

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead, held in the Town Hall on Wednesday, December 4th, 1940 at 2:00 P. M.

Present:-

Elmer J. B. Sawyer, Supervisor

Austin H. Warner,
Fred. H. Boutcher,
Joseph V. Kelly,
Henry M. Zaleski, Justices of the Peace.

Solomon Raffe, Town Attorney was present.

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Board held on November 20th, 1940 were read and on motion and vote were duly adopted.

A communication was read from the League of Woman Voters stating that it is unanimously opposed to any effort of the Long Island Railroad to remove watchmen from the four Railroad crossings particularly because of the school children. The communication was ordered placed on file.

August D. Schoenfeld, Attorney of Patchogue, L. I., addressed the Board and submitted an application of the Quinn Bus Line to operate a omnibus between Camp Upton and Riverhead. The application was ordered placed on file.

Justice Warner offered the following resolution which was seconded by Justice Boutcher.

WHEREAS, an application has been filed by Thomas J. Quinn, doing business as Quinn's Bus Line, with the Town Board of Riverhead for the granting of a franchise, right, privilege and consent to establish, maintain and operate a motor omnibus in the conveyance and transportation of persons upon, along and over certain streets in the Town of Riverhead, now therefore be it

RESOLVED that a public hearing be held at the Town Hall, Riverhead, New York, on December 19th, 1940 at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon in regard to the application for a franchise by Quinn's Bus Line, and it is further

RESOLVED that the Town Clerk be and he hereby is directed to give notice of said hearing by publishing a notice of said hearing at least ten days prior to said hearing in the Riverhead News, the official newspaper of the Town of Riverhead, published in Riverhead, New York. The resolution was adopted by the unanimous vote of the Board.

A communication was read from the Department of Agriculture and Markets advising the Board that pursuant to the provisions of Section 108 of the Agriculture and Markets Law, it is the duty of each Town Board in the month of December, 1940 to appoint one or more persons as enumerators, whose duty it is to prepare a list of all owners or harborers of dogs in the Town during the month of January, 1941. The communication was ordered placed on file.

On motion made by Justice Warner and seconded by Justice Boutcher, it was RESOLVED that Howard Wells be and he hereby is appointed dog enumerator in and for the Town of Riverhead for the year 1941. The vote, Justices Warner, Boutcher and Kelly, Yes, Justice Zaleski, No, Supervisor Sawyer, Yes. Total vote, Yes 4, No 1. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Supervisor Sawyer submitted his report for the month of November, 1940 and on motion and vote was accepted and ordered placed on file.

Justice Zaleski of the Loghting Committee reporting upon the matter of a light at the entrance of the alley between the County Review Building and the Colyer Building recommended that a reflector light be placed on the pole at the entrance of the alley and East Main Street.

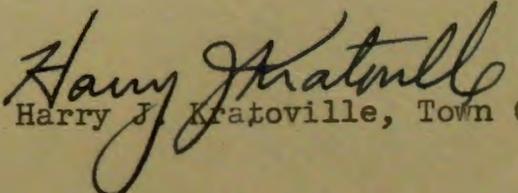
On motion made by Justice Warner and seconded by Justice Kelly, it was RESOLVED that the Long Island Lighting Company be authorized to place one ornamental bracket with 600 C. P. lamp on pole #7, East Main Street in the Riverhead Lighting District. The vote, Justices Warner, Boutcher, Kelly and Zaleski, Yes, Supervisor Sawyer, Yes. Total vote, Yes 5, No 0. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

On motion made by Justice Warner and seconded by Justice Zaleski, it was RESOLVED that the Highway Bond of the Supervisor be fixed at the sum of \$96,675.00 and that the Town Bond of the Supervisor be fixed at the sum of \$40,000.00. The resolution was adopted by the unanimous vote of the Board.

On motion made by Justice Kelly and seconded by Justice Warner, it was RESOLVED that four additional Clerks be employed to assist the Receiver of Taxes. The said clerks to serve at the discretion of the Receiver of Taxes, salary fixed at the rate of \$4.00 per day. The vote, Justices Warner, Boutcher, Kelly and Zaleski, Yes, Supervisor Sawyer, Yes. Total vote Yes 5, No 0. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

The Town Board then convened as a Board of Audit and examined the bills of the Town to date.

There being no further business on motion and vote, the meeting adjourned to meet on Thursday, December 19th, 1940 at 2:00 P. M.


Harry J. Kratochville, Town Clerk.