

Hilltown Township Supervisors' Meeting

December 12, 1977

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Feryl Spanninger. The treasurer's report was read by Mrs. Gutekunst and approved by Vince Pischl and seconded by Ed Wentz. The bills as presented were approved for payment by Vince Pischl and seconded by Ed Wentz.

The minutes of the previous meeting were reviewed with the following comments: The two ordinances were signed by the supervisors one being ordinance # 77-4 adding two new locations for stop signs within the township, and the second being 77-5 establishing a no parking district within the township. A discussion was held on how this ordinance should be enforced as to amount of fine, procedure, etc. Mr. Leister had submitted a letter with his proposal on the drainage problem along the Rickert property. Mrs. Gutekunst shall call Mr. Leister and have him contact Mr. Wilson as to what information he should submit to the Rickert's attorney. The supervisors unanimously agreed to purchase the Xerox machine for \$1459.50. Mr. Heidrich, Mr. Frankenfield, and Mr. Leister met at the Edwards property on Dec. 12th A. M. - report will be forthcoming on this situation. No reply received from Mr. Metzger in response to our letter asking for an estimate of cost on a criminal information system.

Mr. Wilson reported that Mr. McMillan was found guilty of operating a junk yard in a R-A, Residential District and he has ten days time to clean up the trash on his property. Mr. Heidrich will keep a watch on this.

Mr. Wilson also reported that on January 16th there will be a meeting with DER, Horn's attorney, H. & K's attorney and Mr. Wilson on the polluted well situation.

Mr. Wentz raised the question about the drainage problem being experienced at the site of the S. & R. Ski shop and the involvement with Dean's Cycle Shop. Mr. Wentz will call our engineer and discuss this matter with him.

The supervisors would like an estimate of cost of a ramp entrance to the building and also the front door should be replaced possibly with a wide single door instead of the double doors as it is now. Mr. Rice will be contacted.

Mr. David Durante of Broad Street was in to the meeting complaining about the school taxes. He also complained about the visability in making a left turn off of Hilltown Pike onto Broad Street because of the crops in the field obstructing the view. He also felt the curve should be better marked. Mrs. Gutekunst is to write to Mr. Murphy about this situation.

Mr. Wentz has been attending meetings on 201 Facilities planning studies for Hatfield Township Municipal Authority. The first meeting was held Dec. 1st in Norristown with DER and the second meeting was with the Hatfield Township Sewer Authority. He reemphasized our position that we are only interested in the 8 or 9 houses which are located in our township in Line Lexington. A Study Advisory Commission is being established with a representative from each municipality. The supervisors passed a resolution naming Mr. Ed Wentz as our representative on this commission and Mr. Pischl as the alternate. March 1st, 1983 is the projected completion date for the project.

A letter was received from Mr. MacKowski, our insurance agent for our Police Pension Fund, explaining the details on the annuities and the plans. Copies of this letter should be made and given to Chief Boose and Sgt. Smith.

The Volunteer Medical Corps of Lansdale sent a letter dated 11-29-77 summing up their position in cases involving their corps. Copy of this letter was sent to all supervisors and Chief Boose. Mr. Wilson shall ask Chief Boose to reply in writing to the supervisors his approval or thoughts on their proposal.

It was decided unanimously at the meeting to have Mrs. Gutekunst contact the firm that had done a study on the codifi-

