

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead held in the Town Hall on Wednesday, June 6, 1951 at 3:00 P.M.

Present:

Joseph V. Kelly, Supervisor

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

William J. Hattrick, Town Attorney was also present.

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Board held on May 16, 1951 were read and on motion and vote were duly adopted.

Mr. Lester M. Emmett, representing the Wading River Civic Association addressed the Board and asked that some help be given their local Police to enforce the "No Trespass" Ordinance as many objectional things are being done in front of the bungalows on the beach by transients who come and loiter all day. He felt that the solution to the problem would be to enact an ordinance restricting parking for one hour at the parking area and also at the end of Creek Road. He asked the Board to give this matter serious consideration.

A communication was read from the Wading River Civic Association asking the Board to place a street light on the last pole at the end of Creek Road and also for a check of the road signs, with some having no street name signs. The communication was ordered placed on file.

Mrs Edward Kempf of Wading River addressed the Board and confirmed what was said by Mr. Emmett and the communication from the Wading River Civic Association.

A communication was read from the Socony Vacuum Oil Company asking the Board whether or not it contemplates putting in a side-walk in front of its gasoline station on the south side of East Main St. in the near future as they intend to black-top the front of their property. The communication was referred to the Highway Committee.

A communication was read from the Board of Education of School District No. 5, requesting the Board to limit the parking of any cars on the north side of Pulaski Street between Griffing Avenue and Osborn Avenue and on the east side of Osborn Avenue, north of Pulaski Street, during school hours from 8:00 A.M. to 3:30 P.M. The communication was ordered placed on file.

On motion made by Justice Warner and seconded by Justice Gatz it was Resolved that the Town Board of Riverhead, New York request the New York State Traffic Commission to establish a no parking area on the north side of Pulaski Street between Griffing Avenue and Osborn Avenue and on the east side of Osborn Avenue, north of Pulaski Street to the drive-in to the school during school hours from 8:00 A.M. to 3:30 P.M. and that Alden W. Young, C.E. be authorized to prepare the necessary maps. The resolution was adopted by the unanimous vote of the Board present.

A communication was read from Mr. Leroy Silverman and others requesting the Board to have the sidewalk repaired on the south side of East Main St. from the Bon Marche to Roanoke Ave. as it creates a hazardous condition. The matter was referred to the Highway Committee to see that the necessary repairs are made.

A communication was read from Mr. J. Leo Saxstein calling the Board's attention to the steep drop from the service road in Grangebel Park about where the old Tower Mill use to stand and recommended that a guard rail be placed at that particular spot. The communication was ordered placed on file. It was brought up that the matter was already under consideration.

A communication was read from Mr. Lee Hollingsworth stating that he understands that Pulaski Street in it's present path, encroaches upon his property east of Raynor Avenue and that he does not acquiese in this encroachment and wished to serve notice to vacate same. The communication was ordered placed on file.

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

The Receiver of Taxes submitted a report of the amount of taxes collected as of June 1st, 1951 and on motion and vote was accepted and ordered placed on file.

The Police report for the month of May, 1951 was submitted to the Board and on motion and vote was accepted and ordered placed on file.

On motion made by Justice Gatz and seconded by Justice Yousik it was Resolved that a Public Hearing be held by the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead in the Town Hall, Roanoke avenue, Riverhead, N.Y. at 1:30 P.M. on July 3, 1951 to consider and discuss the terms and enactment of a proposed ordinance concerning the regulation and use of a Public Dump or Disposal Area in the Town of Riverhead and further resolved that the Town Clerk be authorized to publish notice thereof pursuant to Law. The resolution was adopted by the unanimous vote of the Board present.

On motion made by Justice Gatz and seconded by Justice Warner it was Resolved, that the Resolution duly adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead on February 14, 1951 authorizing the Long Island Lighting Compay to install 2 new 250 C.P. street lights with 8 ft. arms on Route 58 in front of the Central Suffolk Hospital be and the same is hereby rescinded, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Long Island Lighting Company be authorized to install 4-600 C.P. underground street lights in front of the Central Suffolk Hospital, Riverhead, New York according to a sketch submitted by Mr. W.F. Koop of the Long Island Lighting Company. The resolution was adopted by the unanimous vote of the Board present.

Communications were read from Mr. Reginald C. Smith, President and Mr. Blair M. Patterson, Administrator of the Central Suffolk Hospital approving the above lights provided that the lights are constructed in such a way that neither the direct glare from the lights or from the glow will light up the patients' rooms on the south side of the Hospital. The communications were ordered placed on file.

On motion made by Justice Gatz and seconded by Justice Warner it was Resolved, that the Long Island Lighting Company be authorized to place one 100 C.P. street light on the last pole or stub on the west end of Creek Road and to remove the present light on the preceding pole, in the Wading River Light District. The resolution was adopted by the unanimous vote of the Board present.

On motion made by Justice Warner and seconded by Justice Gatz it was Resolved, that David McKillop be appointed a Special Police Patrolman of the Town of Riverhead to serve under the direction and supervision of the Chief of Police. ^{salary fixed at \$1.25 per hour} The Vote, Justices Warner, Yousik and Gatz Yes, Supervisor Kelly Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

Justice Leonard was present.

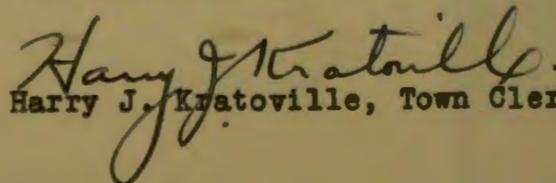
On motion made by Justice Warner and seconded by Justice Yousik it was Resolved, that Selden Heatley be appointed a Special Policeman ~~Patrolman~~ of the Town of Riverhead to serve under the direction and supervision of the Chief of Police, salary fixed at the rate of \$1.25 per hour, said resolution retroactive as of May 18, 1951. The Vote, Justices Warner, Yousik and Gatz Yes, Supervisor Kelly Yes. The resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

The Supervisor read a report of the Town Attorney relative to Town Ordinance #8. The matter was referred to the Chief of Police.

On motion made by Justice Yousik and second by Justice Gatz it was Resolved that the Supt. of Highways be authorized to attend the Highway Supt's School to be held at Ithaca, N.Y. on June 18, 19, 20, 1951 and that all necessary expenses be paid. The Resolution was adopted by the unanimous vote of the Board.

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-\$2564.68, Highway Machinery Fund-\$2986.51.

There being no further business on motion and vote the meeting adjourned to meet on Wednesday, June 20, 1951 at 2:00 P.M.


Harry J. Kratoville, Town Clerk.