

## Board of Township Trustees

*Minutes of Meeting Held Monday, May 2, 1960 A. D. 19*

A Meeting of the Board of Trustees of Boston Township was held on Monday May 2 at 7 P.M. with the following members present: Vernon Boodey and G. L. Truxell. Absent: Geo. Fisher Jr.

Mr. Smith, Assistant County Prosecutor, and approximately fifteen residents of Oak Hill and Major Rds.

Truxell served as chairman in the absence of Fisher.

The Minutes of the meeting as of April 18 were approved as read.

The Minutes of the Public Hearing pertaining to Zoning held April 22 were approved after the Clerk was instructed to correct the names of the people present to read only E. Kertenstein, and the remainder of the names to be excluded.

Truxell reported the ruling of the Township Trustees pertaining to the proposed Zoning Amendments would be made at 7 P.M. May 4, 1960 because all members of the Board of Trustees were not present at this meeting.

Boodey moved the above report be put in the form of a motion which was seconded by Truxell. Voting Yes: Boodey and Truxell.

After a discussion between the Trustees of the above motion it was amended to read, A Ruling on the Proposed Amendments to the Zoning Resolutions will be made May 5, 1960 at 7 P.M. with Boodey making the motion and seconded by Truxell. Voting Yes: Boodey and Truxell.

Mr. Maurer representing the Major and Oak Hill Rd. residents was then called on by Truxell. Maurer once again read and requested answers to the questions put forth by his group at the April 18 Meeting.

The Clerk reported the question concerning abstract information in regards to a financial breakdown of money spent on Major & Oak Hill Rds. in 1959, was not available. Mr. Maurer then questioned why this statement had not been made available. To answer this question Truxell then called on Mr. John Smith of the Prosecutor's Office, who stated a Township Clerk is required to keep records as prescribed by Law, but does not have to provide data in other forms. He also said Township Bookkeeping differs from regular business bookkeeping according to the requirements of the State Auditor. For the Clerk to change the method would cause trouble. He is a Public Official and has to be impartial. Everyone is free to look at the records, but have no right to ask him to spend time explaining them.

After a lengthy discussion between the Trustees, Mr. Smith and the residents present the balance of the questions were not brought up.

Mr. Maurer and Mr. Ratner then asked that Road work on Oak Hill and Major Rds. be done by the Summit County Engineer's Dept. and that estimates be requested from that Office. Truxell then stated that any major work the Township was not capable of doing would be contracted with the Summit County Highway Highway Dept. and a formal request will be made in the near future for such help. On this same matter, Mr. Bell another resident stated he felt maintenance of the roads should be handled by the Township.

The pros and cons of road oiling was then discussed in regards to types and quality.

On a motion by Truxell, seconded by Boodey, the purchase of 200 ton of #4 Limestone from the Cross Trucking Co. was approved. Voting Yes: Boodey and Truxell.

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The Service Charge of George Fisher Jr. amounting to \$300.00 was approved.

The Service Charge of Wilford Hickins, Road Man, amounting to \$83.25 was approved, and the Clerk was instructed that Hickins' services had ended with this payment. This was put into a Motion by Truxell and seconded by Boodey. Voting Yes; Boodey and Truxell.

The following bills were approved for payment as funds became available:

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| Soco Mobil Oil                   | 142.41 |
| M. D. Garage                     | 94.23  |
| Johnsons Welding & Machine       | 96.55  |
| Terry Lumber & Supply            | 673.46 |
| Brecksville Material Co.         | 244.75 |
| Castalia Quarries                | 36.74  |
| J. A. Mayer Co.                  | 994.00 |
| Publics Employee Ret. (Township) | 295.69 |
| Akron Beacon Journal             | 26.00  |
| Edward Dodge                     | 134.60 |

The meeting was adjourned at 11:20 P.M.

Chairman

Clerk