

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF  
THE COLLEGE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
HELD AUGUST 1, 1972

The College Township Board of Supervisors held a regular meeting on August 1, 1972 at 7:30 P.M. in the Township Municipal Building. All members of the Board were present. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved as read.

The Treasurer's report was read and approved as follows:

Balance for June 31 - - - - -	\$32,265.19
Deposit for July - - - - -	<u>21,765.95</u>
TOTAL:	\$54,031.14
Expenditures for July - - - - -	<u>19,608.65</u>
Balance for August 1, 1972 - - - - -	<del>\$32,265.19</del> 34,422.49

OLD BUSINESS

On the matter of the fill-in in the Flood Plain, a letter dated July 31, 1972 was read which was sent to the State College Boro Water Authority, from Reed McCormick as Solicitor for College Township, regarding the filling and dumping which is being done around the wells along West Branch Road in College Township. This is in violation of the College Township Flood Plain Ordinance since permission prior to dumping and filling was not given by the College Township Supervisors. It was suggested that a representative of the State College Boro Water Authority meet with Mr. Williams to discuss the solutions to the problems.

As of this date, this has not been done. Mr. Williams indicated that he and Mr. McCormick had met on the site before the letter was sent to the State College Boro Water Authority.

Mr. Williams reported that the entrance to the Spring Creek Park from the Houserville Road is closed. The park is being closed at 9:00 P.M. This has been posted by the Park & Recreation Committee at the Supervisors' request.

It was mentioned by Mr. Williams that Park Avenue would be four lanes to University Drive with an access to the Mountainview Hospital. The interchange will be built so that the relocation of Benner Pike will join with this without any problems. The four lanes will cut off at University Drive. An open discussion was held on this.

#### NEW BUSINESS

Mr. Williams brought the matter of the bus subsidy before the Board. A discussion was held on the report of the Bus Subsidy and Management Analysis of the Fullington Auto Bus Corporation, made by Harley L. Swift, General Consultant for Transportation of Harrisburg, Pa. It was pointed out that the estimated deficit sharing for College Township would be \$994, retroactive to July 1 for 6 months or \$1,936 for a year. Mr. Williams and Mr. Skinner felt there were too many discrepancies in this report and they had their doubts about his study. Mr. Skinner mentioned that Fullington was not trying to correct problems in his service. He mentioned that there were not that many people using the bus service, such as it is, to spend the money and not receive the services which the people expect. It was

mentioned by Mr. Williams that the estimated percentage of the deficit sharing would be 11.1% which he felt was incorrect. An excerpt was taken from the report as to the financial credibility of Fullington as follows: "I can find no reason to believe that the accounts are inaccurate, although their method of keeping their books is not the most modern method." August 15 is the deadline which Fullington has given before filing for abandonment of the system. A discussion was held with the following suggestions presented: Fullington could make a go of it if they advertised, stuck to their time schedule, and had regular routes. It was also suggested we subsidize Fullington only until something else was established. It was suggested that College Township pay for 6 months and no more. It was also mentioned that school buses be used for transportation. Mr. Skinner made the motion that we not give any money to subsidize the services of Fullington. This was seconded by Mr. Weaver and the motion was carried unanimously.

The water problem in College Township was discussed. It was indicated that water is needed mostly for fire protection. Mr. Williams said this was one of the holdbacks on people building in this locality.

The matter of the Transfer Station Road was brought before the Board by Mr. Williams. This is located at Penitentiary line by the Struble Farm Equipment Buildings. The County Commissioners will pay for the road but College Township will have to take it over. The Supervisors agreed to take it over provided they get this statement in writing. It was properly moved and seconded and the motion was carried unanimously.

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The announcement was made that the College-Harris Joint Authority meeting will be held Thursday, August 3 at 8:00 P.M.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:30 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

*Lester M. Weaver*

Lester M. Weaver, Secretary  
College Township Supervisors