

Minutes of a Special Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead, held in the Town Hall on Friday, July 27, 1934, at 10:00 A.M. pursuant to a notice.

Present:

Milton L. Burns, Supervisor

Syrena Stackpole,  
George E. Luce, Justices of the Peace.

Town Attorney Reginald C. Smith was present.

Notice of purpose of meeting was read, <sup>and</sup> ordered placed on file, together with the admission of service signed by the members of the Town Board.

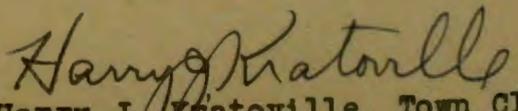
On motion duly made by Justice Luce and seconded by Justice Stackpole, it was RESOLVED: that a Special Town Election be held in the Town of Riverhead, in the Justice's Court Room of the Town Hall at the southeasterly corner of Roanoke Avenue and Second Street in the Town on the 17th day of August, 1934, between the hours of one o'clock in the afternoon and seven o'clock in the evening Eastern Standard Time for the purpose of voting upon the following proposition:

PROPOSITION #1. Shall the Town of Riverhead establish and maintain a public parking place on lands of Florence Hallett and Dewey Leavitt, east of Peconic Avenue, acquire by rental necessary lands therefor and equip the same with suitable structures and apparatus and expend in such establishment and equipment not more than \$300.00.

Be it further,

RESOLVED: that the Town Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to publish the notice of special election in the Riverhead News and The County Review, Riverhead, pursuant to a statute made and provided. The Vote, Justices Stackpole and Luce, Yes; Supervisor Burns, Yes. Total Vote Yes 3 No 0. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

There being no further business on motion and vote the Board adjourned till July 31, 1934 at 10:00 A.M.

  
Harry J. Kratochvil, Town Clerk.

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Board of the Town of  
Riverhead held July 31, 1934 in the Town Hall at 10:00 A. M.

Present:

Milton L. Burns, Supervisor

Robert Burnside,  
Syrena Stackpole,  
George E. Luce,  
Julian Rubenstein, Justices of the Peace.

Reginald C. Smith, Town Attorney was present.

Minutes of a meeting held on July 10, 14 and 27, 1934  
were read and on motion and vote duly adopted.

Communication from the County Treasurer of Suffolk County,  
requesting satisfaction of Receivers bonds for 1933 tax collections was  
read and ordered placed on calendar for next Town Board meeting.

Communication from John B. Schmitt, Accountant, in regard  
to Article 8, Section 1 of the Sales Tax Regulation was read and ordered  
placed on file.

Communication from John B. Schmitt in regard to the Fishel  
avenue Sidewalk Account together with an accounting of same, was read and  
ordered placed on file.

Communication was read from the State Education Department  
calling to the attention of the Board, Section 640 of the Education Law, which  
requires the Town Board (under Subdivision A. 2) to appoint on or before  
August 1st of each year one or more attendance officers for the Town and to  
fix their compensation.

On motion duly made by Justice Rubenstein and seconded by  
Justice Stackpole, it was RESOLVED, that Joseph K. Major be and he hereby is  
appointed Attendance Officer of Riverhead School District No. 1, 2, 3, 4,  
12 and 13 and that Lorimer M. Raynor be and he hereby is appointed Attendance  
Officer of Riverhead School Districts No. 8, 9, 10 and 11, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the compensation of each Attendance Officer  
and the same hereby is fixed at the rate of \$250.00 per year, payable  
semi-annually, which compensation shall include all expenses other than those  
incurred when attending meetings outside of the Town of Riverhead, called by  
the District Superintendent of Schools, at which time actual expenses are  
to be paid by the Town of Riverhead. The vote, Justices Burnside, Stackpole,  
Rubenstein, Yes, Justice Luce, not voting, Supervisor Burns, Yes. Total vote,  
4, Not voting 1, No 0. The resolution was duly adopted.

Thomas J. Walker, Special Policeman in Charge addressed the  
Board in regard to the congested parking and traffic condition at the Howell  
Reeve Park at the Sound and suggested that an officer be stationed there  
on Sundays.

On motion duly made by Justice Luce and seconded by Justice Rubenstein, it was RESOLVED, that Frank Tatum be and he hereby is appointed a Special Policeman to maintain order and to direct traffic at Howell M. Reeve Park, for six days, under the Supervision of Thomas J. Walker, Special Policeman in Charge, at the pleasure of the Board, salary the rate of fifty cents (\$.50) per hour. The vote, Justices Burnside, Stackpole, Luce and Rubenstein, Yes, Supervisor Burns, Yes. Total vote, 5, No 0. The resolution was duly adopted.

On motion duly made by Justice Rubenstein and seconded by Justice Luce, it was RESOLVED, that an engineer be employed by the Town to mark the easterly and westerly boundary lines of the Howell M. Reeve Park the beach and that suitable signs be placed to distinguish the boundaries thereof. The vote, Justices Burnside, Stackpole, Luce and Rubenstein, Yes, Supervisor Burns, Yes. Total vote, Yes 5, No 0. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Thomas J. Walker, Policeman in Charge also called the Board's attention to the condition of the beach adjacent to the Howell M. Reeve Park, in regard to the amount of rubbish etc., which is accumulating there and which may cause an unsanitary condition.

On motion duly made by Justice Rubenstein and seconded by Justice Stackpole, it was RESOLVED, by unanimous consent, that a Committee be appointed to take the matter before Dr. Davis, Supervisor of the Suffolk County Department of Health in order that the situation may be properly investigated. A committee composed of Supervisor Burns and Justice Rubenstein was appointed to take up the matter.

The Town Board recessed at 12:00 Noon to reconvene at 3:30 P. M.

Upon the complaint of the Welfare Department after due investigation and upon advise of the Town Attorney, the following resolution was duly made by Justice Stackpole and seconded by Justice Burnside

RESOLVED, that the Supervisor is authorized and directed to prosecute in the name of the Town of Riverhead a civil action against Stephen Johnson of Jamesport, N. Y. for the sum of \$34.98, and interest, and any damages for fraudulently obtaining groceries and wearing apparel on the order of the Town Public Welfare Officer during the months of March, April and May, 1934, pursuant to Subdivision 8 of Section 29 and Section 65 of the Town Law. The vote, Justices Burnside, Stackpole, Luce and Rubenstein, Yes, Supervisor Burns, Yes. Total vote, Yes 5, No 0. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

A petition signed by the inhabitants in the vicinity of East Avenue extension, running north of Franklin Street to change the name of the Street now known as "East Avenue Extension" to "Park Avenue", and to have all houses numbered thereon was presented to the Board. By unanimous consent, the Supervisor appointed a Committee composed of Justices Burnside and Luce to look into the matter.

On motion duly made by Justice Luce and seconded by Justice Stackpole, it was RESOLVED, that Public Liability Policy No. O. T. 200680, Traffic Lights in the Township of Riverhead, N. Y. be renewed for one year from August 14, 1934. Money to be paid from the Insurance Fund. The vote, Justices Burnside No, Justices Stackpole, Luce and Rubenstein, Yes, Supervisor

Supervisor Burns, No. Total vote, Yes 3, No 2. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Justice Rubenstein offered the following resolution which was seconded by Justice Stackpole

WHEREAS, Miss Katherine Shivers, Case Work Supervisor of the Town of Riverhead, now having a very small case load, and Mrs Alma Bishop, Case Work Supervisor of Southampton, East Hampton and Southold, covering entirely too much territory to be carried adequately by her, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that Miss Shivers be and she hereby is transferred from the Riverhead to the Suffolk County payroll and assigned to supervise, in addition to Riverhead, either Southampton or Southold, whichever town Justice Bishop and the County Case Work Supervisor agree should be added to her territory. The vote, Justices Burnside, Stackpole, Luce and Rubenstein, Yes, Supervisor Burns, Yes. Total vote, Yes 5, No 0. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

On motion duly made by Justice Burnside and seconded by Justice Stackpole, it was RESOLVED, that a hearing be held by the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead, pursuant to Section 130 of the Town Law on the question of an Ordinance restricting the traffic on Roanoke Avenue between Second Street and Main Street in said Town to northbound traffic only. Said hearing to be held at the Town Hall in Riverhead, N. Y. on the 14th day of August at 10:00 A. M. Daylight Saving Time, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Town Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to publish the notice of hearing in the Riverhead News and the County Review, pursuant to a statute made and provided. The vote, Justices Burnside, Stackpole, Luce and Rubenstein, Yes, Supervisor Burns, not voting. Total vote, Yes 4, Not voting, 1, No 0. The resolution was thereupon declared duly carried.

The Town Board then convened as a Board of Audit and examined the bills for the month of July.

There being no further business on motion and vote, the Board adjourned till August 14, 1934 at 10:00 A. M.

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