

CITY OF SMITHS GROVE
SMITHS GROVE, KENTUCKY

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Trustees of the City of Smiths Grove, Tuesday, February 7, 1956.

As usual the Board met at 7:00 PM, in the Director's Room of the Deposit Bank and the following business was transacted:

1. Street Markers - The Clerk stated that Mr. Meredith, Chairman of the Lion's Club Improvement Committee had stated that the following specifications were set forth with regards to painting the posts: (1) Start signs 4" from top of post (2) It will take approximately 4 gallons of special concrete paint (recommended Pittsburgh Hide Concrete Paint). The Lion's Club would like to know how much City will put towards the project.

Upon a motion of Mrs. Stone, seconded Mrs. Crump, the Board voted to contribute \$60.00 on the project. The Lion's Club is to furnish labor, etc., and supervise the job. No one on the Board will have time to spend on it.

2. Bobby Tabor, Secretary of the Fire Department, appeared with regard to leak in the tank of Fire Truck and requested that it be fixed. After a discussion of the subject the Board suggested putting a new tank on the truck. Upon a motion of Mr. Denton, seconded Mr. Tarter it was decided to ask the Fire Department to pay for this since they have a pretty good little fund of their own. Bobby was advised to inform Department of same.

3. Mrs. Ford Thomas previously made a suggestion to Mr. Tarter that if the City would put a tile under the walk by the little houses which they purchased from Irvins that they (the Thomas's) would run the water from there. Board agreed this should be done. Mrs. Stone made a motion and Mr. Tarter seconded that City set the tile where requested. There were no dissenting votes.

4. Mrs. Stone turned over \$10.00 to the Clerk which was for Cemetery Fund by Jessie and Frances Allen.

5. As Mr. Melton resigned at the last meeting of the Board, Mrs. Stone was elected unanimously to take his place as Chairman. Mr. John H. Lowe who had resigned as Judge at the last meeting was appointed to the vacancy on the Board.

6. It was suggested that Mr. G. E. Preston be approached as a possible Judge to replace Mr. Lowe.

7. The Board stated that since Mr. Lowe was now on the Board of Trustees a new Tax Board would have to be appointed to take the place of that Board as Mr. Lowe was a member of the Tax Board.

8. As the Clerk stated that he could no longer serve at a Salary of \$40.00 per month it was voted to raise his Salary as City Clerk to \$50.00 per month and to pay him \$25.00 per month for Cemetery Clerk. The Clerk agreed that if ever the receipts feel below expectations he would drop his Salary accordingly. Upon a motion of Mrs. Crump, second Mr. Denton, it was agreed to raise his Salary to the above proposal as of February 1, 1956. There were no objections.

These minutes have been written into the records as of this, the 7th day of February, 1956.


Lucian E. Flora,
Clerk.