

VIRGINIA: AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF  
DINWIDDIE COUNTY HELD AT THE AGRICULTURAL BUILDING  
APRIL 7, 1961 AT 2:00 P.M.

PRESENT: C. H. Zehmer, Sapony District  
L. W. Coleman, Chairman, Darvills District  
M. G. Chandler, Namozine District  
H. R. Orton, Rowanty District

IN RE: READING OF MINUTES.

Minutes for the month of March were read and approved.

IN RE: SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1961.

The clerk having requested a supplemental appropriation  
for certain invoices due and payable in April.

Motion was duly made and carried that supplemental  
appropriation be and hereby are made for the month of April.

7S	State fire service	300.00
7N	Namozine Vol. Fire Dept.	7.10
20	Civil Defense	50.00

IN RE: APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE MONTH OF MAY, 1961.

Be it resolved by the Board of Supervisors of Dinwiddie  
County that the following appropriations be and the same are  
hereby made for the month of May, 1961, from the funds and for  
the purposes indicated:

1A	Administration	425.00
1B	Finance Board	-0-
1C	Board of Assessors	-0-
2B	Commissioner of Revenue	543.00
3A	Treasurer	503.81
4A	Clerk	239.42
5A	Circuit Court	13.50
5B	County Court	-0-
5C	Commonwealth's Attorney	326.67
6A	Sheriffs	659.69
6AX	Police Cars	365.07
6C	Care of Prisoners	469.40
7D	Dinwiddie Fire Co.	65.00
7F	Ford Fire Co.	14.15
7N	Namozine Fire Co.	100.00
7S	State fire service	475.14
8A	Welfare Board Members	35.00
8D	Lunacy Commission	153.50
9S	Health Clinic	500.00
9H	Hospitalization	624.00
11	Agricultural	521.28
13	Election	20.00
14	Buildings & Grounds	554.63
17	Superintendent of Schools	122.37
18	Misc. Activities	449.78
20	Civil defense	30.26
21	Civil War Comm.	64.63

\$ 7,275.20

For the operation of Schools to be trans-  
ferred to the School Fund and expended only on  
order of the School Board as follows:

17a	School Board-Administration:	
		1,200.00
17b	Instruction	74,000.00
17c	Coordinate	
17d	Auxiliary Agencies	7,000.00
17e	Housing	16,000.00
17f	Fixed Charges	-0-
	Sub-Total	98,200.00
19	Capital Outlay	-0-
	Scholarship	232.49

98,432.49

Carried forward

105,707.69

GENERAL REVENUE FUND

For the operation of the Department of Welfare to the Virginia Public Assistance Fund, and expended by the Welfare Board for the month of May, 1961. 5,000.00

For the Dog Fund to be expended only on order of the Board of Supervisors 213.33  
Grand Total----- \$ 110,921.02

On motion duly made and carried, it is ordered by the Board that the salaries and accounts against the General Revenue Fund of the County for the month of April, 1961, amounting to \$6,782.40 be allowed and checks numbering 1425 through 1511, both inclusive, be issued, therefor, payable out of the General Revenue Fund of the County, said claims having been audited and approved by the Board.

IN RE: ALLOWANCE AGAINST THE DOG FUND OF THE COUNTY.

On motion duly made and carried, it is ordered that the salary of \$208.33 be paid to the Dog Warden and that the claims amounting to \$5.00 be allowed, and checks numbering D-89 through D-93, both inclusive, be issued, therefor, payable out of the Dog Fund of said County.

Said claims having been investigated by the Dog Warden and approved for payment by the Board.

IN RE: TREASURER'S REPORT.

F. E. Jones, Treasurer having submitted a written financial report, same was ordered filed with the papers of the Board for the month of April.

IN RE: COUNTY LINE PRINCE GEORGE - DINWIDDIE.

L. W. Coleman, Chairman reported that the chairman of the Prince George Board of Supervisors would present the resolution adopted by this Board on March 3rd to the Prince George Board requesting that the lines between Prince George and Dinwiddie be defined.

IN RE: FIRE SIREN - NAMOZINE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

A delegation from Namozine Volunteer Fire Department having appeared and requested that the county participate on a 50/50 basis for the purchase of a 5 H.P. 220 volt fire siren to replace the present siren loaned to them by the Ettrick Fire Department.

Motion was duly made and carried that the Clerk secure prices on sirens and place the order for the best value.

IN RE: SCHOOL BUSES.

A delegation from Southside P.T.A. appeared before the Board and requested the county to purchase additional school buses so the children would not have to stand during transportation to the schools. Whereupon the chairman of the Board informed them that the purchase of school buses was the function of the County School Board.

IN RE: WILSON-FORD-HEBRON RURITAN CLUB RESOLUTION REQUESTING ASSISTANT FARM AGENT.

Mr. D. Carleton Mayes a member of the Wilson-Ford-Hebron Ruritan Club appeared before the Board and reported that the club had by resolution unanimously requested this Board to consider securing an assistant farm agent for Dinwiddie County for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1961.

IN RE: NOTICE - ASSISTANT FARM AGENT.

Mr. DeWitt Rogers having appeared before the Board and requested that some action be taken on the proposal to secure an assistant Farm Agent,

Motion was duly made and carried that action on this be deferred until the next Board meeting and that a notice be placed in the paper to that effect.

IN RE: MAITLAND SUBDIVISION - SECTIONS 6-7-8-9 PRELIMINARY PLAT

A plat of Sections 6-7-8-9 in Maitland Subdivision was presented to the Board for preliminary approval and it appearing that the plat had been approved by the Health Department.

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Motion was duly made and carried that the same be approved although several lots contained less than 20,000 square feet. And the plats are referred to the State Highway Department for examination and report at the next meeting.

IN RE: CEDAR HEART SUBDIVISION SECTION 3 BLOCK A-B & C, PRELIMINARY PLAT.

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Preliminary plat of Block A, B & C in Section 3 of Cedar Heart Subdivision having been presented and examination thereof showed that it conformed to the subdivision regulations as to size of lots etc. and had been approved by the Health Department,

Motion was duly made and carried that same be referred to the State Department of Highways for examination and report at the next meeting.

IN RE: DINWIDDIE COURT ROAD.

Mr. & Mrs. Ashton Tucker and Mrs. Chester Young having again appeared before the Board to hear the report of the highway Department concerning Dinwiddie Court Road in Ingleside Subdivision and Mr. B. C. Medlock Assistant Resident Engineer having reported that no record could be found to show that it was ~~not~~ in the secondary system or any reason why it had not been taken into the secondary system.

Motion was duly made and carried that the resident engineer meet with the residents along this road at their convenience to recommend work to be done to bring this road up to State specifications for acceptance into the Secondary System.

IN RE: WEST PETERSBURG STREETS.

A delegation from West Petersburg having appeared and presented a list of streets to be extended as requested by this Board at the last meeting, said list was referred to the Department of Highways for examination and report at next meeting.

IN RE: STREET LIGHTS - WEST PETERSBURG.

Mr. Chandler and Mr. Orton having investigated the request for the installation of street lights in West Petersburg and it appearing from their report that two street lights are recommended

Motion was duly made and carried that a 2500 lumen street light be installed near the school yard at the corner of Brunswick and Roanoke Avenue and a 2500 lumen light be installed on pole #6, corner of Warwick and Brunswick Avenue by the Virginia Electric & Power Company and added to the county's street light account.

IN RE: RESOLUTION PRINCESS ANNE COUNTY ROAD WIDTH.

A copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Princess Anne on February 27, 1961 requesting the Virginia Department of Highways to abandon its proposal to refuse acceptance into the secondary system of Virginia Highways. The old county roads which do not meet the present requirement of a minimum right of way width of 40 ft. and concurred with the Department of Highways in a requirement of a minimum right of way width of 40 ft. on all future planned highways in Princess Anne County was read and filed with the papers for the month of April.

IN RE: R. R. HASKINS - RESIGNATION AS MEMBER OF PLANNING COMMISSION.

The Chairman of the Board having presented a letter from Mr. R. R. Haskins tendering his resignation as a member of the Dinwiddie County Planning Commission due to failing health,

Motion was duly made and carried that his resignation be accepted, with regrets, and the Board expresses its appreciation for the fine work that he has done as a member of this commission.

IN RE: VIRGINIA STATE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE - MEMBERSHIP.

Mr. James Adair Jr., representative of the State Chamber of Commerce having appeared before the Board to solicit its membership and it being suggested to the Board that the Appomattox Industrial Development Corporation of which this Board is a partner already belongs to the Virginia State Chamber of Commerce,

Motion was duly made and carried that action on this be deferred until the next meeting in order that membership by the corporation can be verified.

IN RE: ROAD PETITIONS REFERRED TO ROAD VIEWERS.

It appearing to the Board that the following 40' road easements have been presented:

Coleman road, beginning at a point on Route 624 signed by Ruth G. Coleman, et als.

Williams road, beginning at Route 460 signed by James R. Williams and others.

Dortch road, beginning at Route 706 signed by Bernard E. Dortch and others.

Extension of McKenney Avenue in DeWitt signed by A. J. Best and others.

Pegram road beginning on Route 613 signed by William H. Pegram and others.

Motion was duly made and carried that these easements along with all petitions concerning same be referred to the road viewers for their examination and report at the next meeting.

IN RE: DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME - DINWIDDIE COUNTY.

H. B. Batte, Clerk suggested to the Board that they give some thought to considering daylight savings time for Dinwiddie County. Action on this was deferred until the next meeting.

~~There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.~~

IN RE: ROAD VIEWERS, APPOINTMENT OF.

On motion duly made and carried, the Board doth appoint C. Y. Avery, Louis Powers, Will Green & Lunsford Butterworth, Road Viewers, resident freeholders of this County, any three of whom may act as viewers to view the roads that will be referred to them on April 20, 1961, and to report to this Board as soon as practicable as follows:

(1) The conveniences and inconveniences that will result as well to individuals as to the public, if the said Roads shall be built:

(2) Whether any yard, garden or orchard or any part thereof will, in such case, have to be taken:

(3) Whether the said proposed Roads will be of such mere private convenience as to make it proper that the same shall be established and kept in order by the person or persons for whose convenience it is desired;

(4) They may examine roads other than the one proposed and report upon the one they prefer with the reasons for their preference;

(5) They will state the names of the land owners and the tenants, if any, on the said proposed roads;

(6) Which of said land owners require compensation:

(7) What will be a just compensation to each of those requiring the same for the land taken, and the damage to the residue of the tracts beyond the peculiar benefits to be derived in respect to such residue from the roads so proposed;

(8) And they will state any other fact or circumstance useful in enabling the Board to determine the expedience of establishing, opening or altering the proposed road; and they will return with their report a diagram or map showing the roads thereof; and an estimate of the probable cost the same.

IN RE: CHANGE OF TIME - COUNTY OFFICE HOURS.

The Board entered into a discussion of the adviseability of adopting "Fast Time" for the period beginning April 30, 1961 and ending October 29, 1961, to conform with the period of time commonly known as Daylight Saving Time, it was brought to the attention of the Board that the cities of Richmond, Petersburg, Hopewell and Colonial Heights and the counties of Prince George, Chesterfield, Henrico and other counties having indicated their intention to practice Daylight Savings Time or "Fast Time" for the period specified above as the several cities and counties may indicate. After a full discussion and upon motion of M. G. Chandler, seconded by L. W. Coleman and voted against by H. R. Orton the following resolution was adopted.

RESOLVED that the county offices of Dinwiddie County subject to the approval of the county officers and Judge of our Circuit Court be and they are hereby authorized to remain open for the transaction of business incident to each of said offices from 8:00 A.M. Eastern Standard Time to 4:00 o'clock P.M. Eastern Standard Time during such days as the said offices are normally open for business and during the period beginning April 30, 1961 and ending October 29, 1961 and that the businesses and citizens of Dinwiddie County be requested to comply with "Fast Time" corresponding to Daylight Savings Time in order that there may be a minimum of confusion in the matter of individual and business transaction, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution become effective at 12 o'clock midnight on April 30, 1961 and end on October 29th at 12 o'clock midnight.

There Being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

ATTEST:

  
H. B. Batte, Clerk

  
L.W. Coleman, Chairman