

August 14, 1951

Regular Session

The County Commissioners met today in regular session with all members and their attorney present.

Resignation was received from ~~Grip~~ Gen. Hume Peabody as Director of Civil Defense for St. Mary's, due to ill health. Letter was sent to Gen. Peabody advising him appointment would be made as soon as possible. He will serve until appointment is made.

Resignation received from Mr. J. Clarence Taylor, Justice of the Peace-due to ill health. Letter advising him of regret of County Commissioners, was sent.

Otis Jones, Del Rio Restaurant, Charlotte Hall, mistook his notice of Assessment for new tax bill and sent check. Letter of explanation was sent him and check enclosed.

Laura Brown, Bushwood, requests transportation for 2 children to St. Joseph's School. Nobel Beachum has this route and was advised to pick up the children. This is $2\frac{1}{2}$ mi each way- 10 mi per day added to his contract \$360.00 per year, 36.00 per mo

Check in amount of \$4651.09 was drawn on CGF#3, County Trust Co Mech., Md., and deposited to BUILDING FUND, Co. T^h.Co.Mech.

Miss Eloise Pickrell, County librarian, presented report for 1st year at library. Asked for $\frac{1}{2}$ 1951-52 Budget. Same was sent.

Atty. W.M.Loker, Sr., with P.E.Gray of Lexington Park, offered gift to County of 15 ft. space for parking, 300 ft. long in front of Plaza Theatre, Lex.Pk. Agreed to pay $\frac{1}{2}$ expenses. Atty.Loker at this time also spoke of the suit against Mr. Gray by the Commissioners. They would like to have same dropped. Mr. Sterling told the Commissioners the suit should be tried and let the Court determine whether or not the law is constitutional- Mr. Loker says it is not- if the law is constitutional then it should be enforced, if it is not, then it should be removed from the books. Case set for Wed. August 22, 1951.

Mrs. Geo. Boyd asks that road leading to her home from Dr. Welch's be repaired. Says the bus driver says he cannot make it in bad weather. Mr. Thompson was present and says road is on 52 list and the run will be taken care of at that time. In the meantime the bushes will be cut back and the washout fixed.

Blake Creek Road, $\frac{1}{2}$ mi. extension requested. Mr. Stone and Mr. Thompson will look this road over and advise Clerk what is to be done.

Blackistone Road- 7 Gables Hotel Discussion between Mr. Robt. Blackistone and Mr. Leslie Wilkins is holding matter up. Letter sent to Mr. Blackitsone advising road will not be considered until R of W is received for entire road. Deed recd. from Miss Cecil, for R of W JMM 2, folio 48 Patuxent Beach Sub-Div.

Clerk was advised to secure the necessary awnings for windows 2 Bd. of Education, 1-Co. Com. 1-Clerk Ct.Ct-1 Register of Wills 1-Supv. Elec. 6 awnings @ \$28.00 St. Mary's Linoleum Co will deliver same within 2 weeks.

State Trooper Koontz requested that Commissioners ask SRC to place signs in Patuxent Park area 30 mile speed limit in residential section and 25 mile speed limit in shopping center. Letter was written

New machine for roadwork to be purchased from McLung-Logan Equipment Co for \$7740.00 to be paid monthly from the SRC allotment \$3000 in Aug-\$3000 in Sept-\$1740.00 in Oct. Balance of the 1952 Budget will then go to the SRC \$25,260.00

Mr. Thompson says the road to 3 Notch Pt. Rd. will cost the County between \$2500 and \$3000 for 4/10 mi. Duscussion as to whether Road should be accepted as agreed by former Board. No action taken.

Miss Martha Poole's road was discussed. No action.

RESOLUTION regarding classification of Leonardtown, Md., as "Defense area" was prepared and copies sent to Sen. O'Conor, Butler, Rep. Saßcer, Sen. Bailey, Del. Duke and Fowler. Original in files.

Rezoning in 8th Elec. Hearing set for 2 p.m. No objections. Area was rezoned from "B residential" to "C residential" Copy of ad attached Board will sit in Tax Review on Aug 16 and 17 at 10 a.m.

Approved

Leonard S. Alvey
President.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

In accordance with Chapter 599 of the Acts of 1933 as amended by Chapter 808 of the Acts of 1946, notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held upon the application of the Eagle Construction Company and the Cottage Construction Company for the rezoning of lands leased to them by the Government from "B" Residential to "C" Residential (Multi-dwelling housing units) for the construction of a Housing Project under the Wherry Act. Such Public Hearing will be held in the office of the County Commissioners of St. Mary's County in the Court House, Leonardtown, Maryland on August 14, 1951, at 10:00 A. M. The area to be rezoned is in accordance with plans submitted by Mr. Victor Demers, architect, and as approved by the Government and the St. Mary's County Planning Commission.

COMMISSIONERS OF SAINT
MARY'S COUNTY, MD.

Sara King, Clerk.