

September 23, 1958

All members and their attorney present today.

PTA of SMA came in about hours of transportation- Paul O'Brien, Mr and Mrs Spaulding, Leo Pilkerton, wanted children home earlier- Paul Bell explained that where he picks up children early in the morning he brings them home earlier in the evening, but if they are late leaving for school, then they are among the last to get home. He explained that children for Little Flower from Town Creek and Lex. Pk are at school before he goes back to White Pt and gets those children. There was a long discussion and finally it was decided that Sr. Superior should be asked if she could dismiss children $\frac{1}{2}$ hr. earlier, and her reply was "no, people should get down on their knees and thank God for free transportation"

Mrs. Wall, Alvey, Medinski, Tippet, Long & Saunders came to complain about Geo. Huntt's bus leaving so early and getting home so late. (Mrs. Huntt was present, she said she is late due to the fact that she has to wait for some high school children) but there is no other way to do. An appointment was made with this group and Mrs. Huntt for 10 a.m. Oct 7. to try and make other arrangements. They too want the school dismissed at 2:30, but this cannot be done.

Mr and Mrs Jack Haley-Raymond Haley came in about children getting home so late-was objecting to the extra long distance children had to go to pick up children in Mech. Mr. Guy made arrangements for this extra transportation, and in the morning the other 2 Commissioners agreed with him in the matter.

W. Raymond Quade was asked if he and Mr. Bailey could work out some method for getting the Roach girl to school without extra mileage for the Haley children to travel. Mrs. Haley has forgotten the extra time it requires to go into Cremona to pick up her children.

Hospital Group- Dr. Patrick, Barnard Smith, Mr. Christman, John Roach, Fred McCoy representing the St. Mary's Hospital came in to ask if the Board could help the hospital financially- The hospital is a non-profit organization and the only revenue is from bills paid and there are many delinquent accounts. Hospital is in use 24 hrs a day 7 days a week-nurses will not work unless paid the current wage-hospital is operating at a loss- need new equipment etc.,- nurses there start at a salary of \$2800 and at the NATC they start at 4300. LaPlata hospital receives County aid of \$8000; Calvert Co hospital receives \$20,000 Pr. Geo, \$100,000. There is a \$48,000 mortgage on St Mary's hospital It costs \$25 per day per bed to operate, past due accounts \$32,000 Welfare cases are allowed \$14.00 per day and they have many Welfare cases. Nothing can be done without Legislation and Mr. Guy suggested the Board meet with the new Commissioners- after November, and also meet with the 3 new members of the State legislature and see what can be done.

Fire extinguishers- Mr. King of Bd. of Education was asked to allow his Maintenance man to install these when they come and he agreed if the Commissioners would furnish a helper. The Commissioners agreed to do this.

Geo. Huntt has an 8 mi per day extension to Sotterly estates.
Alack Hebb has a 4 mi extension per day.

Scotch Neck Rd needs repairs, widening. Clerk asked to write Mr. Chas. LeCaron 12 Eton Rd. Rockville Center, N.Y. for R/W 14 families on this road and needs 40 ft before SRC will take it over. Letter was written.

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Mrs E C Landman and Mrs C W Harrison came in about the road off R#5, Scotland Beach to Pt Lookout, 1st road to left from Tennyson Ridgell's, just before you get to the Causeway, ask County to take over road. They were advised there must be a petition signed by all the property owners on the road, asking for this and agreeing to give 40 ft R/W.

Earl Gatton at Dameron instructed to pick up Pratt child- 6 mi extension began Sept 15

Board adjourned at 4:30 approved

Leonard Solvey
president

October 7, 1958

All members and their attorney here today.

Mr. Cook came in to preset 1959-60 budget, has about \$7,000 increase.

Mr. Johnson, County agent sent in his budget-59-60 has \$150 increase okd.

Dr. Houser brought in Health Dept budget- 59-60 Board to consider same, altho all increases in salaries are set by State.

Alms House- Mrs. Smith called that there is no hot water tank-heater. Boiler is attached to furnace- she says gas or electric heater will be ok. Board said she agreed to use wood.

Wm. M. Loker, Jr came in about signs to be placed on the road from Beauvue to Camp Maria where about 35 children ride bikes, very dangerous. He can get the signs for \$2.50 each if County will pay for them and SRC install them. Mr. Bond will advise if SRC will erect them. SRC does not approve of these signs, however, if they are purchased they will erect them.

PTA Group from Hollywood and Mrs Huntt came in again, but time of leaving and returning cannot be changed and school cannot be dismissed earlier than now.

Geo Mattingly advised DEED for R/W accepted some time ago and no work on road. Deed was 5-28-58 CBG 74 folio 303

J Ernest Bowles et al deed recorded CBG 76-folio 403 dated 8-30-58 recorded 9-2-58

Board adjourned at 4 pm

approved

Leonard Solvey

president