

November 24, 1964

Present: All commissioners.

Supervisors of Elections

Mr. Bailey, Mr. J. Bean, Mrs. I. Mattingly. Presented statement from Mr. W. J. Mattingly and Mr. Donald Garner, custodians of the voting machines, in the amount of \$1,050.00. This charge is for setting the machines, servicing them on election day at the polls if necessary, examination of voting machines after election, transportation and mileage. According to the law, the Supervisors of Elections are to set the rate for this work, but this was not done.

Mr. Bean suggested training two additional men for this work so that it can be put on bids. Mr. Burch suggested calling these men (Mattingly and Garner) and telling them that it is felt that this bill is exorbitant and if it isn't lowered, other men will be trained for this work and it will be done on a bid basis. There are 36 machines involved.

Charles and Calvert Counties will be asked what they paid for this same service so a comparison can be made.

Tarkill Subdivision

Mr. Robert Magee. Presented letter to the commissioners regarding his entrance road, with attached deed. In the letter he states that Mr. Millison has told him that he does not mind if the county takes over the road, but Dr. Goldbach will not take any position in this matter at all. Mr. Magee also presented along with the deed of conveyance, a petition signed by 90 people on the Drayden Road pertaining to this matter. He stated that this entrance road is a county road but he has always maintained it and the county has never been asked to do so.

(Mr. Guyther came in at this point). Mr. Guyther suggested writing to Mr. Millison and Dr. Goldbach that the commissioners are considering taking over this road and request their signatures to perfect the deed. Mr. Magee could also file an adverse position use suit in circuit court. The commissioners agreed that the aforementioned letters should be written by Mr. Guyther, with copies to Mr. Magee. Also mentioned that Mr. Magee would still have to build the road to county specifications before it could be taken over.

Roads

Mr. Thom Hill, Jr. Reported that no performance bond has been posted for Crosswoods and Skyview Drives, and Mr. Thompson has stated that this can go no further toward being taken into the county system until said bond is posted. Mr. Sterling will be asked about this.

Forest Park Road has been patched, bushed and drainage has been corrected. Willows Road taken over by the federal government, but has to be posted with signs according

to the manual, such as speed limits, etc. Yorktown Road is 24 feet wide, and when cars are parked on both sides of the street, there is about 13 feet between them for traffic flow. Mr. Hall reported there are driveways into each yard along this street, but some of them have been fenced off as part of the yard. Letter will be sent to Mr. T. Rice concerning this matter and he will be asked to have the Lexington Park Committee make a survey as to this situation and make a recommendation to the commissioners. Mr. Hall said that allowing parking on one side only might help solve the congestion here.

Letter will be sent to Mr. Hall re placing stop sign on Mill Cove Road where it intersects the Patuxent Beach Road. According to Mr. Hall, entrance road to the Magee subdivision is in fair condition. It has been ditched and bushed. The commissioners will wait until Mr. Guyther sends letters to Mr. Millison and Dr. Goldbach on this matter. Concerning Kloman's subdivision, Mr. Hall will see Mrs. Gibson and get exact facts concerning the road in question, and see just what portion the bond covers.

Heaters

Mr. Raley reported that the sheriff has asked to have a heater in the building in Lexington Park, and Mr. Otis Wood has requested heat in the basement of the Civil Defense building where his office is located. Mr. Burch suggested that if the pipe could be cut into and a radiator installed, this would be one way to take care of Mr. Wood's request. Mr. Raley will check this matter to decide the best way to handle said requests, to determine most practical method.

Bond for Sheriff's Clerk

Mr. Paul Raley stated that Mrs. Boyd should be bonded for more than the \$1,000 she now is. This is the minimum allowed by law, and Mrs. Boyd handles a great deal of money.

Human Relations Commission Resignation

Letter read from Mr. George Sparling regarding his resignation as chairman, effective as of this date, rather than January 1, 1965.

St. George Island Wharf

The commissioners agreed that Mr. Deagle might accept the \$70.00 offered for the salvage material from this project and this money should be paid to the county. Mr. Raley will handle this.

Meeting adjourned.

Approved,

F. Elliott Burch

F. Elliott Burch, President