

VIRGINIA: AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF DINWIDDIE COUNTY HELD AT THE AGRICULTURAL BUILDING OF SAID COUNTY ON THE 1ST DAY OF APRIL 1970 AT 2:00 P.M.

PRESENT: A. M. SMITH, CHAIRMAN ROHOIC DISTRICT  
S. E. WINN, VICE CHAIRMAN DARVILLS DISTRICT  
M. I. HARGRAVE, JR ROWANTY DISTRICT  
T. H. TUNSTALL SAPONY DISTRICT  
G. M. WATKINS NAMOZINE DISTRICT

C. L. MITCHELL SHERIFF'S  
H. T. WILLIAM, III DEPARTMENT  
COMMONWEALTH'S  
ATTORNEY

IN RE: MINUTES

The minutes of the previous meeting were read. There was some discussion concerning the resolution from the Town of McKenney concerning the length of time it took the Dinwiddie Ambulance & Rescue Squad to reach the scene of an accident in McKenney and it was brought to the attention of the Board that records show the time the squad reached the scene; the time the patient was admitted to the hospital and according to their logs approximately 35 to 40 minutes elapsed.

After discussion the minutes of the meeting were read.

IN RE: PAYMENT OF CLAIMS

Upon motion duly made and carried it is ordered by the Board that the accounts against the following funds for the month of March 1970 be issued payable out of the respective accounts. General Fund - Checks numbering 70-282 through 70-329 amounting to \$12,300.72. Dog Fund - Checks D-70-16 through D-70-23 amounting to \$637.56.

IN RE: TREASURER'S REPORT

F. E. Jones, Treasurer presented his report for the month of March 1970. Upon examination, motion was made and carried approving said report and endorsing all transfers thereof.

IN RE: APPOINTMENT OF W. C. KNOTT TO LIBRARY LAW COMMITTEE

Upon motion duly made and carried Mr. W. C. Knott, Executive Secretary was appointed to the library law committee for Dinwiddie County.

IN RE: PUBLIC HEARING - HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

This being the time and date as advertised in the Progress Index for the Highway Department to hear complaints from persons seeking improvements to roads in their area. Mr. R. V. Lancaster, III and Mr. William E. Kennedy, representing the Highway Department appeared before the Board and heard the following requests by districts.

ROWANTY DISTRICT

Mr. W. J. Orton appeared before the Board and presented a petition bearing 32 signatures requesting hard surfacing of Route 605 from Old State Road to Halifax Road.

Mr. Hargrave, Rowanty Representative, asked Mr. Lancaster if there were any plans in the far future to widen Halifax Road (Route 604). Mr. Lancaster advised that no plans for this work were expected within the next 5 years.

SAPONY DISTRICT

Sapony representative, T. Hope Tunstall, requested repairs be made to Route 665. The road count appears to be over 100 and he would like for this to be done. His main concern was Route 644. This road is hard surfaced but has deteriorated a great deal this winter. Mr. Lancaster was very familiar with this road and stated he had traveled

Route 644 within the last hour and plans were being made to make repairs to this road within 6 weeks.

NAMOZINE DISTRICT

Mr. Garland M. Watkins, Namozine representative stated he had no actual complaint or request but he would like to emphasize to the Highway Department the importance of keeping the bushes clipped on bad curves during the summer.

ROHOIC DISTRICT

Mr. E. J. Michalek appeared before the Board to present a petition concerning Route 613. His request was to have this road widened and eliminating the bumps.

Rohoic District representative, A. Mitchell Smith, stated he had no actual complaints or requests but did make mention of the narrowness of Route 142, the narrow underpass and the heavy amount of traffic on this road.

IN RE: TWENTY FIVE MILE PER HOUR STREET SIGNS ON BANISTER ROAD REQUESTED

Mr. James L. Blaha appeared before the Board and the Highway Department requesting 25 mile per hour speed limit signs be posted on Route 1355 (Banister Road), in Ramblewood Subdivision.

Mr. Hargrave moved that the Highway Department be requested to make a study of Banister Road and then post 25 mile per hour signs where deemed necessary. Mr. Winn seconded. Motion was unanimously carried.

DARVILLS DISTRICT

Mr. S. E. Winn, representative from Darvills District, stated that Route 40 was before the State Highway Commission now. He requested repairs be made to Route 643 and also asked that a road count be done for Route 644.

IN RE: J. ERNEST WRENN - REQUESTED INFORMATION CONCERNING ROAD CHANGES AT FIVE FORKS

Mr. J. Ernest Wrenn appeared before the Board and the Highway Department seeking information as to the changes the Highway Department anticipated making in State Route 627 at Five Forks.

Mr. Lancaster showed Mr. Wrenn and members of the Board a map revealing plans that Route 627 would be re-routed to by-pass Five Forks but there would be access roads from the by-pass to old Route 627 which would be maintained by the State for the preservation of Five Forks.

IN RE: HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT REQUESTED TO FIX ROAD TO MCKENNEY LANDFILL

Upon motion of Mr. Winn seconded by Mr. Tunstall and unanimously carried the Highway Department was requested to fix the road to the McKenney landfill on an accounts receivable basis as a private contractor could not be obtained at a reasonable price.

IN RE: APPOINTMENT OF ROADVIEWERS - 1970

Upon motion of Mr. Hargrave, seconded by Mr. Watkins and unanimously carried the following were appointed 1970 Roadviewers:

Mr. C. Y. Avery, Jr.; Mr. M. E. Bass; Mr. A. R. Springston; Mr. William F. Green; and Mr. C. E. Thweatt.

IN RE: REQUEST PERMISSION TO USE FEDERAL FUNDS TO PURCHASE TEACHING MATERIALS

Mr. George M. Hodge, Superintendent of Schools, appeared before the Board requesting permission to use Federal Funds amounting to \$12,000-\$15,000 to purchase additional teaching materials.

Upon motion of Mr. Tunstall seconded by Mr. Hargrave and unanimously carried this permission was granted.

IN RE: J. E. BOWLES SHOOTING RANGE PERMIT APPROVED

Upon motion of Mr. Hargrave, seconded by Mr. Winn and carried a shooting range permit for 1970 was issued Mr. J. E. Bowles.

IN RE: BUDGET 1970-71 ADOPTED

This being the date and time set to hold a public hearing to consider adoption of an annual budget for fiscal planning purposes and information as advertised in the Progress Index March 29, 1970.

The 1970-71 budget was presented and upon motion duly made and carried the budget was unanimously adopted item by item.

After adopting the school budget, the Board presented a suggested salary scale for teachers. This scale was for suggestion only and showed 12 steps with salaries ranging from \$6600.00 to \$9000.00.

Listed below is the 1970-71 budget:

ANTICIPATED INCOME

FROM LOCAL SOURCES

Current Taxes (\$3.00 per hundred)	\$ 984,000
Delinquent Taxes	12,000
State Sales Tax	390,013
Local Sales Tax	100,000
Consumers Utility Tax	125,000
Other Funds	198,913
Total	<u>\$1,809,926</u>

FROM STATE SOURCES

School Funds	\$1,525,960
Public Assistance (State & Fed)	133,214
Other	105,430
Total	<u>\$1,764,604</u>

FROM FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

School Programs	\$ 167,773
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SALE OF PROPERTY

\$ 4,000

DOG FUND

\$ 10,000

Total

\$3,756,303

UNAPPROPRIATED FUNDS JULY 1, 1970

17,260

TOTAL AVAILABLE REVENUE

\$3,773,563

ESTIMATED EXPENSES 1970-71

1	County Administration	\$ 24,838
2	Assessment of Taxable Property	16,928
3	Collection of Taxes	14,925
4	Recording of Documents	4,975
5A	Circuit Court	3,430
5B	County Court	345
5C	Commonwealth's Attorney	7,506
6A	Policing & Investigation	38,651
6C	Care of Prisoners	7,700
7	Fire Prevention & Extinction	9,615
8A	Board of Public Welfare	600
8B	Welfare Superintendent's Office	44,850
8C	Public Assistance	128,860
8E	Institutional Care	8,000
8H	Lunacy Commission	1,500
9	Public Health	12,004
10A	Building Inspector	7,675
10C	Scavenger Service (Landfill)	10,000
10D	Purchase & Resale of Water	56,168
11	Advancement of Agriculture & Home Ec	13,861
12	Protection of Livestock & Fowl	8,900
13	Elections	3,280
14	Maintenance of Buildings	13,193
15	Highway & Street Lighting	4,800
17	School Administration	\$3,241,336
18	Miscellaneous	30,600
19	Capital Outlay	24,100
	Transfer to Construction Fund	34,923
	Total	<u>\$3,773,563</u>

IN RE: TAX LEVY RATE FOR 1970

Upon motion of Mr. Hargrave seconded by Mr. Winn and carried

BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Dinwiddie, Virginia, that there be, and is hereby levied for the year 1970 a tax of \$3.00 per one hundred dollars of assessed valuation on all taxable real estate located in this County, and that there be and is hereby levied for the year 1970 a tax of \$3.00 per one hundred dollars of assessed valuation of all taxable machinery and tools located in this County on January 1, 1970, and that there be and is hereby levied for the year 1970 a tax of \$3.00 per hundred dollars of assessed valuation of all taxable tangible personal property located in this County on January 1, 1970, the respective levies hereby ordered being also applicable to the real estate and tangible personal property of public service corporations, based upon the assessment thereof fixed by the State Corporation Commission and duly certified.

IN RE: DR. J. G. McNIEL - HEALTH DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR

Dr. McNiel appeared before the Board asking that the Board try to understand their problems pertaining to the shortage of health officer's. Dr. McNiel stated that every effort is being made by his department to fill the positions in the surrounding areas and in Dinwiddie County and suggested that anyone having any problems to contact him and he would do his best to relieve the situation.

IN RE: AMBULANCE SERVICE - FIELDS & JOHNSON

Mr. Tunstall informed the Board that the permits issued by the Commonwealth of Virginia to W. L. Fields and Harry Johnson had not been revoked and they were both eligible to continue ambulance service if the so desired.

IN RE: MONTHLY REPORTS

Monthly reports were presented by Mr. F. E. Jones, Treasurer, Mr. James L. Blaha, Building Inspector and Mr. A. W. Chappell, Dog Warden.

IN RE: ADOPTION OF COUNTY CODE

Mr. Herbert T. Williams, III presented to the Board for adoption the Code of the County of Dinwiddie. The ordinances that make up this code have been codified, edited, and indexed by Michie City Publication Company of Charlottesville. Mr. Williams pointed out that there were some printing errors and that these errors would be corrected.

A representation from the Home Builders Association consisting of Mr. Joe Holloway, Mr. Gilbert Martin, Mr. T. L. Elmore, Mr. Glen T. Hasting and Mr. Neil Barnes were present. They questioned the legality of some of the sections in the ordinances dealing with subdivisions. After much discussion the situation was resolved as follows: that the Home Builder's Association would turn in to Mr. Williams a list of things that they wished to be clarified and acted upon. The item concerning the legality of some of the sections would be forwarded to Michie City Publications for their ruling. The items the Home Builder's wished to be changed, added or deleted from the code would be reviewed by the Board and appropriated action taken.

Mr. Williams read the following ordinance for adopting the Code of the County of Dinwiddie.

Be it ordained by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Dinwiddie, Virginia:

Section 1. There is hereby adopted by the Board of Supervisors that certain Code entitled "The Code of the County of Dinwiddie, Virginia," containing certain ordinances of a general and permanent nature as compiled, consolidated, codified and indexed in Chapters 1 to 17, both inclusive, of which Code not less than three copies have been and are now filed in the office of Executive Secretary.

Section 2. The provisions of such Code shall be in force on and after April 1, 1970, except as hereinafter provided.

Section 3. The repeal provided for in the preceding section of this ordinance shall not affect any offense or act committed or done or any penalty or forfeiture incurred or any contract or right established or accruing before July 1, 1969; nor shall it affect any prosecution, suit or proceeding pending or any judgment rendered

prior to July 1, 1969; nor shall such repeal affect any ordinance or resolution promising or guaranteeing the payment of money for the county or authorizing the issue of any bonds of the county or any evidence of the county's indebtedness or any contract or obligation assumed by the county; nor shall it affect the annual tax levy; nor shall it affect any right or franchise conferred by ordinance or resolution of the county on any person or corporation; nor shall it affect any ordinance adopted for purposes which have been consummated; nor shall it affect any ordinance which is temporary, although general in effect, or special, although permanent in effect; nor shall it affect any ordinance relating to the salaries of the county officers or employees; nor shall it affect any ordinance adopted on final reading and passage after April 1, 1970; nor shall it affect any ordinance relative to civil defense and disaster relief.

Section 4. Whenever in the Code adopted by this ordinance or in any other ordinance or resolution of the county or in any rule, regulation or order promulgated by any officer or agency of the county under authority duly vested in him or it any act is prohibited or is made or declared to be unlawful or an offense or a misdemeanor, or the doing of any act is required or the failure to do any act is declared to be unlawful or an offense or a misdemeanor, where no specific penalty is provided therefor, the violation of any such provision of such Code or any other ordinance or resolution of the county or such rule, regulation or order shall be punished by a fine not exceeding three hundred dollars or imprisonment for a term not exceeding thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Except where otherwise provided, every day any violation of such Code or any other ordinance or resolution of the county, or such rule, regulation or order shall continue shall constitute a separate offense.

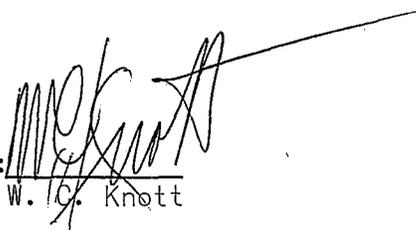
Section 5. It is hereby declared to be the intention of the Board of Supervisors that the sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses and phrases of this ordinance or the Code hereby adopted shall be declared unconstitutional or otherwise invalid by the valid judgment or decree of a court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality or invalidity shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of this ordinance or the Code hereby adopted.

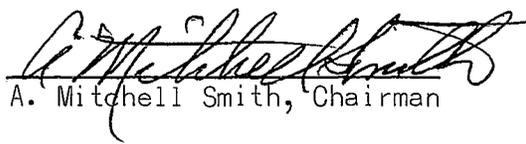
Mr. Hargrave made the motion to adopt the ordinance and Mr. Winn seconded. At this point Mr. Paul Myers asked to be heard concerning Section 15-69 of the subdivision ordinance. He wanted to know what guide lines the Board used in releasing land back to the developer if they exercised their option as provided for in Section 15-69. Mr. Myers was advised that this option had never been used and therefore no guide lines had been established.

At this time Mr. Winn asked for a vote on the motion before the Board. The Board unanimously passed the ordinance.

There being no further business to be brought before the Board the meeting adjourned at 5:45 P.M.

ATTEST:

  
W. C. Knott

  
A. Mitchell Smith, Chairman

