Gerald Fraser representing the Riverhead Lions Club appeared before the Board and commended it for their efforts in having West Main Street widened at the intersection of Griffing Ave., They recommended that two or four benches from the park be moved near the sidewalk in order that people waiting for the buses may rest. They were assured that the Board would look into the matter.

The notice of Public Hearing in regard to the contracts for fire protection for the Riverhead Fire Protection District for the year 1952 was read.

Proof of publication of the above notice was submitted and ordered placed on file.

Supervisor Kelly thereupon declared the hearing open and anyone who wished could be heard at that time.

No one having appeared wishing to be heard, the hearing was declared closed.

On motion made by Justice Warner and seconded by Justice Yousik it was Resolved that the sum of \$7500.00 be appropriated for the purpose of purchasing fire protection for the Riverhead Fire Protection District for the year 1952, and further Resolved that the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead enter into contracts with the Riverhead Fire District, the Wading River Fire Department, Inc., the Manorville Fire Department, Inc. and the Jamesport-South Jamesport Fire Department, Inc. for such fire protection and that the said sum of \$7500.00 be prorated between the aforesaid Fire Departments, for such fire protection, according to the assessed valuation of their respective areas. The Vote, Justices Warner, Yousik, Gatz and Leonard Yes, Supervisor Kelly Yes. The Resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Proof of publication and affidavit of posting the notice of the adoption of Ordinance No.15, Town of Riverhead, on July 12, 1951, effective date July 22, 1951 was submitted to the board and on motion and vote was ordered placed on file.

On motion made by Justice Warner and seconded by Justice Yousik it was Resolved that Nicholas Stachiw, Watchman at the Town Dump be appointed Special Police Patrolman for the purpose of enforcing Ordinance No.15, said appointment to carry no additional compensation. The Vote, Justices Warner, Yousik, Gatz and Leonard Yes, Supervisor Kelly Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

A communication was read from Antone J. Regula, Parade Chairman of the Riverhead Fire Department cordially inviting the Town Board to participate in their Annual Bazaar Parade to be held on Thursday, August 16, 1951 at 7:30 P.M. and suggested that the Board might like to enter a float in the parade. On motion and vote, the Town Clerk was instructed to acknowledge the letter and express its thanks for the kind invitation to participate in the annual bazaar parade and that the Board does not feel inclined to enter a float. The letter was ordered placed on file.

On motion made by Justice Leonard and seconded by Justice Gatz it was Resolved, pursuant to Chapter 763 of the Agriculture and Markets Law, as amended, that each Assessor be allowed eight cents a mile for travel expenses for an inquiry as to damages done by dogs. The Vote, Justices Warner, Yousik, Gatz and Leonard Yes, Supervisor Kelly Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

A communication was read from the Corps of Engineers, U.S.Army, New York District, 80 Lafayette St. New York, N.Y. inclosing an Army Permit dated July 12, 1951 to construct two timber wharves in Peconic River about 600 and 800 feet east of Peconic Avenue at Riverhead, N.Y. The communication and permit were ordered placed on file.

A communication was read from the New York State Traffic Commission acknowledging receipt of T.C.9 Forms dated July 13, 1951 requesting the prohibition of parking from 8:00 A.M. to 3:30 P.M. on school days on Osborn Avenue and Pulaski Street, Riverhead, N.Y. An investigation of conditions has been initiated and when their study has been completed, such action will be taken as may be proper and possible under the circumstances. We will be notified when a decision has been made. The communication was ordered placed on file.

On motion made by Justice Leonard and seconded by Justice Gatz it was Resolved that the Long Island Lighting Company be authorized to install 1-100 C.P. street light on pole #2-5 on Hallett Street in the Riverhead Lighting District. The resolution was adopted by the unanimous vote of the Board.

The Supervisor's report for the month of June 1951 was submitted to the Board and on motion and vote was accepted and ordered placed on file.

On motion made by Justice Warner and seconded by Justice Leonard it was Resolved, that Robert Milette be appointed Life-guard for the Town of Riverhead, retroactive as of July 14, 1951 to serve at the pleasure of the Town Board until Labor Day, inclusive, subject to the approval of the Civil Service Commission, salary fixed at the rate of \$40. 00 per week. The Vote, Justices Warner, Yousik, Gatz and Leonard Yes, Supervisor Kelly Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

The Town Board then convened as a Board of Audit and examined all Town Bills to date the totals of which were as follows: General Town Fund-\$4,074.16, Highway Machinery Fund-\$239.49.

There being no further business on motion and vote the meeting adjourned to meet on Wednesday, August 1, 1951 at 2:00 P.M.

Harry J. Kratoville
Harry J. Kratoville, Town Clerk.