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January 8 - 1934

The regular meeting of the Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held on the above date in the Fire House in the First District and was called to order by the Chairman Wm Bayer at 8 pm.

Roll call and the following members present - Thos. E. Crouse, B H Goodwin, Carl C. Hensell, George Ostien and Wm Bayer

The minutes of the meeting of Dec. 4, 1933 were read, and there being no corrections or rejections the Chairman declared the minutes approved as read.

The unpaid bills were checked and several were O.K. for payment, but upon request of Sec. were held over except those ordered for payment.

Motion by Goodwin sec by Ostien that a warrant be drawn in favor of the State Workmans Compensation Insurance - Motion Carried.

At this time the reorganization of the Board was taken up.

Motion by Goodwin sec by Ostien that Wm Bayer act as temporary Chairman and M Barker as temp. Sec.
Motion Carried.

Motion by Goodwin sec by Ostien that a secret ballot be cast for all candidates. Motion Carried.

Motion by Goodwin scd by Ostien
that Jacob Weber and J.W. Barker act as Tellers
Motion Carried.

The nominees for Chairman were
Mr. Thos E Crouse and Carl C. Hensell

The vote being cast Mr Crouse received
3 votes and Mr. Hensell 2 votes
Mr. Crouse was declared —
elected.

The nominees for Vice Chairman
were as follows - Mr. B.H. Goodwin
and Mr Carl C Hensell
The result was as follows Mr. Hensell
4 votes Mr. Goodwin 1 vote.
Mr. Hensell declared elected

Mr. H.H. Cox being the only
applicant for Secretary, He was
declared elected. The ayes and
nays being called, the following
voted. Mr. Crouse aye, Mr Goodwin
aye, Mr. Hensell aye, Mr. Ostien aye,
and Mr. Bayer aye.

The bond of Mr. A.A. McKeever for
the year 1934 was presented to the
Commissioners for their approval

Motion by Mr. Goodwin scd. by Ostien
that the bond be accepted and filed
in the Safety Deposit Box at the
Turtle Creek Saving & Trust Co Vault.
Motion Carried.

The Board of Commissioners Collectively
expressed their regret when they
learned of Mr. G.M. McDonald decision
to withdraw as Township Solicitor.

And after it was explained by Mr. McDonald
why the action was necessary, The Board of Commissioners by motion Voted Mr. McDonald
their thanks for past services, and their
best wishes for the future.

Motion by Goodwin scd by Crouse
that the meeting adjourn Sine Die Carried

At this time the new Chairman
of the Commissioners called the Board
to order and the Secretary was asked
to come forward and take his place
and record the actions of the Board.
As new secretary I wish to thank
Mr. Barker for his kind words and
the offer of help at any time I
may require it also to thank the
Board of Commissioners for their
approval of myself as Secretary.

Motion made by Mr. Bayer scd by Hensell
that a vote of thanks be tendered
Mr M.G. Barker for his services as
Sec. of the Township the past several years
Motion Carried

✓ Motion by Mr Hensell scd by Mr. Bayer
that the application of Mr Theodore H.
Schmidt be accepted and he being
the only nominee was declared elected.
The vote on roll call was Mr. Crouse aye
Mr. Bayer aye, Mr Goodwin aye Mr Ostien aye
and Mr. Hensell aye.

✓ The following names were presented
by application for position as Township
engineer Mr. J.A. Angelotti and J.B. Freare
The vote resulted in Mr. Freare receiving
5 votes Mr. Angelotti none
Mr J.B. Freare declared elected.

Applications for Road Supervisor were - Jos John Nichl - Dominic Aiello and Frank Morosini - The result of the vote was Jos. Nichl 5 Jos Aiello none Jos. Morosini none Jos. Nichl declared elected

Motion made by Jos Hensell sec by Jos Goodwin that the application of Jos. Ed. Bayer be accepted and he be elected as Tractor Operator - He being the only applicant. Carried.

Motion by Jos. Hensell sec by Bayer that Jos. V. P. Shafer being the only applicant for Building Inspector and Ordinance Officer - Roll call being requested the following was the result of the vote Jos. Goodwin aye, Jos Hensell aye Jos Ostien aye, Jos. Bayer aye and Jos. Gorise aye Jos. Shafer was declared elected. Motion by Bayer sec by Ostien that the applications of Fred Harmath and Patsy R. Vardotta be accepted and they be elected as Township Police for the year 1934 and that their salary be set at $2.00 each for the month of January 1934

Motion Carried.

A vacancy on the Board of Health was filled by Jos. B.H. Goodwin nominating Jos. James Walker. There being no other nominees Jos. Goodwin moved and Jos. Ostien seconded that he be elected.

Motion Carried

Motion by Jos. Goodwin sec by Hensell that the Solicitor be paid the sum of $400.00 per year and $50.00 per day or part of the day spent in Court.

Motion Carried

Motion by Jos Bayer sec by Jos. Goodwin that the Secretary be paid $300.00 per year.

Motion Carried.

Chairman Thomas E Gorise presented the following committee

Road Comm. C.C. Hensell - Chairman
William Bayer
C.C. Ostien

Light & Water B.H. Goodwin Chairman
C.C. Hensell
William Bayer

Police & Fire William Bayer Chairman
C.C. Hensell
B.H. Goodwin

Finance & Taxes B.H. Goodwin Chairman
C.C. Hensell
C.C. Ostien
William Bayer

Ordinance-Rules & Printing C.C. Hensell Chairman
William Bayer
B.H. Goodwin
C.C. Ostien

Motion by Jos. Goodwin sec by Jos. Ostien that the several committees be accepted.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Jos. Goodwin sec by Jos Bayer that a warrant be drawn in favor of the State Associations of Township Commissioners for the sum of $10.00

Motion Carried.

Motion made by Jos. Bayer sec by Jos Hensell that Jos. B.H. Goodwin be elected as Delegate to the State Association Convention to be held at Wilkes-Barre on January the 28th 29th and 30th 1934

Motion Carried

Moved by Jos Hensell sec by Jos. Goodwin that the Sec. fill in the form and forward same to the County Association

Motion Carried

Motion made by Jos Bayer sec'd by Jos. Ostien that the Bill presented by the Allegheny County Emergency Relief Board for Wilkins Township part of Rent of Building used by the Relief Board be paid to the amount of $15.00

Motion Carried

Motion by Jos. Goodwin sec'd by Jos. Bayer that the communication from the Rhothenday be received and placed on file

Motion Carried.

Motion made by Jos. Goodwin sec'd by Jos. Bayer that the communication from Jos. A.G. McKeever relative to refund due Marie Elizabeth Sharpnack on account of revaluation of Her Property to the amount of $45.10 be complied with.

Motion Carried.

Chairman Thomas E. Crouse refused the petition from the property Owners residing on Thompson Street to the Road Committe

Verbal remarks by Jos. Jackson regarding the condition of Beech St.

Chairman Crouse recessed the meeting until Monday night January 15 1934

January 15, 1934 Wilkins Township Pa
recessed meeting of Jan. 8 1934 was called to order at 9.15 pm by the Chairman Jos. Thomas E. Crouse, and the following members were present. Jos. C.C. Hensell - Jos George C. Ostien Jos. T.E. Crouse, and Jos. B.H. Goodwin Absent Jos. William Bayer

Motion by Jos. Ostien sec'd by Jos. Hensell that a hourly rate of .50 for the Supervisor and a hourly rate of .60 for Truck Drivers be paid only when working on C.W.A. projects

Motion Carried

Regular moved by Jos. Hensell sec'd by Goodwin that the Supervisor and Tractor Driver work 6 hours per day when working on Township work during the term of the C.W.A. projects are in force

Motion Carried.

Moved by Jos. G.C. Ostien sec'd by Jos. C.C. Hensell that the hourly rate of the Supervisor be .60 and the hourly rate of Tractor Driver be .50 when working on Township work

Motion Carried

Motion by Jos. Goodwin sec'd by Jos. Ostien that the following trucking bills be paid.
Mike Smilewski Jr. $86.10 W.A. Stone $112.80
and C.B. Ayers $84.00 - Trucking service C.W.A. projects

Motion Carried.

Moved by Jos. C.C. Hensell sec'd by Jos. G.C. Ostien that a warrant be drawn in favor of Jos B.H. Goodwin for expences, He being elected by the Commissioners to be a delegate to represent them at the State Convention to be held at Wilkes-Barre Jan 28. 29. 30. 1934 amount of warrant $60.00

Motion carried.

Motion by Jos. Ostien sec'd by Jos. Goodwin that the meeting be recessed until Monday evening January 22 1934

Motion carried

Wilkins Township Jan. 22 1934
The meeting recessed January 15 1934 was called to order by the Chairman Jos Thomas E. Crouse at 9.50 pm Roll call and members reported as follows Jos. B.H. Goodwin Present, Jos. T.E. Crouse Present Jos. C.C. Hensell Present Jos. G.C. Ostien Present and Jos. William Bayer absent.

The Chairman Jos. Thos E. Crouse called for report of finance Committee

and Mr. B.H. Goodwin - Chairman reported progress, and outlined a tentative Budget for the several appropriations for the year 1934, The Finance Committee after making a check of the unpaid bills for the year 1933, found that they amounted to 11,390.11 and find that fund are not available at the present time to meet the obligations of the Township and in view of the fact that the Commissioners are not allowed by law to provide for last years bills in the 1934 budget, the finance Committee recommends to the Township Commissioners that they take advantage of the emergency legislation of 1933 pertaining to the Commissioners of First Class Townships and issue Short term Bonds against uncollected taxes

Motion by Mr. Geo. C Ostien secd. by Mr B.H. Goodwin that the report of the finance Committee be accepted as outlined in this report and the Township Solicitor be instructed to take the proper steps as are necessary for the preparation and issuance of Suffecent Bonds to enable the payment of the 11,390.11 in unpaid bills together with such other costs and expenses that are necessary the the issuance of such Bonds

Motion Carried.

The ayes and nay votes was called and motion was supported as follows C.C. Hensell aye, Geo C. Ostien aye, B.H. Goodwin aye, Thomas E. Rowe aye, Wm Boyer absent

Motion by Hensell secd by Ostien that two tires be purchased for the Township Truck - Size 36X6 10 ply. Motion Carried.

Moved by Mr. Hensell secd by Mr. Ostien that a warrant be drawn in favor of in favor of the Penn Tire Co. for the sum of 43.00 in payment of the aforesaid tires motion carried.

Moved by Mr. B.H. Goodwin secd by Mr. C.C. Hensell that the chairman Mr. Thomas E Rowe name a Claims Committee for the year 1934 Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr. Goodwin secd by Mr. Ostien that the salary of the Township Police be set at $160 each for the month of January 1934 Carried

Moved by Mr. Goodwin secd by Mr. Ostien that the meeting adjourn

Motion Carried.

By W.H. Cox
Secretary

WARRANT # Following Bills paid during Jan. 1934

541	Michael Milewski Jr.	31 50
542	Edgewood Country Club	7 00
543	Joseph Yost Jr	4 00
544	John Niehl	4 00
545	Wilkins Township #1 Fire Dept	2 50
546	Penna State Ass'n. Township Comm.	10 00
547	Alleg. County Emergency Relief Board	15 00
548	C.M. McDonald	21 50
549	State Workmen's Insurance Fund	201 18
550	John Niehl	59 40
551	Mike Milewski Jr.	86 10
552	W.A. Stone	84 00
553	W.A. Stone	28 80
554	E.B. Ayres	84 00
555	Edward Bayer	49 40
556	Penn Tire Co	43 00
557	B.H. Goodwin	60 00
558	Rhodes Service Station	5.30
559	Rutter Bros Lumber Co	1.00
560	Wm. Tierney & Co	1 70
561	W.S. Lawrence Hardware Co	1 72
562	John Niehl	60.30
563	Edward Bayer	49 60

Total $911.00

Wilkins Township Feb 5 1934

The regular monthly meeting was held on the above date in the Fire House in the first Dist. of Wilkins Township.

Roll call and the following commissioners were present. Chairman Thomas E. Crouse C. G. Hensell B. H. Goodwin - Wm Bayer and Geo C. Ostien.

Reading of the minutes and their ~~being~~ correction or rejections the Chairman Mr. T. E. Crouse orderd the minutes of Jan 8-1934 approved.

Report of Committees

Mr. Hensel reported that Road work was almost at standstill untill C.W.A. projects are released.

Verbal remarks on Road work were made by Mr. Geo C Ostien

Mr. B H Goodwin reported on the water & light contracts and reported progress.

Mr Goodwin also reported on the slide on Highland ave also recommendation from the Eng. regarding the same.

Mr Bayer as Chairman Police & Fire reported and said that from this date ~~on~~ all Requisitions for Police would have to be O.K. by Him and for the Fire Depts by the Chief of each Depts if not properly O.K. bill will not be honored.

Finance Comm. Chairman Mr. Goodwin reported in Detail, same as outlined in the minutes of Jan 8-1934

Also reported on Church Hill Borough.

Moved by Hensell scd by Bayer that the Solicitor be instructed to take action with the Penn. Water Co. - regards repairs to streets in the District when due to defective water lines Carried.

Moved by Mr. Goodwin scd. by Wm Bayer that the Comm. send a representive to the Valley Planning association. Motion Carried.

Chairman appointed Mr. Goodwin to represent the Township.

Motion by Goodwin scd by Geo. C Ostien that all Bills be O.K. by the finance Comm. with in one week after the regular monthly meeting. Carried.

Motion made by Goodwin scd by Bayer that a Finance Committee be held on next monday nite Feb 13-1934. Carried.

At this time the Chairman Mr. Thos E. Crouse introduced the Solicitor Mr. Theo. Schmidt to the citizens.

Mr. Schmidt spoke at some length regarding the turn out of the citizens and commended them on their choise of Commissioners also on the way the Commissioners conducted the business of the Township. also Mr. Schmidt explained to the citizens just what is meant by the issuance of Bonds on uncollectable Taxes, explaining that Taxes received in the year 1934 could not be used to pay bills that were contracted in 1933 and the 1934 budget only carried expenditures for the year 1934.

Motion by Bayer scd by Goodwin that the Ordinance #112 be passed first reading. Motion carried.

Moved by Bayer scd by Hensell that the Rules be suspended and that the ordinance #112 relative to appropriations be presented for second reading. Carried.

Motion by Goodwin scd by Bayer that ordinance # be passed on second Reading. Carried.

Motion by Mr. Hensell scd by Goodwin that the Secretary be instructed to change warrants #267-310-314- and 496 from appropriation #1 to Appropriation #2 as requested by the Auditors. Motion Carried.

Com. B.H. Goodwin reported on his trip to Wilkes-Barre as delegate to the Penn. State Convention of Township Commissioners

A motion was made by Com Bayer sec by Com. Geo. C Ostien that Com. Goodwins report be received and placed on file - Carried.

Remark by Com. Potter and Com. Whitford of Penn Township regarding their trip to the Convention and reported that all the resolutions presented by Allegheny County was put through except one and commended Com. Goodwin on the excellent report made to the Commissioners and the citizens of Wilkins Township.

Motion made by Goodwin sec by Potter that the Salary of Township Police be set at $100 each for the month of Feb 1934 Carried

Moved by Goodwin sec by Ostien that no more trucks be hired for C.W.A. projects Carried

Com. Pott Kirkpatrick spoke to some extent regarding the auditor report of the Books and Condition of the Township.

Remarks by Com. A.A. McKeever Township Treasurer. That the condition of the funds of the Township are low and that no warrants can be paid until other arrangements are made for the payments of bills.

Com. McKeever also read a report from Atty McDonald our former Solicitor regarding the decision of the Court on Churchill Borough.

Complaint of Com. Antone Gardano regarding sewage on his property - Moved by Goodwin sec by Ostien - that same be referred to Road Committee Carried

Motion by Bayer sec by Ostien that the meeting recess to meet Monday evening Feb 12-34 Motion Carried

Wilkins Township Feb. 12. 1934

The recessed meeting of Feb 5, 1934 was held this evening. Chairman Thos. E Course called the meeting to order

Members present - Thos E. Course B.H. Goodwin and Carl C. Hensell

Absent Wm Bayer - and Geo. C Ostien

Chairman Course called for report of finance committee regarding Budget for the year 1934 and Com. B.H. Goodwin reported that the several appropriations had been set up by the Committee and were ready for the approval of the Board of Commissioners.

Motion made by B.H. Goodwin and sec. by C.C. Hensell that the report of finance committee be accepted and that the Appropriations as follows be set and Ordinance be drawn up accordingly.

Appropriation #1 Administration

Commissioners	500.00	Filing-Renewing Liens	350.00
Solicitor	400.00	Stationery Postage Secy-Treas.	125.00
Secretary	300.00	Interest on Notes	200.00
Auditors	250.00	Attending Conventions Township Commissioners	100.00
Compensation	210.00	Township Engineer	150.00
Insurance Township Bldg.	200.00	Printing and Advertising Ordinances	200.00
Assn. of Township Commissns	25.00	Litigation	100.00
Telephone-Secretary	15.00	Miscellaneous expense	75.00
		Total	3,700.00
Artman judgment trended			7,500
		Grand Total	11,200.00

Appropriation #2 Roads-Highway.

4000.00

appropriation # 3 Board of Health

Total 350.00

appropriation # 4 Fire & Police → 2,000.00

appropriation # 5 NONE

appropriation # 6 Water Appropriation 4,750.00

appropriation # 7 Sinking Fund 3,740.00

appropriation # 8 Sinking Fund. 3,000.00

No other Business being presented motion by Goodwin sec by Ostien that the Board adjourn Carried

H. H. Conn Secy.

Wilkins Township.
Feb 20 1934

A Special meeting of the Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held on the above date. The call for this meeting was ordered by the Chairman Wm. Thos E. Crouse Notice of meeting as follows

There will be a Special meeting of the Township Commissioners to be held on Feb 20 1934 the purpose of meeting to pass on third and final reading The reading of the several appropriations for the year 1934 and such other business as the Chairman may present.

Signed Thos. E Crouse Pres
H. H. Conn Secy.

Motion by Wm. B.H. Goodwin sec by Geo. Ostien that the Secy. read the Appropriation as stated & agreed to Carried.

Motion by B.H. Goodwin sec by C.C. Hensell that the Appropriation for 1934 as set forth in Ordinance #112 be passed on third and final reading. (Motion Carried)

Aye and nay vote resulted thus
Ostien aye - Hensell aye - Crouse aye. Goodwin aye
Bayer - Absent.

Motion by Wm. Geo. Ostien sec by Wm. B.H. Goodwin that the millage for General Purposes be set at 8 eight mills - Motion Carried.

Motion by B.H. Goodwin sec by C.C. Hensell that the millage for Sinking fund #1 and sinking fund # 2 as set forth in Ordinance numbers 75 and 94 be set at 3 three mills.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Geo. Ostien sec. by B.H. Goodwin that the total millage be set at 11, eleven mills for the year 1934

Motion Carried

Motion by B.H. Goodwin scd C.C. Hensell that the Secy send request that a report be filed to the commissioners for their approval at the meeting of March the 5 1934, by the Road Motion Carried.

Motion by B.H. Goodwin scd by Geo Costen that the Secy. notify the Telephone Co to disconnect the telephones charged to the Township and at present located in the residences of the Township Police. Police Fred Hannatt-Patsy Farlotta Carried

Motion by Mr. Goodwin scd Mr. Costen that the Police salaries be set at $100.00 per year for each Policeman, and that the Police committee meet with the Police and have a understanding that they furnish Telephones.

Motion Carried.

Motion made by Hensell scd by Costen that the Turtle Creek Band and Trust Co be elected as Township Depository for the year 1934 and that the Tax Collector deposit all funds in said Bank Carried.

Motion made by Goodwin scd by Hensell that the Chairman of the Finance committee interview with the proper parties as the Band regarding having them furnish a Bond in the sum of $25,000.00 for the year 1934 Motion Carried.

Note the above amt of 25.000,00 was changed & read 20.000,00 as minutes of Dec. 5. 1934

No further business Motion to adjourn Carried.

H.H. Cox
Secy.

Wilkins Township.
March 5-1934

Regular monthly meeting of the Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held on the above date in the Fire House in the first Ward.

Roll call- Mrs. Gordon- Present-Mr Costen-Pres Mr. Bayer-Pres Mr Crouse Pres Mr Hensell. Pres.

The minutes of the regular meeting of February 5 and the Special meeting of February 28 1934 were read and approved as read. by order of Chairman there being no corrections or rejections.

Reports

Road Committee- Mr. C.C. Hensell reported that all road work was at a standstill due to bad weather.

Mr Costen reported on Road in the first Ward.

Mr. Crouse Chairman of the Board reported also on Condition of Roads also made report regarding C.W.A. Projects.

Lights-Water Chairman Mr. Goodwin reported Progress

Printing and Ordinances Mrs Goodwin reported the ordinance # 112 - appropriation for 1934 had been set and the millage approved for the year.

Mr. B.H. Goodwin as representative to the Valley Planning Association reported on the aims of the association also that Mr. Yenning of East Pitts was elected Pres. for the year 1934- also brought to our attention the that the Association is taking up the disposal of sewerage in the Turtle Creek Valley.

The Chairman Com. Thos E. Crouse named the following as Claims Committee Com. C.C. Hensell Chairman - Com. Wm Bayer and Com. B.H. Goodwin

Motion by Com. Hensell sec by Com Goodwin that the Solicitor be instructed to handle the accident on Dorthy Street according to the action taken by the at a former meeting see minutes of April 2-1934 X

Chairman Crouse refered to the Road Comm. the Closing of Highland Ave.

Communication from Com. Jackson requesting the adjusting of Street adjoining his property to be referred to the Solicitor. by the Chairman

Motion made by Com. Hensell sec by Com. Bayer that 1934 Bills be paid out of Delinquent Tax Funds and that same be refunded when the 1934 Tax is collected. Motion Carried

Motion by Com. Hensell sec by Com. Bayer that the Tuttle Creek Bank and Trust Co furnish Bond in the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars 20,000.00 - and that motion in the minute of Feb 28 1934 be amended.

Motion Carried.

Motion made by Com. Goodwin sec by Com Hensell that the Secy get in Touch with Mrs. Mills of the Welfare in Wilkinsburg regarding Negro citizens of Township report to Welfare Office in Tuttle Creek instead of Wilkinsburg as is present setup.

Motion Carried

Mr. Smith and Soles spoke to some length regarding the condition of the Streets and Walks in their locality.

Com. A.A. McKeever requested that the Sec, be instructed to draw warrant to take care of the 1933 taxes refused until to hand. when Com McKeever reports the amt.

Motion by Goodwin sec by Hensell that the Secy. be instructed to draw warrant for 1933 Taxes as requested by Com. McKeever Carried.

Motion by Com Hensell sec by Cotten that the Secy write to Dept of Forest and Streams at Harrisburg regarding condition of Stream which follows the Rodi Road.

No objection be offered the Chairman ordered meeting recessed until Friday evening Feb 9- 1934.

Wilkins Township
March 9 1934

Recessed meeting of March 5 was called to order by the Chairman Thos. E Crouse and the following were - Present Thos Crouse B.H. Goodwin - C.C. Hensell and Wm Bayer Geo. C. Cotten Absent.

Motion by Goodwin sec by Bayer that the Commissioners place order with the Hunt Rubber Co for 200 ft fire hose at 99½ cents per foot. Motion Carried

Aye and nay vote called resulted thus Goodwin aye Bayer aye Crouse aye Hensell nay. Cotten absent.

Motion by Hensell sec by Bayer that the Road Supervision & Tractor Operator be paid on the 8th and 23 of each month.

Carried.

Motion by Goodwin sec by Bayer that the motion passed in Jan 1934 reading that Supv. & Tractor Driver work six 6 hours per day be rescinded.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Goodwin sec by Bayer that employee work 30 hours per week, except in emergency, and then the excess hours be deducted the following week.

Motion Carried.

Motion made by Jas Bayer sec by Jas. Goodwin that in the furture all complaints must be presented to the Commissioners in writing
Motion Carried.
Motion by Hensell sec by Bayer that all bills must be O.K. by the several Committee before being presented to the Finance Committee
Motion Carried.
Motion made by Hensell sec by Goodwin that the Township furnish the Tractor & plow the gardens for the citizens of the Township and that no ground under one acre and applying to at least six citizens be plowed and that each Commissioner appoint one citizen to act as a committee of five to act in conjuction with Commissioners
Motion Carried.
Motion by Bayer sec by Hensell that the meeting be adjourned until March the 14th 1934

Wilkins Township
March 14 1934

Recessed meeting of March 9 was reconvened this evening Mr. Thos E. Crouse Presiding.
Roll call and following present
Thos E. Crouse Jas. C. Oatley - C.P. Hensell
B.H. Goodwin - Jas. Bayer absent.

Several representatives from Rubber Co were present with fire Hose and each were heard in turn regarding their hose.
After discussing the quality and price of the several hose submitted a Motion was made by Jas. Goodwin sec by Hensell that we tentatively agree to buy the Gusher Hose at a price of .95 cents per ft from the Republic Rubber Co.
Motion Carried
Motion by Goodwin sec by Hensell that a warrant be drawn in favor of Bonding Co to amt of 10.00 in payment of Solicitor Bond
Motion Carried.

Motion by Jas. Oatley sec by Jas. Goodwin that the Secy. draw up a reply to the auditor and submit same to Commissioners for approval before same is sent out
Motion Carried.
Motion by Hensell sec by Oatley that the Secy. draw up letter & new Project ask for the approval # of men and hours or days to complete the work on Rebecca & Mc Master Avenues
Motion Carried.
All bills duly O.K. were ordered paid as funds were available.
Motion by Hensell sec by Goodwin that meeting adjourn
Motion Carried.
Jos H Coxon Secy.

Warrants Paid

H 564	John Nicol	Wages.	90.00
565	Thomas E. Crouse	Salary	25.00
566	Jas. C Oatley	Salary	25.00
567	C.P. Hensell	"	25.00
568	William Bayer	"	25.00
569	B H Goodwin	"	25.00
570	N H Coxon	"	75.00
571	R L Kirkpatrick	Auditor	83.00
572	Joseph A. Tomasic		80.00
573	James F Watt		81.50
574	C.R. Means	B. of Health Salary	19.35
575	John J. Weber	Bd of Health Office Salary	60.00
576	Theodore H Schmidt	Salary	100.00
577	Peebles Nat Gas Co		3.78
578	Bell Telephone Co		8.35
579			
580	Valley Auto Wreckers	Repair Parts	50.00
581	Turtle Creek Auto Parts Co		8.95
582	Mrs John J. Edwards	Gasoline	21.44
583	Star Printing Co	Supplies	4.96
584	Carnegie Steel Co	Freight on Slag	50.46
585	Bell Telephone Co		14.84

WARRANTS Paid March

586	Peoples Nat Gas Co	20.82
587	Duquesne Light Co	15.00
588	Butler Bros. Lumber & Subbllies	
589	A.J. Yost Hauling C.W.A. Project	147.12
590	C.B. Ayers Hauling C.W.A. Project	1.14
591	Pats. Carlotta Gasoline	29.54
592	Ed. Bayer - Wages	66.00
593	Pats. Carlotta Balances for Police 1933	3.75
594	Fred Harnath Balances for Police 1933	4.41
595	Republic Rubber Co	200.00
596	Star Printing Co	20.15
597	N.H. Coxon - Money advanced to Penn. Water Co	8.27
598	Fred Harnath 1st quarter Police Salary	25.00
599	Pats. Carlotta 1st " " "	25.00
600	Thomas G. Bovey 15.00 tons R.M. Coal	13.32
601	Duquesne Light Co	11.15
602	Michael Niehl inner Tube	3.50
603	John Vogt Prothonotary - Tax Liens	175.25
604	Edgewood Country Club Red Dog	41.00
605	John Niehl Wages	38.70
606	Edward Bayer wages	37.20
607	James Coles wages	8.10
608	John Vogt Prothonotary Tax Liens 1933 Corrections	175.25

Wilkins Township Pa
April 2- 1934

Regular monthly meeting of the Commissioners was held in the Fire House in the First District of Wilkins Township Roll Call and following responded. Chairman Thos E. Crouse Vice Chairman C.C. Hunsell - B.F. Goodwin - Geo. Ostien

Reading of minutes of previous meeting and no corrections or objections the Chairman ordered them approved as read

Report of Committee

Mr. Hunsell and Ostien reported roads in fair shape and would do work as funds became available.

Light - Water Mr. Goodwin reported progress.

Police and fire no report.

Finance & Taxes reported Progress

Ordinance Rules & Printing Mr. Hunsell Chairman reported ordinance # 113-114 ready for first reading.

Chairman instructed Sec to read same

Moved by B.F. Goodwin sec by Ostien that ord. # 113-114 be passed on first reading Carried

Motion by Ostien sec by Goodwin that take up Second reading Ord # 113 and 114 - Carried

Motion by Goodwin sec by Hunsell that ordinance # 113 and 114 be passed on Second reading. Motion Carried

Motion by Goodwin sec by Ostien that ordinance be referred to the Finance Committee motion Carried

The Solicitor reports that he had been able to settle the case of Mrs Annabelle Godula against the Township for $50.00 for which the Commissioners extend him their thanks.

Motion by Goodwin sec by Hunsell that a warrant be drawn in favor of Mrs Annabelle Godula for $50.00 in full for all damages in said case against the Township Motion Carried

a petition from the House Holder and Property Owners residing on Bottom Beaver - Buck and several other streets Mentioned in the petition be referred to the Road Committe. Chairman Crouse so ordred.

All Bills read were referred to finance committe, by Motion made by Mr Gordon and sec'd by Osterr, Motion Carried.

Mr. B.H. Goodwin reported that the Valley Planning association reports on North avenue and said that there engineer would take up the matter and report back at a later date.

Motion by Gordon sec'd by Osterr that the report from Mr. Andrew L. McKeever dated April 2. 1934 regarding 1933 Duplicate in full be accepted and placed on file. Motion Carried.

Motion by Gordon sec'd by Osterr that the Position of Tractor Operator be discontinued Road Supervisor to Drive Trucks and Tractor Carried.

Motion by Gordon sec'd by Osterr that the Board of Commissioners extend a vote of thanks to the Secy. for the report for the first Quarter of 1934 Motion Carried.

Moved by Hensell sec'd by Gordon that services of Mr. John B Evans be discontinued due to him not filing a Bond and this by not complying with the Code - and that the Secy. so notify him Carried.

Secy read the reply to the letter of auditor regarding the 1933 and that we the Commrs. approved the letter and copy be sent to the Auditor - Motion made by Gordon and sec'd by Hensell - upon vote motion was carried.

Mr Schmidt reporting on the status of C. Hall Borough effairs that taxes were advised against them for 1934 and the would be obliged to render service as may be required.

Mr B.H. Goodwin spoke on the need of every citizen using every effort to consolidate all town efforts to help to gather the tax. of the Township explaining that it would be to the best interest of all to keep the township as it is and have the County Comm. so instruct it.

Motion by B.H. Goodwin sec'd by Osterr that putting of several grounds for the use of the Mush Ball Teams in condition be left to the Road Comm. and Mr. John Heidt be instructed to Operate the Tractor. Carried

motion Gordon sec'd Osterr that the Twp. be discontinued. Motion Carried

Motion by Hensell sec'd by Osterr that the meeting be recessed until Monday nite April the 9 1934 Motion Carried.

Within Twp April 9. 1934

The recessed meeting of April 2. 1934 was reconvened the Evening.

Roll call and following were Present Mr. Crouse Present Mr. Gordon Present Mr. Hensell Present and Mr Osterr Present.

The communication from Mr. W.H. Berry of the Hewitt Ruffe Co accepting the cancellation of order for 200ft of hose be accepted and noted on the minutes and be filed for reference - (Carried)

The Solicitor reported progress on Street referred to in petition of last meeting. Also reported that the Twp. Property should be posted with no Trespassing signs. Our Solicitor to get proper signs.

Motion by Osterr sec'd by Gordon that the Police be instructed to post same on alley or Property at North Braddock line Motion Carried.

Motion by Gordon sec'd by Osterr that the Motor Cycle be sold to Mr. Andrew Kneff for the sum of $15.00 and instruct Secy to fill out the consignment of the title Motion Carried.

Motion by Osterwood seconded by Goodwin that the laborers be paid the sum of 40¢ per hour for work performed for the Township during the year 1934. Motion Carried.

Motion made by Goodwin that a new member be appointed to the Board of Health. Motion Carried

Dr. Reaber appointed if there be any no objection.

Motion by Osterwood seconded by Goodwin that the meeting recess to call of Chairman

Motion Hensell that Osterwood Ctd.

Recessed meeting of April 9 reconvened and no Business to be transacted meeting adjourned. 1. 5 34 1934

H. H. Corbin Secy

		Warrants	Paid
# 609	Ed Boyer	Wages	49.30
# 610	John Diehl	"	46.00
# 611	Duquesne Light Co		4.60
# 612	Pittsburgh Gas Co		11.57
# 613	Penn. Water Co		6.00
# 614	Bell Tele Co		6.10
# 615	National Surety Corp.		10.00
# 616	Borough of Wilmerding		38.59
# 617	Turtle Creek Auto Parts		1.12
# 618	Andrew Eby. Sharpnack		45.10
# 619	Turtle Creek Building Supply		1.00
# 620	J. R. Queen & Son		12.75
621	John Diehl		61.80
622	Paul Migliorini		3.84
623	Clarence Swope		18.24
624	James Littlejohn		2.88
625	James Soles		12.96
626	Carmine Diello		25.92
627	W. Kwiatkowski		16.32
628	Peter Paoletta		24.66
629	Matt Mahek		15.36
630	Clarence Snyder		4.80
			433.21

		Warrants	Paid
# 631	Alex Wisniewski	Wages	8.64
632	Cliff. Thompson	"	6.72
633	Robert Grove	"	4.80
			20.16
			433.21
	Total →		453.37

Wilkins Township

May 7- 1934

The Regular Monthly meeting of the Wilkins Township Commissioners was held on the above date in the Fire House in the First District of Wilkins Twp.

Roll Call and the following answered present Thos. E. Crouse Present. Goodwin Present C. C. Hensell Present and Geo. Osterwood Present.

Reading of minutes of the previous meeting and their being no corrections or rejections Chairman ordered minutes approved as read.

Wm. Hensell reported road in the Twp. in very poor condition.

Wm Goodwin reported Progress on Light & Water Police & Fire no report.

Finance & taxes Wm. Goodwin reported Progress

Ordinances & Printing No Report.

Complaint of Wm Giordano be referred to the Board of Health.

Motion by Goodwin seconded by Osterwood the Commissioners sign Contract with the Republic Rubber Co for 400 ft of Bush Double Jacket 1/2" Hose at 95¢ per ft

Motion Carried.

Motion by Goodwin seconded by Osterwood that all Bills be referred to Finance Committee for O.K.

Carried.

Complaint of Wm. E. J. Pfeffer referred to the Zoning Officer by order of the Chairman Wm. Thos E. Crouse.

Motion made by Com. B.H. Goodwin
sec'd by Com. Geo. Ostien that the
Commissioners of Wilkins Township
become members of the League of
Boroughs & Township of Allegheny County
and that a warrant be drawn in
favor of said League for the sum
of $25.00 which is the amount of Wilkins
Township for the year 1934
Ayes and nays being called
Votes resulted as follows
Crouse Aye Hensell Nay Goodwin Aye
Ostein Aye. Motion Carried.

Com. Crouse Chairman appointed Com.
Goodwin & Ostein to attend
meeting of May the 10th 1934.
Motion by Ostein sec'd by Goodwin
that the Sec. request that the Secre-
tary of the Board of Health file
a detailed report.
Motion Carried.
Motion by Goodwin sec'd by Ostein
that Contract as outlined by Mr. Woods
of the Hosack Schlettgen & Co
be referred to Mr. Schmidt-Solicitor
for to see if includes tax refunds
from the State. Motion Carried.

The Communication from the Board
of Health regarding sanitary rules
and regulations in order to facilitate
their work be refered to Solicitor.
Motion by Goodwin sec'd by Hensell
that ordinance be so refered before we
have first reading. Carried.
Motion by Goodwin sec'd by Ostein
that the action of the President and
Sec. be affixed in signing the list
of mortgages submitted by the

Township for securities of funds deposited
with the Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co.
Motion Carried
Motion by Goodwin sec'd by Ostein
that meeting be recessed to May 17 1934.
Motion Carried.

Wilkins Township Pa
May 17- 1934

The Recessed meeting of the Commissioners
of Wilkins Township was convened on
this above date. Roll Call and following
answered Present. Thos. Crouse Geo Ostein
C.C. Hensell and B.H. Goodwin
Finance Committee reported on Contract
Mr. Schmidt Solicitor after this report
the following motion was made,
Motion by Goodwin sec'd by Ostein that
we enter into a contract with Hosack
Schlettgen & Co as outlined in their proposal
and submitted by their Mr. A.C. Woods at an
annual charge of $60.00 Sixty Dollars per year
aye Hensell Crouse aye Goodwin aye Ostein aye
Motion Carried
Moved by Hensel sec'd by Goodwin that the
Auditor furnish each Commissioner with
a Copy of the recent audit
Motion Carried
Motion by Hensell sec'd by Goodwin that
the report of Board of Health regarding the
storing of Old Auto Parts be referred
to the Zoning Officer Carried.
Motion by Goodwin sec'd by Ostein that
we ask for Bids from several Certified
Accountants to audit the Books of the Township
for a period of four year back. Carried.
Motion by Hensell sec'd by Goodwin that
the meeting adjourn. Motion Carried.

Following warrants were paid for

# 634	John Whild - [illegible]			61.50
635	James Soles		4-17 to 27	36.48
636	Clarence Swope Wages		4-19 to 26	28.24
637	Carmen Aiello		April 8 Hours	3.84
638	Franchi Ferraro		April 8 Hours	3.84
639	John Marquino		April 8 Hours	3.84
640	John Varhely		April 8 Hours	3.84
641	John Fuchs	May 1 to 14-34		50.40
642	Ralph Crouse wages	4-17-34		3.84
			Total	196.82

N. H. Coon
Secy.

First Dist of Wilkins Twp - May 24-1934

A Special meeting of the Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held this day. Duely called at request of Chairman Wm. Thos E. Crouse

Meeting called to order by the Chairman at 8.45 pm

Wm Thos E Crouse stated the purpose of the meeting namely to Elect a Tax Collector and Treasurer for the Township.

The following applications were received

B.H. Coon and B.H. Goodwin

Roll call following Present Thos E Crouse B.H. Goodwin. Geo. E Ostien

Wm. C.C. Hensell Absent.

Moved by Goodwin sec by Ostien that we proceed to elect a Tax Collector & Treas. and that a secret ballot be taken

Motion Carried.

The result of the vote stands as follows Goodwin two (2) Coon One (1)

Moved by Goodwin sec by Ostien that meeting be adjourned

Carried.

N.H. Coon
Secy.

Wilkins Township Pa
June 4-1934

The regular monthly meeting of the Commissioners was held in the Fire House in the First District of Wilkins on the above date Chairman of the Board Wm. Thos E Crouse presiding.

Roll call and the following answered Present. Crouse Goodwin Ostien and Hensell

Reading of the minutes of the regular meeting of May 7 and Special meeting of May 24-1934 were and their being no corrections or rejections, a motion was made by Wm. Goodwin sec by Wm. Ostien that they stand approved.

Motion Carried.

Report of Committee

On Road Wm. Ostien reported grading done on Several Streets.

Light & Water Wm. Goodwin reported progress

Police no report.

Ordinance & Poles Taxes

Motion by Goodwin sec by Ostien that ordinance #114 be held over until next regular meeting

Motion Carried.

Motion by Hensell sec by Ostien that both Squires be furnished with red tags

Motion Carried.

Motion by Goodwin sec by Ostien that June 18 be set for a Public meeting to discuss with the citizens ord. #114

Motion Carried.

Motion by Goodwin sec by Ostien that the Commissioners set the Sat before the 8th and the 23rd of each month for a Finance Committee to meet and that they meet at 7 pm sharp.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Ostier scd by Goodwin that all bills be refered to finance Committee. Motion Carried.

Motion by Goodwin scd by Ostier that communication from the Board of Health regarding Antonio Giordano of 713 McMasters Ave be refered to Solicitor. Motion Carried.

Motion by Goodwin scd by Ostier that we take up the matter of a Commissioner at large if their are any applicants.

Aye and nay vote being called vote resulted thus Ostier aye Crouse nay. Goodwin aye Hensell nay

Motion lost.

Motion by Ostier scd by Hensell that we pay second quarter salarys of Township Officials. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hensell scd by Ostier that the Solicitor get a Certified Copy of Court order regarding the status of Wilkins Twp. regarding the Districts. Motion Carried.

Motion by Goodwin scd by Ostier that the Secretary send a letter to the School Board regarding the election by the Commissioner of a Tax collector and Treasurer until the next municipal Election or for the year 1934 and 1935

Motion Carried.

Aye & nay votes resulted thus

Goodwin aye - Ostier aye Crouse aye Hensell nay.

Motion by Goodwin scd by Ostier that project # 02-0607 be revised project formerly called for work on 14 streets and now being revised to call for 22 streets as per plans being prepared for by the Commissioners of Wilkins Twp.

Motion Carried.

~~this was ord regarding Peddlers etc.~~

Ord # 114 was read for third time. Motion by Goodwin scd by Ostier that ord. be enacted. Motion Carried.

Ord # 113 Taken up for third reading Motion by Goodwin scd by Ostier that ordinance be passed as amended [illegible] this ord. refered to licensing Peddlers & etc.

At this time Mr. Thos. E. Crouse presented his resignation to the Board of Commissioners effective June 4 1934

Motion by Goodwin scd by Ostier that the resignation of Mr. Crouse be accepted with regrets

Motion Carried.

No further Business

Motion to adjourn Carried.

N. H. Coxon
Secy.

Warrants Paid

June 2	# 643	John Muehl	wages 5-16 to 31-1934	60.60
June 4	# 644	Thos E Crouse	Salary Comm. scd Quarter	25.00
" 4	# 645	Geo C. Ostier	" " " "	25.00
June 4	# 646	C. C. Hensell	" " " "	25.00
June 4	# 647	B. H. Goodwin	" " " "	25.00
June 4	# 648	N. H. Coxon	Secy. Salary 2nd Quarter	75.00
			Total	$ 235.60
June 18	649	Thos H Schmidt	Solicitor 2nd Quarter	100.00
June 25	650	James Davis	Sec Board Health salary scd Quarter	19.65
			June Total	355.25

Wilkins Township Pa
June 15- 1934

a Special meeting of the Commissioners was held on the above date. The following members were present.

Jos. C.C. Hensell Jos. B. H. Goodwin Jos. Geo Ostien and Jos Augustine

Motion by Ostien sec'd by Augustine that the call for the Special meeting be read by the Secy. Carried Aye- and Nay vote as follows Ostien aye Augustine aye Goodwin aye Hensell nay.

On question or motion Jos. Hensell requested that his remarks be recorded as follows Citizens of Wilkins Township, Gentlemen this meeting was not properly called as Vice Chairman I should have called the meeting and he should have had the proper time given to send out the call, the only legal call his notice 4 hours before the meeting, however the notice was duly sent out by the Secy on the 16th of June at between quarter to eight a.m. Also Mr. Hensell believes that the citizens should have known that a Commissioner was to be elected. The Call for the meeting was as follows

Wilkins Township
June 15- 1934

Secy of the Township Commissioners
Wilkins Township Pa.

You are hereby instructed to call a Special meeting of the Commissioners of Wilkins Township. For Monday evening Jan 18- 1934. at eight o'clock day light saving time for the purpose of electing a Township Commissioner, and if party a committee to meet with a like committee from

Church Hill Borough for the purpose of arriving at the obligations of the two municipalities as seperate units

Signed

D H Goodwin Commissioner
G.C. Ostien "
Jos E Augustine "

Motion made by Goodwin sec'd by Ostien that a election be had for a Commissioner at large in Wilkins Township

Aye & nay Vote resulted as follows Goodwin, aye Ostien aye Hensell nay Augustine aye

Motion Carried

Jos Hensell Vice Chairman requested that he be excused and that Jos. Ostien take the Chair

Application were read for Commissioner Jos. James Walker being the only applicant. The Board proceeded to election Chairman announced Jos Wetzel Cherry and Blakley to act as Tellers

The results of vote was that Jos James Walker was elected He receiving all votes cast

Motion by Goodwin sec'd by Augustine that the whole Board of Commissioners act as a Committee to meet a like committee from Church Hill Borough for the purpose of arriving at the obligations of the two municipalities, and Secy to notify Church Hill Borough and asking them when it will be suitable

Motion Carried

Motion by Goodwin sec'd by Walker that the Special meeting stand adjourned

Motion Carried

J. H. L. Corson
Secy.

Wilkins Township
July 2- 1934

The regular meeting of the Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held on the date above. in 2nd dist
Members responded to roll call as follows Jos E. Augustine, B H Gordon Karl C Hensell James Walker Geo C Osten

Reading of minutes and approved as read.

Reports of Committees
Road. Mr. Osten reported all Road work at a Standstill
Light- Water No Report
Police & Fire no Report
Finance & Taxes - Reported Progress
Ordance Rules & Printing. No Report
Motion by Gordon sec'd by Walker that when materials are ordered that the bills must show requisition # of order and that sec'y. notify merchants that bills will not be honored unless this has requisition #
Motion Carried.

Motion made by Osten sec'd by Walker that the Board reorganize.
After remarks by our Solicitor regarding the Township Code regarding the Vice Chairman - becoming the Chairman in case of resignation and etc. and that Mr. Carl C Hensell was therefore elevated to the Chairmanship. Mr Osten & Walker withdrew their motion concerning - reorganization
Motion by Gordon sec'd by Osten. that an election be had on a two Chairman. Mr. Osten & Augustine were nominated for the Office

Motion by Gordon sec'd by Osten that the nominations close Motion Carried.
Chairman appointed the following as Tellers
Mr. Smith - Tomasic
Mr. Osten receiving 3 votes and Mr. Augustine 2 votes Mr. Osten was declared elected. Vice Chairman of The Commissioners of Wilkins Township
Communication from Forest Hills B & L. Association was read regarding the water lines on Mullin Street also the street known as Alpine Blvd. and Board was asked to pass ordinances establishing the grades so that the Water Co can lay permanent lines
The Solicitor presented ordinance # 115 and 116 for reading
Motion by Gordon sec'd by Walker to proceed with first reading on # 115 and 116 ordinances. Motion Carried.
Motion by Walker sec'd by Osten that ordinance # 115 and 116 be passed on first reading
Motion Carried.
Motion by Augustine sec'd by Gordon that we take up second reading of ordinance # 115 and 116
Motion Carried.
Motion by Gordon sec'd by Augustine that ordinance # 115 and 116 be passed on second reading Motion Carried.
Chairman instructed Secy to write to The R.W.D. attention Mr. Cook regarding the dumping of Coal & dirt in old mine in Chalfant Borough.
Motion by Gordon sec'd by Augustine that Sec. arrange for signatures at the Bank for the new Officers of the Township.
Motion Carried.

Motion by Goodwin sec'd by Walker that the Solicitor take the necessary steps to seperate the property of W. Joe Hollander for Taxable purposes.

Motion Carried

Motion by Ostien sec'd by Walker that the Chairman appoint Temporary Committees

Motion Carried.

Chairman appointed as Follows

Road - Walker Augustine - Ostien

Water Light B.H. Goodwin Walker - Augustine

Police & Fire - Augustine Walker - Goodwine

Finance & Taxes Goodwine Walker - Ostien Augustine and Hensell

Ordinances Rules & Printing Ostien Augustine and Goodwin.

Claims - Ostien Goodwin and Augustine

Motion by Goodwin sec'd by Walker that the Solicitor be instructed to proceed to see that the Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co furnish the Township with the proper securities in the amount of $20,000

Motion Carried.

Motion by Goodwin sec'd by Augustine that all members of all committees should meet and agree on any question that may arise, and that no action be taken by one member of the several Committees unless an emergency arises and that emergency to prove its self.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Goodwin sec'd by Ostien that the Chairman of the Finance be instructed to commended on the affair which that held on the Grounds of the Township at East Pitts Burgh line and by this motion the Commissioners do hereby commend them for their efforts.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Walker sec'd by Ostien that the meeting stand adjourned.

Motion Carried.

W. A. Cox Secy.

Warrants Paid

# 651	Peter Carlotta 2nd Quale Salary Police		25.00
# 652	Fred Hannah " " " "		25.00
653	Geo C. Ostien attendance Cnty Comm. Conv.		4.40
654	B H Goodwin " " " "		4.40
655	Thos H. Schmidt " " " "		4.40
656	John Nicht wages June 1-to 15-34		32.40
657	Clarence Snoop " May 23-to 31-34		26.88
658	Felix Wasyecki " May 23-24-1934		7.68
659	John Kuth Wages June 15-18-21-22-1934		18.00
660	J.A. Tomasic Final audit on Abilene Books		25.00
661	Hosack Schreiber & Co Prof. Services		102.48
		Total	275.64

Wilkins Township

August 6-1934

The Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners was held this evening in the Fire House in the third district. The following members present Mr C. A. Stenell, Osten - Walker augustine and Reber

The minutes of July 2-1934 were read upon motion by Osten seconded by Walker were approved as read.

Chairman Stenell called for Committee Reports - Road Committee - Progress Water & light Progress - Police & Fire No report. - Finance & Taxes no report Ordinance Rules - Printing No Report Claims Committee No Report.

Motion made by Osten seconded by Walker that the Appointment of a Engineer be held over and be brought up at a later meeting. Motion Carried.

A communication from Valley Planning Association was read and as our representative Mr. B. H. Goodwin having resigned from the Board of Commissioners the Chairman Mr. Stenell appointed Mr. Charles H Reber - as Wilkins Twp. representative.

The resignation of Mr. B. H. Goodwin was presented to the Board of Commissioners the same taking in effect as July the 18th 1934 and upon a motion of Mr. Osten seconded by Mr Walker the same was accepted and the Board extended a rising votes of thanks to Mr. Goodwin for his services as a Commissioner for the past several years.

Motion Carried.

The question of Fire Protection at the Gilmore school was brought to the attention of the Commissioners and the firemen who stated that the pressure was very low and requested that the Board take up the matter with the Pennsylvania Water Co. Chairman Stenell requested Mr. Reber to intervene the water Co and report back to the Board at a further meeting.

Motion by Walker seconded by Reber that all Bills regarding the fire truck which were incured in Jan. 1934 be paid. Motion Carried Bills refer to # 1 Fire Co.

Resignation of Mr. Walker as a member was presented and upon motion by Osten seconed by Augustine same was accepted.

Application was presented by Motion Carried. By Mr Chattas for position on the Board of Health no other applications were presented.

A motion was made by Mr. Augustine seconded by Walker that Mr. Chattas be elected and upon the vote being taken he was duly elected to the Board of Health.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Dr. Reber seconded by Walker that our Solicitor Mr. Theo. Schmidt be and is hereby duly authorized to proceed with the necessary measures to have all releases satisfied regarding the property of Mr. John Jamrich and see that the deeds are made out to Wilkins Township.

Motion Carried.

Ordinance # 115 and # 116 were taken up for third and Final reading.

Motion made by Osten seconded Walker that ordinance # 115 be passed on third Reading

Motion Carried

Motion by Augustine and Walker that Ordiance 116 be passed on third and final reading

Motion Carried

Motion by Reber second by Ostien that the Power of Attorney be give to Mr. B.H. Goodwin - the Treasurer of the Township to collect and stify all the taxes previous to the year 1934 and that the President and Secy. of the Board sign the proper papers

Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr. Augustine seconded by Walker that the Bond of Mr. B.H. Goodwin Treas. of Watkins Twp. be accepted in the sum of Fifteen Thousand $15,000 and that the same be filed in Safety Box by the Secy.

Motion Carried.

Ordinance # 117 was presented for reading - first and second.

After reading Motion by Reber sec by Walker that ordinance be passed on first Reading.

Motion made by Ostien sec by Walker take up second reading on #117 - Carried

Motion by Reber second by Augustine that ordinance be passed on 2nd Reading

Motion Carried

Motion by Ostien sec. by Augustine that the President & Sec. sign the agreement concerning the security Posted by the Tuttle Creek Bank and Trust Co.

Motion Carried

Motion by Ostien sec by Walker that the meeting be recessed until Friday evening Aug 10- 1934

Carried.

August 10- 1934

Recessed meeting of Aug 6 1934 was reconvened this evening at 8:20 pm

Members Present- Augustine Reber Ostien Walker and Hensell.

Motion made by Walker sec by Reber that all application for Engineer be held over until the next regular meeting.

Carried.

Motion by Reber sec by Walker that all bills be referd to the chairman of the several committee for O.K. before they are ordered paid and that any motion conflicting with the above motion be rescinded.

Motion Carried.

Mr. C.C. Hensell Chairman of the Board at this meeting appointed Permanent Committees

Road - Comm. Walker - Reber - Augustine

Water & Light - Augustine Walker - Reber

Police and Fire Reber - Walker - Ostien

Finance & Taxes Augustine Walker - Reber

Ordinance - Rules - Printing Ostien - Walker - Reber.

Claims - Ostien Walker - Reber.

Motion by Augustine sec by Walker that the question of proper Tags for use of Police & Deputies be left in the hands of the Police Committee Motion Carried.

Aye & nay vote resulted thus

Augustine Aye — Reber — aye Walker aye Hensell aye and Ostien nay.

Motion by Ostien sec by Augustine that a warrant be drawn in favor of the Secy. Mrs. C. Cozad for Twenty Five 25.00 in payment for Preparing the Tax Duplicate for the Township Treasurer.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Ostien sec by Walker that a warrant be drawn in favor of the Twp. Treasurer to the amt of 15.39 to reimburse due to money expended by him for Police Stamps / Motion Carried

Motion by Reber secd by Walker that the Wilkins Township Commissioners assume the responsibility and take title to ownership to the Packard Truck belonging to the #1 Fire Co the Commissioners of the Township to assume the debt of One Hundred Twenty $120.00 which is unpaid This debt consisting of two notes of $60.00 each made payable with in 60, and 120 days respectively. Further understood that the Fire company will equip the new Truck with new Tires just at present to the Township. Motion Carried aye & Nay vote - as follows Augustine aye - Reber aye - Osborn aye Walker aye - Hemsell aye.

Motion by Mr. Reber secd by Osborn that the Claim of Mrs John Zura relative personal property damage as set forth in her letter of Aug - the 9-34 be refered to the Claims committee. Motion Carried

Motion by Augustine secd by Walker that the meeting stand adjourned. - Carried

Warrant			
662	John Nicht	wages	7.20
663	Duquesne Light Co.	Light Bills	12.40
664	Pennsylvania Water Co	water Rent	6.00
665	Reynolds Motor Co	Fire Truck Repairs	25.00
666	Clarence Scott	wages supplies	2.24
667	Turtle Creek Auto Parts Co		16.52
668	Wall Bros Tool Works	truck repair	12.60
669	James J Gratz	auditor	30.00
670	R L Kirkpatrick	auditor	30.00

671	Jos A Tomasic	auditor	5.00
672	John Weber	Salary-Health Officer	60.00
673	A. Park Dubler	Printing	48.23
674	Star Printing Co	Printing	4.80
675	Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co	Int. & Note	123.11
676	Mrs Mary Yost	Tele. Charges	3.40
677	B H Gordon	Refund for Chauffeur	15.39
678	H H Coton	Tax Duplicate	25.00
679	John Nicht	wages	96.00
680	James Soles	wages	76.80
681	James Lethlyohn	wages	17.28
682	John Varoina	wages	3.84
683	Robert Groome	wages	2.88
684	Walter Pasquale	wages	11.52
685	Elton Blakley	Services	14.50
686	P.R. Carlotta	gasoline for tank	3.95
687	P.R. Carlotta	" Tow Truck	57.13
688	Mrs J.J. Edwards	" " "	10.37
689	" J.J. Edwards	" fire truck	3.77
690	Albert Horback	Trucking C.M.Q.	21.00
691	Roder Service Station	gasoline Tow Truck	8.84
692	Roder Service	" fire truck	5.54
693	Wm Turney	Sharping Tools	13.40
694	A.J. Horback	Coal - Bills	7.50
695	Pittsburgh Mach & Supplies		2.65
696	C.C. Hemsell	Part Salary and Mach	16.66
697	Geo C Osborn	" " " "	8.00
698	The Republic Rubber Co	Fire Hose -	200.00
699	McDonald Realty Co		134.00
700	Hartshorn Insd. Co		103.00
701	John Nicht	wages	59.40
702	James Soles	"	39.84
703	James Lethlyohn	"	8.64
704	Fred Hammath	Police Salary to Aug 16 -	12.90
			$1309.19

A H Cooper Sec

Wilkins Township.

September 10 1934

The regular monthly meeting of the Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held on the above date - The following members Pres.

Chairman Hensell - P Vice Chairman Cotten P. Augustine P. Reber. P and Walker P.

Reading of the minutes of Aug 6 - and 10 and their approval by the Board as read.

Reports of Committees

Road Mr. Walker Chairman Reported that Road Committee is doing every thing in their power to make the Roads passable Considering the funds available.

X Water Light Mr. Reber reported that the Water Co will arrange as soon as possible to increase the pressure at the Gilmore School so as to give a pressure of 150 to 160 lbs.

X Police & Fire Chairman reported Prop. Claims Committee No Report

Ordinance - Rules Printing Progress

Finance & Taxes Progress

Dr Reber reported on Valley Planning Commission reported Progress and suggested that as many of the Commissioners attend the next meeting of the Commission as possible.

Motion by Dr Reber secd by Cotten that the action of the Police & Fire Committee be approved relative to action regarding Police & Fire Co.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Dr Reber secd by Cotten that the Solicitor Mr Smith give the Commissioners a written report regarding a Bond to be given by the Treasurer of the Township, regarding collection of Delinquent Taxes and the amount of said Bond.

Motion Carried.

Resignation was read from Mr. Leo Cotten asking to be relieved from the Road Committee Same was duly acted upon and his resignation was accepted.

Chairman Hensell appointed Mr. Augustine to act as a member of that committee

A Resignation from Mr. Joe Augustine was read asking that he be relieved as a member of the Claims Committee and Same was duly acted upon and his resignation was accepted.

The Chairman Mr Hensell appointed Mr Leo Cotten to be a member of the Claims committee instead of Mr. Augustine.

Motion by Dr Reber secd by Mr. Walker that the Secy. write Miss Long of the Welfare stating that She could have the use of either Fire Co Building for use of Welfare work in Wilkins Township and that the Keys for the Building can be secured from Mr. Barker in Powelton for the Third Unit and Mr. John Right of Hummel are for the Fifth District. Motion Carried.

Motion by Walker secd by Augustine that the Salaries of all Officials of the Twp. be paid for the 3rd Quarter - Motion Carried.

Motion by Dr Reben That the Board take up the application for Township Engineer and that the Board proceed with the election thereof, by secret Ballot. Motion Carried

Chairman Fennell appointed Mess Barker and Bardonia tractas Tellers

The election resulted in the election of Mr. Alex Hutchinson the necessary 4 votes and Mr. J.A. Angelotti 1 vote The Chairman declared Mr. Hutchinson thereon elected as Twp. engineer.

The Chairman Mr. Fennell appointed the Road Committee to look after the interest of Malkins Township Regarding the R.M.D. work and motion by Walker and by Augustine that Dr Reben be instructed to sign the necessary papers to get the project started as soon as possible. The projects are # 10095 - McMaster Ave and # 10094 which refers to 19 other streets in the Township.

Motion Carried.

Motion to adjourn carried

M. H. Corp Secy.

Following warrants Paid during month of Sept. 1934.

# 705	John Friehl	wages Aug 17-31	52.80
706	James Soles	" July 20 - Aug 17-31	45.60
707	James Lilleyohn	wages aug 28 and 30	6.72
708	C.C. Fennell	Balance 3rd Quarter Salary	834
709	Geo. C Oslan	" " " "	17.00
710	James Walker	3rd Quarter Salary 1/2 month July	29.00

Warrant			
# 711	Dr Chas H Reben	Salary Aug-Sept	16.67
712	J.E. Augustine	3rd Quarter Salary	25.00
713	B.H. Goodwin	Salary July 1934	8.33
714	M.H. Corp Sec.	Salary 3rd Quarter	75.00
715	Theodore H Schmidt		100.00
716	Henry Straly	Hauling P.W.A. work	67.20
717	Robert F Free	Hauling P.W.A. work	114.40
718	E B Ayers	" " "	124.80
719	Gravity Tel Ser.	Stolen-Gasoline-Insurance	25.17
720	Patsy Carlotta	Police salary 3rd Quarter	25.00
721	J.R. Queen & Son	Disposal of Rubbish	15.00
722	Rustic Bros. Lumber Co	Supplies	49.96
723	Lynnwood Garage	Repairs	24.41
724	W.C. Clintock Welsch Limb Co		11.47
725	Pelham Auto Wrecker	Dodge Motor for P.W.A. Truck	20.00
726	James Davies	Salary Sec. 3rd Quarter	20.57
727	John Weber	Health Officer Salary 3rd Quarter	60.00
728	Rhodes Service Station	Gasoline	9.44
729	Mrs John Edwards	Gasoline	1.26
730	B.H. Goodwin	Refund for stock Bought	16.19
731	Commonwealth of Pa	Loan Tax	153.90
732	W.S. Laurence	Supplies	1.44
733	Ridgeway Service Station	Gasoline	1.80
734	Turtle Creek Welding Shop	repairs	.50
735	A Park Dietz	Printing	26.80
736	Kelley Auto Wreckers	Tires	26.00
737	Star Printing Co	Tax Collectors supplies	34.55
738	Hartstein Hardware Co	Supplies	46.05
739	Frank Estocen	Sewer Pipe	5.00
740	Union Railroad Co		4.00
741	Mrs Amabilla Goddula	See minutes 3-5-34 Damages in full	50.00
742	John Friehl	wages Sept 2 to 14	48.00
743	James Soles	" " 2 to 14	38.40
744	James Lilleyohn	" Sept 5 to 14	17.76
745	Turtle Creek Auto Parts	Supplies	20.36
			# 1454.80

Wilkins Township.
Oct 1 - 1934

The Regular meeting of the Board of Township Commissioners of the Township of Wilkins was held this evening.

The following members responded/ present at Roll call - Jas. C.C. Hensell - Chairman Jas Geo. Ostien Vice Pres - Jas. Walker Jas Augustine and Dr. Reber.

Bills for Sept were read being duly approved by the several committees and upon motion by Walker sec'd by Augustine were ordered paid. Motion Carried.

Committee reports

Road Jas. Walker Chairman reported that as far as possible all road were being kept open and expected to make major improvements when the R.R.L. work is started.

Water Light Dr Reber ~~Chairman~~ reported that the Penna Water Co would start and work on the lines at the Gilmore School about the first of October.

Police & Fire - Dr Reber Chairman - Progress

Finance - taken by Augustine Chairman - Progress

Ord - Rules - Printing - Jas. Ostien Chairman reported that ordinance #117 was ready for 3rd Reading.

Claims Jas. Ostien Chairman reported that the Godula release is ready for signing also release from John Buna & Wife is ready for their signature.

Mr. Augustine to see Mr Pentar regarding the L.T. and the Road Committee to have road repaired and pole removed if same is necessary.

Motion by Ostien sec'd by Walker that miscellaneous expense for July Aug & Sept to amt. of 11.25 be paid Carried.

Motion by Walker sec'd by Reber that a Committee of three Commissioners be appointed to meet with the Committee from Churchhill Borough the Committee is appointed instead of one Commissioner and the Secy and Solicitor who were formly on the committee

Ayes and nays on the motion resulted as follows Walker aye Ostien aye Hensell aye Augustine aye and Reber aye.

Chairman Hensell appointed the committee as follows - Dr Reber Jas Walker and Dr Reiter requested that Chairman Hensell act as the third Commissioner.

Ordinance # 117 was presented for Third reading after reading it was amended as follows

Motion by Dr Reber sec'd by Walker that ordinance # 117 be passed on third reading.

Motion Carried.

Aye and nay - Hensell aye Walker aye Ostien aye Augustine aye Reber aye

Mr Schmidt reports progress on the Jasnick property.

Motion by Geo Ostien sec'd by Dr. Reber that the Bond for the Tax Collector for the collection on Delinquent Taxes be set at $1,000.00 One Thousand Dollars

Motion Carried

W. M. Cox
Secy.

Motion to adjourn Carried.

Warrants Paid

Date	Warrant #		amt
Oct 1	746	John Michl - wages	89.60
"	747	James Soles "	16.32
"	748	James Littlejohn "	23.04
"	749	Duquesne Light Co - Light Bill	2.65
"	750	Butler Bros Lumber Co - Supplies	29.70
Oct 4	751	Turtle Creek Band Trust Co int on Note $5,000	67.78
"	752	Commonwealth Penna. int on tax	1.84
"	753	James Watt - Filing Auditor Report	2.00
"	754	A. Park & Sons - Printing Ord # 115-116	12.48
"	755	H of Cox on 6 month Office exp	22.65
"	756	Penna Water Co - Powell St Fire House	6.00
"	757	Roder Service Station - Gasoline etc	7.30
"	758	Ridgeway Service Station gasoline	1.80
"	759	City Deposit Bank & Trust Co Payment on Note Packard Fire Truck	60.65
"	760	Gravity Hill Service Station - Gasoline etc	10.61
Oct 16	761	John Michl - wages	55.80
	762	James Soles - "	40.80
	763	James Littlejohn wages	40.80
	764	Michl Transportation Co 1-36 x 6 inner Tube	2.00
Oct 31	765	Carl C Hensell Part Salary 4 quarter	8.34
			448.56

Wilkins Township Pa.
November 5- 1934

The Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held on the above date.

Chairman called for Roll call and the following answered present Chairman Pfendell Vice Chairman Ostien Walker - Augustine and Dr Reber

Report of Committee

Road. Walker Chairman reported that Roads were in as good condition as was possible to make them with the limited means at Hand - but expected to make major improvements when the R.W.D. work was started.

Mr. Ostin reported on several alley and Chairman refered to same to Road Chairman to see if any thing could be done at present. Walk Light

Dr Reber reported that the Water Line at the Gilmore school had been frozen and that a pressure of 160 lbs had been procured

Police & Fire

Dr Reber reported that He had no report from Fire Co. also reported that report from the Police had been received and the Policeman was on the job.

Finance - Taxes Mr. Augustine reported Progress

Ordinance - Rules - Printing

Mr. Ostien reported Progress

Claims

Mr. Ostien reported that Mr. and Mrs John Bird have not as yet signed quit claim against the Township for damages which they claim were done by reason of injury.

Mr. Augustine reported on the lot of Mr. Penter that He will agree to take 50.00 for the group on which it is now located or will agree to with draw claim if the Township will

relocate the Road.

Motion by Dr Reber and by Ostien that the Township of Wilkins pay Mr. Michael Penter $50.00 Fifty Dollars for the part of his lot on which the Twp. Road is now located. Motion Carried

Motion by Dr Reber and by Jas Augustine that the Commissioners of Wilkins Township exonerate the Estate of the late Andrew A McKeever and also exonerate the Bonding Co for all uncollected Occupation taxes for the year 1933.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Dr Reber and by Jas Walker that the Commissioners of Wilkins Township exonerate the Estate of the late Andrew A. McKeever and that the American Surety Co also be exonerated from any liability regarding the Collection of the 1934 tax for the reason that the 1934 Tax duplicate was not turned over to him but was prepared and turned over to his successor M.B.H. Goodwin

Motion Carried.

The Communication from Chuck Hill Boys regarding Wilkins Township furnishing fire protection and the following action was taken Motion by Walker and by Walker that the Police & fire Committee confer with the Officials of the Two Fire Co regards what action is proper to take and report back at a future meeting of the Township Commissioners

Motion Carried.

Communication from the Property Owners on Lenacre Ave regarding the improvement of same was referred by Chairman Pfendell to the Chairman of the Road Committee Mr. Jas Walker.

Motion by Ostien and by Augustine that the Bond of Mr. B.H. Goodwin Township Treasurer be reduced from $15,000.00 to the sum of $10,000.00 for the year 1934.

Motion Carried.

Mr. Dr Reber addressed the Commissioners and the Citizens at this time regarding the R.W.D. work with regard to the R.W.D. Officials not wanting to give the Townships the Proper Supervision which lays on the Township charge of this work. and after considerable discussion the follow motion was made.

Motion by Walker secd by Oatien that the Commissioners of Wilkins Township authorize that Dr Reber and Jos. Augustine be delegated to go to Harrisburg and interview the proper Officials regard the placing of the Supervisor in Wilkins Township on the R.W.D. Work and that a warrant be drawn to cover the expense concerned therewith.

warrant was drawn for $50.00 Fifty Dollars Motion Carried.

Motion by Jos Augustine secd by Walker that the Township Commissioners purchase the tax lien Docket presented at this meeting by Mrs. J.J. Kassoy for the sum of $200.00 Two Hundred Dollars and that a warrant be drawn in favor of them to the extent of $50.00 Fifty Dollars

Motion Carried.

No further business appearing to adjourn carried.

A.R. Cox

following warrants paid.

Warrant #			
766	Geo C. Oatien	attendance C.C. of Comm.	4.40
767	James Walker	" " "	4.40
768	N.H. Coxon	" " "	4.40
769	B.H. Goodwin	" " "	4.40
770	Star Printing Co	500 Letter Heads	5.65
771	John Muehl	Wages	54.00
772	James Soles	"	35.52
773	James Lillyholm	"	41.28
774	Jake De Klever	"	12.48
775	J.J. Kassoy	Taxation Book	50.00
776	B.F. Elliott Co	Supplies	9.70
777	John B Freare	Surveying	20.00
778	Mrs J.J. Edwards		5.39
779	Hailstein Hardware Co	Supplies	31.22
780	Turtle Creek Auto Parts		.75
781	Gravity Hill Service Station	Chas Supplies	23.74
782	Mrs J.J. Edwards	Supplies	8.74
783	Parkways Service Station	Police Gasoline	1.45
784	The Republic Rubber Co	Fire Hose	380.00
785	Miller Service Station		1.90
786	Duquesne Light Co	Light Bill	2.60
787	Dr. Reber and Jos. Augustine	Expenses to Harrisburg Rec'd Cheque	50.00
788	N.H. Coxon	Refund on File Case	15.00
789	Jos. Augustine	Oct Salary	8.34
790	Penn Water Co	Water Rent	6.00
791	John Nichol	wages	38.40
792	James Soles	"	30.70
793	Jake De Klever	wages	7.68
794	James Lillyholm	"	19.20
795	Duquesne Light	Bills	4.30
			$881.60

Wilkins Township Pa
Nov 19- 1934

Special meeting of the Township Commissioners was called for the purpose of Passing a resolution to recognize the Wilkins Township Firemans Relief association.

In the absence of the President the vice President Jos. Geo Ostien called the meeting to order.

Roll call - Jos. Ostien - Pres. Jos. Augustine Pres Jos. Walker Pres. Jos. Reber Pres. Jos Stenrell Abs.

Jos. Oosten ask for the reading of the resolution.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Commissioners of Wilkins Township Allegheny County Penna and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same.

Resolved - That the Commissioners of the Township of Wilkins, Allegheny County Commonwealth of Penn., recognize the Wilkins Township Volunteer Firemans Relief association of the Wilkins Township Volunteer Fire Companies, and in pursuance to the act of April 25 1929 P.L. 709 and the amendments thereto authorize the payment of the Tax to the Wilkins Township Firemans Relief Association of the Wilkins Township Volunteer Fire Companies, the above Companies being the Companies which afford Fire Protection to the inhabitants of the said Township.

Motion made by augustine sec by Dr Reber that the resolution be adopted as read. Aye and nay vote being called vote resulted thus Ostien aye - Walker aye - Dr Reber aye Augustine aye - Stenrell abst.

Chairman declared motion carried.

Motion to adjourn carried.

H. H. Ostien Secy.

Wilkins Township Dec 3- 1934

Regular meeting of the Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held the evening.

Members present - Chairman E.C. Stenrell E.C. Ostien James Walker - Joseph Augustine and Dr Reber.

Reading of the minutes of meeting of Nov 5- 34 and special meeting of Nov 19-34 were asked read and were approved as read.

Report of Committee

Road Jas Walker Chairman reported progress.

Water & Light Chairman Augustine no report.

Police & Fire - Dr. Reber Chairman reported report from Police no report from Fire Dept.

Finance - Taxes Chairman Augustine - Progress

Ordinance - Rules Chairman Ostien no Report.

Claims Ostien Chairman no Report.

Motion made by Ostien sec by Walker that all Bills properly O.K. be paid. Motion carried.

Motion by Augustine sec by Walker that the expense bill of Jas. B. H. Godwin be paid to amt of $4.40 for attendance at the Association of Twp. Commissioners.

Motion by Walker sec by Ostien that Report of Dr Reber & Augustine regarding their trip to Harrisburg Regarding the R.V.D. work be accepted and filed. Dr Reber returned $5.00 to Twp. Refund. Letter from No 1 Fire Co regarding the use of Fire Home refered to the Police & Fire Committee.

Motion by Dr Reber sec by Augustine that the Secty get rates on all insurance on Truck & Fire Houses. Carried.

Motion by Dr Reber sec by Augustine that the amount to be paid for giving Fire Protection to Church Hill Borough be $5.00 for each fire. Motion Carried.

Motion by Augustine sec by Dr Reber. That the Secty have the gas turned on in the Powell St Fire Home - Carried.

Moved by Dr Reber sec by Augustine that a warrant be drawn to the order of Theodore H. Schmidt in the amount of $219.00 for the purpose of renewing Tax Liens.

Motion by Walker sec by Dr Reber that the meeting be recessed until Dec 17 1934 Carried.

Recessed meeting of Dec 3 - 1934 was reconvened this evening - Members present. - C.C. Hensell P. Jos. Augustine. P. Ostien - P. Walker - P. and Dr Reber - P.

The reading of rates on the insurance of Fire Truck - Township Truck & Building in the Township were received and read by the secty and after several of the agents present were heard were laid on the table for a special meeting to be ordered by the Chairman Jos. Hensell.

By order of the Chairman Jos. Hensell the secty was instructed to call a Special meeting to be held. Dec 27 - 1934

Motion by Ostien sec by Walker that the Date of Dec 27 be accepted - Motion Carried.

Motion to adjourn Carried

N.H. Cryder Secty.

After the regular meeting was adjourned a Special meeting was called to order by the Chairman C.C. Hensell

all members were present. The subject of the R.W.D. projects were opened up. and after considerable discussion by both the Commissioners and Citizens present. the following resolution was presented. for the consideration of the Commissioners

Resolved - By the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township. in Special meeting assembled at the call of the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners that the R.W.D. Project # 02-B2-1089 be reinstated if this is impossible. a re-allocation be made for the project.

The Township Commissioners agree that the necessary material and Tools and all engineering services required will be furnished by the Township. and do further agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the Works Division of the State Emergency Relief Board.

The Board of Comissioners after considerable discussion adopted the resolution with the following - change.

Motion by Ostien sec by Walker that the resolution be adopted with the word material ommitted. The change reading thus - The Township Commissioners agree that the necessary Tools and all engineering Services required will be furnished by the Township. Aye & nay vote called resulted thus Hensell Nay Ostien Aye Walker Aye Dr Reber Aye and Augustine Aye.

Resolution adopted as changed.

Motion by Walker sec by Augustine that the meeting stand adjourned. Carried

N.H. Cryder Sec.

All members present except Chairman Hensell.

Wilkins Township

Dec 27-34

The special called by the Chairman Mr. C.C. Hensell was held the every and the purpose of the meeting was for the purpose of further information regarding the insurance of Twp trucks and Building. Mr Hensell being absent Vice Chairman Ostien presided.

Dr Reber requested that the Solicitor Mr. Theo. Schmidt give his advice regarding as to the necessity of insuring the fire Trucks

Mr Schmidt read several decission regard the insurance of the fire Trucks and after remarks by the Commissions the Solicitor was requested to confer with one of the Judges in the County Courts for further advice before the subject of the insurance is settled.

Motion by Augustine sec by Reber that the subject of insurance be held over until the next regular meeting.

Motion by Walker Sec'd Augustine that the meeting adjourn - Carried.

N.H. Corn Secty

796	John Riehl Wages	Nov 19-to-30	38.40
797	James Soles "	Nov 19, 20, 21	9.60
798	James Tuttleyohn "	Nov 19 - to 30	28.80
799	August Domico "	Nov 22-26, 27, 28 to 30	19.20
800	John Weber Salary	4th quarter salary	60.00
801	James Dare "	4th " "	20.05
802	Carl C Hensell Bal.	4th Quarter Salary	16.66
803	Geo R. Ostien	4th Quarter Salary	25.00
804	James Walker	" " "	25.00
815	Jos. Augustine	" " "	16.66

806	Dr Chas. Reber	4th Salary	25.00
807	N.H. Corn	4th Quarter Salary	75.00
808	Theo H Schmidt	4 Quarter Salary	100.00
809	Star Printing Co	Printing	5.40
810	Wm Tierney	Sharpening Rebar	6.25
811	Patsy Varlotta	4 Quart Salary Police Office	25.00
812	Theo H. Schmidt	For payment on Twp Liens	219.00
813	McDonald Realty Co	payment on insurance	397.00
814	Crawford & Reffner	for Coal	7.23
815	Edward Beveridge	Furnace Repairs	19.25
816	Edgeway Service Station	Police Gasoline	1.60
817	Gravity Fill Service Station	gasoline	6.30
818	Star Printing Co.	Printing Board Health	5.65
519	Void -		
820	Duquesne Light Co	Bills - Dec 19-24	4.60
821	John Riehl - Wages	Dec 3 to 13	43.20
822	James Tuttleyohn "	Dec 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 -	19.20
823	John Marburno "	Dec 10, 11, 12-13	15.36
824	Walter Maggiore "	Dec 10, 11, 12-13	15.36
825	August Domico "	" 3, 4, 5, 6, 7.	19.20
826	City of Lotta	Wages Dec 3 to 13	34.56
827	Hartaker Hardware Co	supplies	10.30
828	B H Gordon	attendy Cases Comm	4.40
829	Louis Maggiore -	Return to Limit	5.00
830	City Deposit Bank	Tint Co Car Packard	60.03
831	Turtle Creek Auto Parts	supplies office	3.13
832	Turtle Creek Auto Parts	Supplies office 4	25.31
833	McClinton Weber Hdwe Co	supplies	5.81
834	Lee Tire & Rubber Co		73.58
835	James Tuttleyohn	Wages Dec 16 to 31	30.72
836	Walter Maggiore	Wages Dec 16 to 31	7.68
837	John Riehl	Wages Dec 16 to Dec 31	43.20
			1576.41

Jan 7 1935

The Regular monthly meeting of the Commissioners was held on the above date.

The following members answered Present to Roll Call - Pres. C. C. Hensell Vice Pres. Geo C Ostien James Walker Dr Chas H. Reber and Jos. Augustine

Reading of minutes of Regular meeting of Dec. 3 1934 and Dec 17 and Dec 27 Special meetings of there being no objection were ordered approved & read.

Moved by Dr Reber seconded by Jos Augustine that the firm of Hosack, Specht, Conniff and Ward be hired by written Contract to make a full and complete audit of the sinking funds of W. Skins Township showing the exact condition of each sinking fund as of Dec 31-1933, and December 31, 1934. the said firm to certify as to the correctness of their audit. This work is to be done for the total consideration of $125.00 and this motion shall be quoted verbatim in the formal contract to be entered into between the parties thereto.

→ Motion Carried.

Aye & Nay vote Augustine aye - Reber aye Walker aye Ostien aye - Hensell aye

Motion by Augustine seconded by Walker that the Balance of $150.00 be paid to M. J. Kasacavage for the Tax lien Bond.

Aye & Nay vote - Walker, aye Reber aye, Ostien aye Augustine aye and Hensell aye,

Motion Carried.

Motion by Ostien seconded by Augustine that the Commissioner's Dues for membership in the Penn. State association of Township Commissioners

Aye & Nay vote Reber aye - Ostien aye - Walker nay Augustine - not voting - Hensell aye

3 aye 1 Nay Motion Carried

Motion by Walker sec'd by Augustine that we pay the County Association of Township Commissioners $25.00 for years dues - for 1934
ayes may vote Reber aye Walker aye Augustine aye Ostien aye and Mensell nay Motion carried.

Motion by Augustine sec'd by Dr Reber that a warrant be made out payable to the Wilkins Justice School Board to the extent of $12.87 being their share of 1933 Inherited Taxes, same having been entered by the Treasurer.
Motion Carried.

Motion by Jas. Walker sec'd by Dr. Reber that all Bills properly O.K. be paid.
Carried.

Motion by Dr Reber sec'd by Walker that a refund to the extent of $20.90 be made as shown by letter of Treasurer Wm. B.H. Goodwin dated Dec-31-1934 - on account of reduction of $950.00 be allowed by the Board of Revision of Taxes, also a refund of $4.40 Payable to the Pittsburgh Coal Co on account of reduction of $2000.00 on their property as shown in letter of Dec 31 1934 from the Treasurer Wm. B.H. Goodwin. This reduction be allowed by the Board of Tax Revision of Allegheny Co
Motion to cover 8th - Carried.

Motion by Dr Reber sec'd by Walker that all insurance in force at present time be left in the hands of the McDonald Realty Co and that the insurance on new Packard Fire Truck be given to Mr Wagner of the Wagner Realty Co. at the new Rates.
Motion Carried.

Aye-nay vote Ostien aye Walker. aye Reber aye Augustine nay Mensell nay.

Motion by augustine sec'd by Reber that the Mayor Officials sign new certificate of Indebtness with the Turtle Creek Bank and Trust Co.
Motion Carried.

Motion by Ostien sec'd by Reber that ord. #118 be given first Reading.
Motion Carried.

Motion by Walker sec'd by Augustine that ord. #118 be passed on first reading - Carried.

Motion by Walker sec'd by Reber that ord. #118 be given second reading - Motion Carried.

Motion by Augustine sec'd by Ostien that Ord #118 be passed on second reading - Motion Carried and Rules be suspended.

Motion by Ostien sec'd by Augustine that ord. #118 be referred to Finance Committee
Motion Carried.

The following application for the Position of Road Superviser and Truck Driver were presented. Wm Todd Snyder - John Riehl and Grant Morrison.

Motion by Walker sec'd by Augustine that a secret vote be had on the election of Road Superviser and Truck Driver. Motion Carried.

Chairman appointed Wm T. Gost and L. Marjorie to act as Tellers

First vote resulted thus
Snyder one Riehl 2 Morrison 2

Second vote thrown out

Third vote resulted thus Morrison 3 John Riehl 2 - Wm Morrison declared elected as Road Superviser and Truck Driver.

Motion by Dr Reber sec'd by Augustine that the Personell of Police Dept Remain as at Present
Motion Carried.

Application for Sec - Health Officer and Dr. C.W.D. Johnston

Motion by Walker sec'd by Ostien that the present Sec'ty Health Officer be retained for the year 1935
Motion Carried.

Motion by Walker sec'd by augustine that Wm. Cochill be retained on the Board of Health.
Motion Carried.

Motion by Walker sec'd by Dr Reber that the same Health Officer be retained and that the salary be set as at shown in the appropriation for
next year

the year 1935 - Mr. John Reter Officer
Motion Carried.
Motion by Mr. Walker secd by Dr Reter
that the meeting stand adjourned.
Motion Carried.
N. H. Coxon

warrant #			
838	N. H. Coxon Miscellaneous exp. 31 to 4 Equity	1934	23.90
839	Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co. int. to Dec 31-1934		85.00
840	Gravely Fill Service Station - Gasoline		11.13
841	I. T. Hanson Tax Record Book -	Ord.	150.00
842	Louis Maggiore Charges Battery's		2.00
843	T. R. Queen & Son Disposing rubbish		13.50
844	Mrs. John J. Edwards Gas Truck Truck		2.70
845	Crawford & Pepper Coal.		16.51
846	Allegheny County Assess. Dept. Comm.		25.00
847	A. Park Dibler Printing		7.83
848	Mrs. John J. Edwards Gas for fire trucks		1.80
849	John Michl wages for 2-3 4-7-35		17.40
850	State Workmens Insurance Fund		45.86
851	Duquesne Light Co Bills 1-21-1.25		3.10
852	Wilkins Dist School Board		1287
853	W. Porter Beck remeration 1933-34 tax		20.90
854	Pitts Coal Co " " 1934 tax		4.40
855	Edways Service Station Gas Line	Poor Due	1.70
856	Frank Marzini Wages for 8-9 10 11.15-35		24.00
857	James Littlejohn Wages for 3-4 7-8-10 11.-35		23.04
858	Julius Straley Wages 1-15 35		4.80
859	N. H. Coxon Jan - Salary		25.00
860	W. W. Miller Supplies - 11.12 - Dec. 4.19-1934		5.25
838 to 860			531.69

Wilkins Township Pa
Feb 7 1935

The Regular monthly meeting for the month of February was held on the above date.
The following answered Roll call.
Pres. C. C. Hensell Vice Pres. Geo C. Ostern Sec.
James Walker - Pres Dr. C. H. Reter Pres and Jos Augustine Pres
Reading of the minutes of previous meeting approved as read with ejection of vote of Mr. Augustine voting Nay instead of aye relative to motion on the subject of insurance.
The Chairman presented Mr. Specht of the Auditing Co relative to the audit of the Sinking Funds of the Township. Mr Specht went into the details of the audit for the information of the Commissioners and the Commissioners being Satisfied the Following motion made
Motion made by Jas. Walker secd by Jos Augustine that the audit of Hosack, Specht, Comiff & Wood be accepted and a warrant be drawn in favor of their Co for One Hundred Twenty Five Dollars $125.00 in payment in full for their services - Motion Carried.
Motion by Augustine secd by Walker that the Solicitor Mr. Theo. Schmidt be given the power to proceed to take action regarding the number of taps which the Keeping Water Co have on their lines in the Township and if same can not be secured from the Water Co that Mr. Schmidt take such action as he deems best with the Public Service Commission.
Report of committees. Motion Carried.
Mr. Walker reported on Roads, also Mr Osten reported that Highland ave should be repaired or closed.
Fire and Tax Mr Augustine reported Figures Hourly & Claims Mr. Osten. No Report
Rule & Ord. Mr. Osten reported ord # 118 ready for final Passage.

Motion by Ostien - sec by Walker.
that ordinance # 115 be taken up on 3rd and
final reading. Motion Carried.
appropriation #1 one read. carried as to
amount of $3,050.
Motion by augustine sec Reber that approp.
be accepted as read. Motion Carried

Motion by Augustine sec by Walker that approp #2
be approved to the amount of $5,400.00
Carried.
Motion by Dr Reber sec by Augustine that approp.
#3 be approved in the amount of $230.00
aye-nay vote Walker aye Ostien aye Reber aye
Augustine aye Hensell nay.
Carried.
Motion by Dr Reber sec by Augustine that
approp # 4 be approved in the amount of 1,775.00
Motion Carried.
Motion by Augustine sec by Walker that
approp #5 Stand at None - no Dollars
aye-nay vote Walker aye Ostien aye
Reber aye Augustine aye Hensell nay.
Motion Carried
Motion by Ostien sec by Walker that approp.
6 be approved in the amount of $3,500.00
Motion Carried
Motion by augustine sec by Dr Reber that approp.
7 be approved in the amount of 3,620.00
Motion Carried.
Motion by Augustine sec by Reber that approp.
8 be approved in the amount of $3,000.00
Motion Carried.
Motion by Augustine sec by Walker that Section #2 Calling for
8 Mills to Provide money by appropriations 1 to 8 inclusive
be approved
Motion Carried.
Motion by Ostien sec by Augustine that Section # 3
calling for 3 mills to Provide money for approp. # 7-8 be approved.
Motion Carried

Motion by augustine sec by Walker that Section # 4
Calling for a total millage of 11 mills to provide money for
approp. 1 to 8 as hereinbefore set forth
Motion Carried.

Motion by Augustine sec by Ostien
that appropriation 1 to 8 inclusive in
ordinance # 115 be approved as a whole.
and that the proper Officials sign same.
aye-nay vote Walker aye Ostien aye
Dr Reber aye - Augustine aye Hensell nay
Motion by Walker sec by Ostien that the resignation of Dr Reber
relative to the R.H.D. projects be accepted. Motion Carried
Sec. present the monthly Bills which
were read.
upon motion by Ostien sec by Dr Reber
that all the Bills properly O.K. be paid.
Motion Carried.
Motion by Dr Reber sec by Jas Walker that
the Township secure the service of Chas F.H. Booth
to take up all the stray Dogs in the Township.
and it be left in the hands of Dr Reber
to act & him regarding the same.
aye-nay vote Walker aye Ostien aye Reber aye
Augustine aye Hensell nay.
Motion Carried.
No further business Motion by Walker
sec by Dr Reber that the meeting
stand adjourned. - Motion Carried

Int. Co & Sec.

Warrant #	Bill Paid.	
861	Frank Mossini wages Jan 16 to 31	52 80
862	James Tuttle Jr " " 21 to 31	30 72
863	Julius Straley " 16 to 31	48 00
864	Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co int. & Bond Reg 17.23 11.00	28 23
865	The People Nat Gas Co	4.26
866	C.C. Hensell Jan 1st Salary -	16,66
867	A.J. Yont Stanley Bucks & Rods @ 5.00 per load	40,00
868	B.H. Goodwin 200 1¢ Stamps	2.00
869	Star Printing Co Tax Collectors supplies	8,28
870	Void	
871	Gravity Fill Service Station Gasoline acct -	8,12
872	Turtle Creek Auto Parts Inc Supplies	,90
873	Mr. John J. Edwards Gas for Truck	2,40

warrant #

874	R.J. Donaldson Wrecking Co	16,000 Brick	32.00
875	Hozack Specht, Conniff & Wood	audit of sinking fund	125.00
876	Wilkins Twp Vol Firemens Relief Association		121.33
877	Geo C Oshin	Jan Salary 1935	8.34
878	Hartsleen Hardware Co	Supplies	3.85
879	Duquesne Light Co	Electric Current	3.60
880	Wagner Realty Company	one Packard Fire Truck	330.30
881	Frank Morosini	Wages Feb. 5 to 14 inc.	40.80
882	James Littlejohn	Wages Feb. 5 to 13 inc	24.00
883	Julius Straley	Wages Feb. 5 to 14 inc	35.20
884	Frank Morosini	Wages and Supplies	7.15
885	The Peoples Natural Gas Co		6.00
			$ 10 15,94

Wilkins Township Pa
Feb 18- 1935

Special meeting of the Commissioners of the Twp. of Wilkins called for this evening. The notice as sent out to all Commissioners was as follows.

Wilkins Township Feb. 14 - 1935

The Chairman of the board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township (Mr. C.C. Hensell, has ordered a call for a special meeting to be held on Monday evening Feb. 18, 1935 at 7.30 P.M.

The call is for the purpose of determining the advisability of hiring a truck driver, and such other business as the Chairman may bring before the meeting. By the Secty

C.A.L. Co

Members Present C.C. Hensell Dr Reber Geo C. Oatten Jos. Augustine & James Walker

At this period of the meeting a petition was presented from the property holders on Mortimer ave, Beaver Ave, Washington st and Beech st. signed with 30 names there to also included therewith a letter from The acting Postmaster of the U.S. Post Office located at Turtle Creek Pa Stating that the mail Route will have to be discontinued unless the above streets are made passable and the above petitioners request that the Commissioners take action at once.

Motion by Augustine seconded by Dr. Reber that streets mentioned in the letter from the Post Master be given attention at Once - Mortimer-Beaver streets aye & Nay vote called

Walker Aye. Augustine aye Oatten not voting Dr Reber aye Hensell aye - Motion Carried.

Motion by Oatten seconded by Hensell that the Commissioners of the Township of Wilkins Spent sufficient money to put in passable condition Washington st, Beech St., Mortimer ave, Beaver ave and one unnamed street located on lots to be deeded To the Township as soon as possession is realed in the Township aye. nay vote page 74 Motion Carried

aye & Nay.
Jas Walker aye Augustine aye Ostine aye
Dr Reber aye & C.C. Hensell aye.
Dr Reber brought up the subject of Supervisor at this time
Motion by Geo. Ostien second by James Walker
that the former motion regarding the hireing
of a Supervisor & Truck Driver be rescinded
and that the present Supervisor & Truck
Driver be suspended.
aye & nay vote
Geo Ostien aye Jas Walker aye Augustine aye
Dr Reber Aye C.C. Hensell not voting.
Motion Carried.
Motion by Jos Augustine sec'd by Jas Walker
that the Commissioners proceed with the
Election of a Supervisor and Truck Driver.
at this meeting.

Am Geo Ostien presented sec'd by Dr Reber
an amendment to the motion that the
election of Supervisor & Truck Driver be held
over until the first regular Meeting in March.
The amendment was presented by the
Chairman and upon the aye & nay vote
taken was lost
aye & nay vote - Jas Walker nay - Augustine nay
Ostien aye Dr Peter aye and C.C. Hensell nay.
Amendment Lost

The Chairman called for vote on the
motion as made by Jos Augustine with the
result that the motion was = Carried

The Chairman proceeded with the election
of Supervisor & Truck Driver and appointed
as Tellers Jno. Fisher & Wilson
Applications were received from the following
persons for the position as Supervisor and Truck
Drivers

Julius Straley - D.J. Aiello - Paul Yarrigan
Delancy A. Green, and John Friehl

Upon a secret vote being taken and
resulted thus
John Friehl 3. Delancy A Green 1 and one
Blank cast.
The Chairman declared Jno. John Friehl
elected as Supervisor & Truck Driver.
Motion by Augustine sec'd by Walker that the
Wages of Supervisor & Truck Driver be set at 60¢
per hour, and that of laborers be set at 40¢ per
hour - aye & nay vote
Walker aye. Augustine aye Reber aye Ostien not voting
and Hensell aye - motion Carried.
Motion by Walker sec'd by Augustine that the
question of Salary of Health Officer be held
over until the regular Meeting in March.
aye & nay vote - Walker aye Augustine aye
Ostien not voting, Dr Reber not voting, Hensell aye
Motion Carried.

Motion by Walker second by Hensell that
the meeting stand adjourned.

H.H. Cowan
Secty

Wilkins Township Pa
March 4 1935

The regular monthly meeting of the Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held on the above date

The following members of the Board reported Present at Roll Call Pres. Jm. C.C. Hensell Vice Pres. Jm. Geo. C Ostien - Jm. James Walker & Jos Augustine and Dr Charles H Reber.

Reading of the minutes of February 4 and Special meeting of Feb 18 and there approval as read.

Chairman called for reading of Bills upon motion by Dr Reber secd by Jas Walker that all Bills properly O.K. be paid.

Motion Carried.

Report of Committees

Road Jm. Walker Chairman reported that Roads in #1 District were in bad condition and same were being asked as fast as condition would permit.

Police & Fire Dr Reber Chairman reported progress on both Police & Fire

Water-Light Augustine Chairman - Progress

Finance-Taxes - Augustine - Progress

Ord-Rules-Printing-Ostien - Progress

Claims - Ostien No Report.

Motion by Jm. Geo C. Ostien secd by Jos Augustine that a resolution be presented to the Honorable Judge G. Malcolm McDonald wishing him success in his Position as Judge of the Court of Allegheny County. Motion Carried.

Motion by Jas Walker secd by Ostien that the Solicitor Jm. Theo. H. Schmidt draw up a resolution relative to the Mooney Property.

Motion Carried.

Resolution

Whereas, Daniel A. and Elizabeth Mooney, owners of property located at the corner of Greensburg Pike and Kline Street

have advised the Township that part of their property is being used by the Township for highway purposes and Whereas, the said Daniel A. and Elizabeth Mooney are willing that the said use continue, Now, therefore, be it resolved. That the Board of Township Commissioners of Wilkins Township in meeting assembled on March 4, 1935 do agree that if the Township is using a portion of the property of Daniel A. and Elizabeth Mooney for highway purposes said use is with the consent of the owners of the property and that the Township will not at any time claim Right of user by reason of adverse possession and will at any time upon request of the owners of the property vacate said use.

The Bill from Rusty Bros Lumber Co was referred by the Chairman Jm Hensell to the Finance Committee

Communication from the Fire Dept in the First Dist. referred to Dr Reber Chairman of Police & Fire - The use to truck ladder and rubber Boots.

Communication from Jm. B St. Goodwin relative to refund to the People Saving & Trust Co to the amount of 248.05 Road Tax 1934 which was paid the Wilkins Twp. and should have been paid the the Borough of Churchill.

Motion by Ostien secd by Jas. Walker that a warrant be drawn for 248.05 to refund as per the above request. Motion Carried.

Motion by Ostien secd. by Jas Walke that all the Salarys for the first Quarter be Paid.

Motion Carried

Motion by Geo Ostien secd by Dr Chas. H Reber that the resignation of Jm. Jas. Davis as Secretary of the Board of Health be accepted. Motion Carried

Motion by Dr Reber secd by Jas Walke that a Truck Ladder be purchased for the Fire Dept. in the First District. Motion Carried

Motion by Ostien secd by Walker that the Board elect a new member to the Board of Health

Motion Carried

applicants for the vacancy to the Board of Health were received from Mrs. Ackard and Leeth

Chairman of hording Mr. Smith and Strahan as Tellers

The vote resulted thus

Mrs. Leeth 3, and Mrs. Ackard 2

Chairman declared Mrs Leeth elected as a member of the Board of Health.

Motion by Jas Walker sec'd by Geo Ostien that the hiring of Dog Catcher be laid on the Table.

Motion Carried.

The subject of the Health Officers Salary was held over for further consideration

Communication from the Italian-American Citizens Club. Dated March 1- 1935 relative to preference be given to Taxpayer on Township Work. was refered to the Chairman of the Road Committee. by the Chairman of the Commissioners- Mr C.C. Hensell.

The Petition from residents living on the Brom Plan regarding the streets on that section of the Township, was referred to the Road Committee.

The Petition presented regarding the Dismissal of the present Supervisor & Truck Driver Mr. John Michel was discussed to some length by the Commissioner- but no action was had at this meeting.

Moved by Ostien sec'd by Walker that the necessary legal steps be taken to condemn portions of the property of John Jamerich for the purpose of constructing a public highway through the said Property

Carried.

Motion by Jas Walker sec'd by Geo Ostien that the meeting Stand adjourned.

Motion Carried

A.H. Cox Secty

Warrant #		
	C C Hensell-Bal. 1st Quarts Salary	$ 8.34
886	Geo C Ostien Bal. 1st Quarts Salary	16.66
887		
888	Jas Walker 1st Quarts Salary	25.00
889	Dr Chas. H. Reber 1st Quarts Salary	25.00
890	Jos. Augustine 1st Quarts Salary	25.00
891	Theo. H. Schmidt 1st Quarts Salary	100.00
892	A.H. Cox Sec'y Bal. 1st Quarts Salary	50.00
893	Patsy Carlotta 1st Quarts Salary-Police Officer	25.00
894	James Davis Jan Feb 1st Quarts Salary-Health Sec	13.57
895	Peoples Savings & Trust Co- Refund 1934 Tax	248.05
896	John Michel Wages Feb. 19 to 28-	33.60
897	Mattio Maggoire Wages Feb 25-	3.84
898	James Littlejohn Wages Feb 19 & 28	26.88
899	Lynwood Garage- Work Performed	13.60
900	Granty Fill Service Station-Smoke Oils	27.10
901	Crawford & Pepper- Coal	6.74
902	Patsy Carlotta-Gasoline-Police Duty Feb.	6.70
903	Stat Printing Co- 1000 2c Stamps Tax Collects.	24.75
904	Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co mat to Feb 28-35	15.56
905	Wally Aut-Trucker, one 4 Ton Large Truck	5.10
906	Julia Staley Wages Feb 6-35	4.95
907	John Michel Wages March 4th to 15-35	50.40
908	Andrew Tucker Wages Mar. 11-13-14-15-1935	15.84
909	Paul Yuregan " Mar. 11 12 13 14-15-1935	19.68
910	Mello Maggoire Wages Mar. 4.5.6.7.8. 1935	19.20
911	Patsy Carlotta Wages Mar. 4.5.6.7.8- 1935	19.20
912	Duquesne Light Co Light Bills 3-19-3,25-1935	3.90
913	Joe Burkovec Wages 3-11,12,13,14-1935	15.36
914	James Littlejohn Wages 3-4,5,--1935	7.68
915	Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co Int to Mar 31-1935	17.22
916	Mike Imlewski 8 Load ash at 100 per load	30.00
917	The Peoples Nat Gas Co-Gas, Jan Bowl & Fire House	2.61

901.53

Wilkins Township.
April 1- 1935

Regular monthly meeting of the Commissioners of the Township of Wilkins was held on the above date.

On Roll call the following were present.
Pres. C.C. Hensell, James Walker Jos. Augustine
Dr Chas. H. Reber. Wm. Lee C. Oakes absent

Reading of the minutes of March 4 and their approval as read.

Report of Committee

Road- Jas Walker Chairman Reported that good progress was being made on pathy road in good condition

Wm. Schmidt- Reported complaint regarding sewer on McMaster avenue.

Water-Light- Chairman not present. Wm. Schmidt reported from the Water Co regarding taps and report turned over to the Chairman of this committee to check up on same.

Police & Fire Dr Reber reported that reports were in from both P/Fire Dept and the Police

Finance & Tax No Report.

Ord. & Rules No Report.

Claims No Report.

Wm Schmidt called attention to road on the Old Northern Pike and recommended that signs be erected.

Motion by Reber seconded by Jos Augustine that signs be erected, Board at own risk.
Carried.

Motion by Augustine seconded by Dr Reber that the Board of Commissioners elect the Turtle Creek Savings & Trust Co to act as Depository for the year 1935 subject to their withdrawal of the claim which refused to the Township Treasurer ½ the expense of the Trustees who will hold the Securities which said Turtle Creek Bond & Trust Co will post as security for the Township Funds. Said Bond to be in the sum of $15,000.00
Carried

Motion by Jas Walker seconded by Dr Reber that all Bills promptly O.K. to be Paid Carried

At this time bids were ordered opened for Trucks as presented by the several Dealers after which the following motion was presented.

Motion by Dr Reber seconded by Jas Walker that the Commissioners take up the Bids presented for Trucks for the Township at a further meeting of the commissioners. Chairman to name date for same. Motion Carried.

Wm Jas presented petition for improvement of several State Roads to the Commissioners for their endorsement.

Motion by Jos Augustine seconded by Jas Walker that the Secty be and is hereby instructed to sign up for the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township. Carried.

Motion by Dr Reber seconded by Jos that all Employees of the Township make a report of all moneys every month and pay same to Treasurer.
Motion Carried.

Motion by Jas Walker seconded by Dr Reber that Jos Augustine represent the Twp. at the County Association of Commissioners and vote for them when one member vote for the Board as required by the County Association
Carried.

Motion by Jas Walker seconded by Jos Augustine that the meeting be recessed to meet at the call of the Chairman.

Recessed meeting of April 1- 1935 was reconvened this evening April 8 at 8.00 p.m.
Members present. Pres. Hensell Jos Augustine Dr Chas H Reber. Jas Walker and Lee C Oakes.
Meeting called to order by the Chairman C C Hensell
(motion by) Jas Walker seconded by Dr Reber that the salary of the Health Officer be set at $80.00 per year. Motion Carried

Motion- Walker seconded Reber that Miscellaneous expenses of Lee for 1st Quarter be Paid- amt 9.51 Motion Carried.

Motion by Jas Walker scd by Dr Reber that the Police be supplied with gasoline as the emergency arises and left to the Chairman of the Police & Fire to use his discretion regards there to. Motion Carried

Tax Duplicate

Motion by Jas Walker scd by Dr Reber that the Secretary be instructed to make up the Tax Duplicate for Township Commissions and that a warrant be drawn for $25.00 in payment for so doing. payment to be made when Duplicate is turned over to the Treasurer.

Motion Carried

Motion by Dr Reber scd by Augustine that 60.00 be tranfered from appropriation #1 and entered to the account of approp #3 which is the approp. for the Board of Health.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Oalica scd by Jas Walker that the Township Auditor render a report to the Commissioners of the days and Dates thereof, also the amount of Hours spent on the several days. And the Secty is instructed to request same from the auditors.

Motion Carried.

No further Business upon motion by Jos Augustine scd by Dr Reber the meeting stand adjourned.

J.H. Coxon Secty.

warrant #		
918	Joseph Jackson wages	19.20
919	Richard Leath "	19.20
920	Albert Miehl "	20.16
921	Peter Garvin "	16.32
922	John Miehl "	49.20
923	Union Railroad Co freight on ashes	9.38
924	Turtle Creek Auto Parts	.75
925	John J. Weber 3 month Salary Health Office	45.00
926	P.E. Challos 1 month Salary " Secty	7.15
927	Star Printing Co 300 Release Forms	3.50
928	Pullin Prescription Pharmacy Health Supplies	5.40
929	Pennsylvania Water Co Water Rent.	6.00
930	Mr John J. Edwards Gasoline	4.37
931	Patsy Vartolla Gasoline for Police March	1.70
932	McDonald Realty Co	430.60
933	Duquesne Light Co Final Street Light Bill	217.60
934	The Wilkinsburg Gazette ad for Truck Bids	2.88
935	A. Park Diffler Printing Ord # 118	17.20
936	Geo C. Oster attending County Const.	4.40
937	J.H. Coxon " " "	4.40
938	James Walker " " "	4.40
939	Jos. Augustine	4.40
940	J.H. Coxon Miscellaneous Exp.	9.51
941	Wm. Emanuel 2 Steel Road Signs	2.00
942	McCrady-Rodgers Co Pipe	38.22
943	McClintock Welsch Lumber Co	3.96
944	Mike Milewski Hauling ashes	30.00
945	Gravity Fill Service Station Supplies	29.87
946	Jos. Stone Wages	15.84
947	August Damico Wages	19.20
948	Carmine Bordogna "	19.68
949	Carmine Aiello "	19.68
950	Patsy Tarlotta "	17.28
951	N.S. Darling & Co Supplies for #1 Fire Co	49.67
952	Michael Porter For Property to Twp.	50.00
953	Dominech Peragge Wages	3.84
954	John Malonino "	3.84
955	James Littlejohn "	3.84
956	John Miehl "	55.80

957	Ried Realty wages	17.28
958	T.C. Smith "	19.20
959	S. D. Frango "	17.28
960	Arthur Geyer "	6.00
961	Duquesne Light Co	6.30
962	The Peoples Nat Gas Co	1.20
963	Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co	9.63
		1332.27

Commissioners was held this evening for the purpose of received bids for a Truck the Chairman may present to the meeting. Geo, C Osten Dr Chas. H. Reber and Jos. that the Bids for Trucks be opened and that Motion by Jas Walker sec by Dr Reber that a secret aye & nay vote called. Augustine aye Walker aye vote resulted thus, For Dodge Truck-1-one Motion by Walker sec by Augustine that a Skid Hoist & Body be motion by Augustine sec by Walker that the Auditor Report be received as read. Reber aye Osten aye Walker aye Augustine aye

Wilkins Twp.
April 15- 1935

A Special meeting of the Commissioners of Wilkins Township was called for this evening by the Chairman Jos. C.C. Hensell the purpose of the meeting was to take up the purchase of a truck for the Township.

Members Present - Jos. C.C. Hensell Jos. Geo C Osten Jos. Jas Walker Dr. Chas H Reber and Jos. Augustine.

After tabulating the Bids it was decided to reject all bid and ask that new bids be received accordy to a new set of Specifications and the follow motion was made

Moved by Dr Chas H. Reber seconded by Jos Augustine That all bids be rejected and that the Sec advertise for new bids for a Truck for the Township as set forth in Specifications as outlined by the Commissioners aye & nay vote called.

Dr Reber aye Augustine aye Walker aye Osten nay and Hensell aye.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Dr Reber sec by Geo. Osten that the Board adjourn.

Carried.

W.H.C. Corwin Secty

Wilkins Twp. April 29. 1935

A Special meeting of the Wilkins Township. Meeting called by the Chairman Jos. C.C. Hensell for the Township and such other business as Members Present- Chairman C.C. Hensell- Jas Walker Augustine- Motion by Dr Reber sec Augustine a Truck be purchased. Motion Carried. vote be taken in the selection of a Truck for the Township. Osten aye, Reber aye and Hensell aye. Federal-1-one- International P. three votes. installed on the Truck. all commissioners voting aye. Motion Carried. and that hay mow be made when Twp. Property is returned.- Carried Hensell not voting Motion by Augustine sec by Walker to adjourn- Carried W.H.C.

Wilkins Township
May - 6 - 1935

The regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held on the date above. The following answered present & Roll Call.
President C. C. Hensell & his Pres. Geo C. Oaten
James Walker and Dr Chas. H Reber Jr. Augustine Sec.
Reading of minutes of Regular and special meeting of April 15 and 29 and there being no corrections or ugetions were ordered approved.

Committee Reports

Road - Walker Chairman. Reported roads being taken care of and in fairly good condition.
Water Light - Augustine Chairman no Report.
Police & Fire Dr Reber Chairman submitted reports from Police and #1 Fire Co. Reports filed in Sec. Office.
Finance & Tax Rec. Augustine - No Report
Ord - Reber Jr - Oaten No Report.
Claim Jr - Oaten - No Report.
Motion by Walker sec. Oaten that the Engineer be instructed to establish grade on Oaten St.
Motion Carried.
Motion by Walker sec by Oaten that the insurance on the new Intermediate truck be placed with the McDonald Realty Co and that the liability be set at $10,000 to $20,000 instead of 5,000 to 10,000.
Aye-Nay vote Reber aye - Oaten aye Walker aye and Hensell aye Motion Carried.

Motion by Walker sec by Oaten that $5.00 be given to the Memorial Day Association.
Aye-Nay vote Oaten aye Walker aye Hensell aye Dr Reber not voting. Motion Carried.

Motion by Oaten sec by Dr Reber that the Township pay for 1/2 of the Cost of Printing the Checks for the Twp. same payable to the Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co amount $8.92
Motion Carried.

Motion by Walker sec by Dr Reber that the Township Engineer draw up the grade for Dorthy and John streets and to the intersection of same with the Greensburg Pike.
The Solicitor Jas. Theo H Schmidt prepare the proper Ordinances for the above streets so as to meet the approval of the County Commissioners and any other legal papers that may be necessary to get their improvement started.
Motion Carried.
Motion by Oaten sec by Walker that the Proper Offices of the Township be empowered to sign up the necessary papers for the work on Dorthy and John streets.
Motion Carried.
Motion by Reber sec by Oaten that the East Pitts Savings and Trust Company be notified that the Board of Township Commissioners of Wilkins Township have no Claim against any fund or funds on deposit with the said East Pitts Savings & Trust Co. in the name of Andrew A. McKeever, Tax Collector, or in any other account to which the name of Andrew A. McKeever is attached.
Motion Carried.
Jas. Reddy report fees to the amount of $95.00 for the months of April - 1935
Moved by Walker sec by Oaten that a warrant be drawn in favor of John Vogt the Prothonotary of Allegheny County to the amount of $270.00 in payment of Tax liens for year 1934
Motion Carried.
Motion by Walker sec. by Dr Reber that a warrant for $125.00 be drawn in favor of Alex Hutchinson for Engineering work on the R.U.D. Projects.
aye-Nay vote. Walker aye Oaten aye Dr Reber aye and Hensell nay.
Motion Carried.
Motion by Walker sec by Oaten that a warrant be drawn in favor of Lynwood Savage Mackie Bench Corner for $1159.30 in payment for one Chevrolet Truck for use on Road Dept. Motion Carried.

Motion by Dr Reber sec'd by Mr Oster that all Bills properly O.K. be paid.
Motion carried.

Motion by Osher sec'd by Walker that the Commissioners of Williams Township receive the Township Tax in 4 four installments and the following are the finial date on which same become due.

Motion by Walker sec'd by Dr Reber that the Township pay for ½ the cost of the Tax Duplicate account Book.
Motion carried.

Motion by Walker sec'd by Dr Reber that a warrant be drawn in favor of G.R. Means for $19.35 same due them as Secretary of the Board of Health for 1st Quarter of 1934.
Motion carried.

Motion by Walker sec'd. by Oster that the Township engage Mr. J.J. Kassouf to Bring the Delinquent Tax Book up to date accepting his Offer to do so at a cost of ten Cents per lien
Motion Carried.

Motion to adjourn carried.

N.H. Coxson

warrant #	warrant Paid	
964	John Riehl wages	54.00
965	James Littlejohn wages	12.48
966	Angelo Polarino wages	15.36
967	Ernest Lewis Wages	15.36
968	John Ceryanic Wages	15.36
969	John Meadorino wages	11.52
970	Domenic Perazzo. wages	12.48
971	Mrs Margaret Ray - Hot air Furnace	25.00
972	D.A. Lubricant Co. Grease	20.63
973	Jos A Tomasic Auditor - 1934 accounts	8.100
974	Thomas J. Kirkpatrick Auditor 1934 accounts	8.100
975	James J Watt " " "	84.00
976	Star Printing Co Supplies	8.30
977	A. Paul. Dittler Printing	41.53
978	Mullen Service Station Gasoline	3.65
979	Gravity Fill Service Station Supplies	26.57
980	Turtle Creek Auto Parts & Tire Supplies	7.40
981	C.C. Hensell Salary April - May - 1935	16.67
982	A.H. Cox Salary April 1935	25.00
983	G.R. Means Board Health Secty 1st Quarter 1934	19.35
984	Musick Printing Co Poster Board Health	5.75
985	Alex Studebaker Eng. on R.R.D. Projects	425.00
986	John Dept. Tax Liens - Posting Tax Payment Liens	270.00
987	Lynwood Gregg Bridal Bond Coupons	1159.30
988	J.J. Kassouf part payment preparing Tax Liens for 1934	20.00
989	Memorial Day assocs. Norman Gibson Secty	5.00
990	Turtle Creek Bond Trust Co ½ of Cost on Check Book for Twp.	8.92
991	McClintock Welch Hunt Co Supplies	6.80
992	Patsy Carlotta Gasoline for Police	1.70
993	John Riehl wages	61.20
994	Ted Snyder "	15.36
995	Charles Poporich wages	15.36
1001	Jacob Riehl wages	15.36
1002	Anthony Rebic "	15.36
1003	Andy Lunatorund wages	15.36
1004	Julius Skaly wages	15.36
1005	Joseph Fraley "	15.36
1006	Hartman Hardware Co Supplies	24.70
1007	John Meadorino Bal of Acct. 17 wages	1.20

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1008	Duquesne Light Bills 4-20-5-20-5-24-	3.52
1009	Crawford & Reffner Coal per order # 613	5.51
1010	Turtle Creek Port & Trust Co rent. for May 1935	17.22
	Total $ 2700.10	

Wilkins Township
June - 3 - 1935

The regular meeting of the Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held this evening. Members answering Roll call as Present as follows - President C.C. Hensell Vice Pres. Geo C. Ostien. James Walker Dr Charles A. Reber and Jos. Augustine Reading of the minutes and approved as read.

Committee.

Road - Jas Walker - Reported Road in fair condition

Police & Fire - Dr. Reber reported that reports from # Fire Dept. and Police Dept. also reported on complaint regarding the #1 Fire Dept. with regard to housing the Fire Truck in same.

Welfare - Augustine - Progress

Finance - Tax Augustine - No Report

Ord Rules Ostien - Requested Solicitor to report on ord. # 119-120 and 121 - Solicitor responded to the request.

Claims Ostien No Report.

Mr. B.H. Goodwin requested that the Occupation Tax on Individuals be dispensed.

Motion by Jas Walker secd by Augustine that a resolution be drawn up to exonerate the Tax Collector & Treasurer from the 1934

Occupation Tax. — Motion Carried.

Motion by Ostien second by Augustine that Commissioners pass a resolution to exonerate the individuals as per attached list as follows.
48 Persons moved out of Township.
35 Persons unable to locate
18 Wrong names not known in Twp.
17 on Property - shown in personal also
8 deceased. Total of 126 Persons whose names are to be furnished the Township Commissioners. aye & may Vote Ostien aye Dr Reber aye Walker aye Augustine aye and Hensell aye. Motion Carried.

Motion by Augustine secd by Ostien that the Bond of the Collector and Treasurer Jas. B.H. Goodwin be set at $15,000.00 Fifteen Thousand Dollars for the Collection of Tax for the year 1935
Motion Carried.

Motion by Dr Reber secd by Jos Augustine that the Bond of the Collector - Treasurer Jas B.H. Goodwin for the Collection of all Delinquent Tax ~~for the year~~ - Collected during the year 1935, be setting the sum of $1,000.00 Motion Carried.

Mr. Theo Schmid reported that he had the deed for the Pinter property, and requested that a warrant be made out in his favor for $3.75 in payment for recording the same on the docket.
Motion Carried.

Motion by Walker secd by Ostien that all 2nd Quarter Salarys be paid. Motion Carried.

Motion by Geo Ostien secd by Dr Reber that the ~~dates~~ the dates for collection of Township Tax be set as follows. 1st installment July - 1 - 1935 to July 31 - 1935 2nd installment Aug - 1 to 31 inc. 3rd installment Sept 1 to 30 inc, 4th installment Oct 1 to Oct 31 inc. Motion Carried. aye may Vote Walker aye Ostien aye Reber aye Augustine aye Hensell aye — Carried

Motion by Geo Ostien sec'd by Jas Walker that the resolution as presented by the Solicitor Mr. Thos Schmidt be accepted regarding the Collection of Delinquent Tax as set up by the act of the legislature. Motion Carried. see Copy of resolution in Sec files.

Motion by Ostien sec'd. by Augustine that ordinance #119 be presented for first Reading.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Augustine sec'd by Ostien that ordinance #119 be passed on 1st and 2nd. Reading.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Walker sec'd. by Ostien that the rules be suspended and that ordinance #119 be Taken up for 3rd reading. Motion Carried.

aye-nay vote Walker aye - Ostien aye Dr Reber aye Jos. Augustine aye and Hensell aye

Motion by Ostien sec'd. by Jas Walker that ordinance #119 be passed on 3rd reading

Motion Carried.

Motion by Ostien sec'd by Augustine that ordinance #120 be presented for 1st & 2nd reading.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Augustine sec'd. by Dr Reber that ordinance #120 be passed on 1st and 2nd. reading.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Ostien sec'd by Walker that the rules be suspended and ordinance #120 be presented for 3rd reading.

aye-Nay Vote Walker aye Ostien aye Reber aye Augustine aye and Hensell aye

Motion Carried.

Motion by Augustine sec'd by Dr Reber that ordinance #120 be passed on 3rd and final reading.

Motion Carried

Motion by Augustine sec'd by Dr Reber that ordinance #121 be presented for 1st and 2nd reading

Motion Carried.

Motion by Walker sec'd by Ostien that ordinance #121 be passed on 1st and 2nd reading.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Augustine sec'd by Ostien that the rules be suspended and ordinance #121 be presented for 3rd and final reading.

aye-Nay - Walker aye Ostien aye Dr Reber aye Augustine aye & Hensell aye Motion Carried.

Motion by Ostien sec'd by Dr Reber that ordinance #121 be passed on 3rd and final reading.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Augustine sec'd by Dr Reber that all furture Fire insurance on Trucks and Building be given preference to any Insurance Co or agent located in the township provided there rates are in keeping with Companys outside the Township.

Motion Carried.

aye-Nay Vote Ostien aye Walker aye Dr Reber aye Augustine aye - Hensell aye.

Motion by Walker sec'd by Ostien that the Insurance on large Truck be held over until the July, meeting. Motion Carried.

Motion by Walker sec'd by Reber that all Bills properly O.K. be paid.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Augustine sec'd by Walker that lock be installed on Fire Trucks in #1 fire Dept in case the Fire Dept does not install them.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Dr Reber sec'd by Jas Walker that the secretary write the fire Marshal regarding the complaint concerning #1 Fire House and request that the furnish the names of those complaining. Motion Carried

No further Business

Motion to adjourn

Carried.

Motion by Geo Ostien sec'd by Jas Walker that the resolution as presented by the Solicitor Mr. Thos. Schmidt be amended reducing the Collector's Assessment Tax

Motion by Walker sec'd by Ostien that ordinance #121 be passed on 1st and 2nd reading. Motion Passed.

AUDITORS' REPORT

AUDITORS, SECRETARIES, JUSTICES OF THE PEACE AND TREASURER'S ACCOUNTS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WILKINS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1948

GENERAL FUNDS—RECEIPTS

Bank Balance January 1, 1948	$ 5,674.07
May 4, 1948 Proceeds of sales series "F" Bonds	2,925.00
May 7, 1948 Certificate of Indebtedness Turtle Creek Bank and Trust Co.	10,000.00
C. D. Blakely, Coll. of 1948 Taxes	24,298.67
C. D. Blakely, Coll. of 1947 Taxes	1,357.71
J. J. Kassouf, Liened Taxes	3,147.24
J. J. Kassouf, Costs and Entry fees refund	1,167.73
C. D. Blakely, Coal Tax Collected	319.50
David E. Roberts, Prothonotary refund	202.39
Robert Smith, Permits	1.50
Robert Smith, Pole license, Bell Tel. Co.	312.00
Robert Smith, Pole license, Bell Tel. Co.	39.50
Duquesne Lt. Co.	189.00
Robert Smith, Permits, Peoples Nat. Gas Co.	4.25
Juke Box and Pin Ball Machines Permits.	295.00
J. W. Barker, Justice of Peace, Fines	10.00
C. D. Blakely, Justice of Peace, Fines	166.00
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Liquor License Refund	800.00
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Fire Insurance Tax Refund	153.48
Fire Co. No. 1 of Wilkins Twp. (Rent of Bldg.)	12.00
H. H. Goodwin, Permit proceeds and Liened Tax outstanding (Per 1947 Audit)	20.31
TOTAL RECEIPTS	$50,415.35
Less Disbursements	37,951.57
BANK BALANCE DEC. 31, 1948	12,462.78
C. D. Blakely, Underdeposit	1.00

GENERAL FUND—EXPENDITURES

General Government:	
R. D. Rose, Commissioners Salary 1947	$ 50.00
Commissioners Salaries	1,000.00
Secretary Salary	500.00
Auditors' Salaries	240.00
Total Salaries	$ 1,790.00
Office Supplies:	
Turtle Creek Bank and Trust Co. (Safe Deposit Box)	$ 12.00
Star Printing Co.	9.65
John Bendot, Sec. Expense	20.34
Total Office Supplies	$ 41.99
Advertising:	
Kurtz Bros. Coal Tax Statements	$ 23.44
The Independent	54.12
The Braddock Free Press	33.60
Star Printing Co.	39.80
The Journal, Audit Reports	48.00
Pgh. Post-Gazette, Coal Tax Levy	30.80
Total Advertising	$ 229.86
Association Dues and Expenses:	
Allegheny Association of Township Commissioners, Dues	$ 25.00
Pennsylvania Association of Township Commissioners	25.00
Expenses of 1948 Conference of Township Commissioners	183.00
Total Association Dues and Expenses	233.00
Legal Expenses:	
T. H. Schmidt, Solicitors' Salary	$ 500.00
T. H. Schmidt, Cost of Frieze Case	150.00
M. Jos. Martinelli, Filing Fee Audit	1.50
David E. Roberts, Prothonotary Liening 1947 Road Taxes	69.50
Municipal Tax Record Co. Entering additions in lien tax Books	101.25
American Surety Co. Premium liened Tax Collectors' Bond	50.00
J. W. Barker, Justice of Peace, Cost, Mileage, Witness Fees, Frieze Case	14.60
J. E. McVicar, Loss of Wages to appear as witness, Frieze Case	15.00
Robert Smith, Court Appearance Frieze Case	4.50
National Surety Corp. Solicitor's Bond	9.25
Total Legal Expenses	$ 915.70
TOTAL ADMINISTRATION	$ 3,210.55
Treasurer and Collectors:	
C. D. Blakely, Commissions, (Other Sources Collections)	$ 161.70
C. D. Blakely, Commissions, Tax Collections	1,311.71
J. J. Kassouf, Commissions, Liened Tax Collections	432.49
C. D. Blakely, Commissions, Misc. Collections	2.06
Municipal Tax Record Co. 1948 System	248.56
Total Treasurer and Collector	$ 2,156.52
Township Buildings:	
Hardstein Hardware Co. Paint No. 1 Fire Co.	1.10
Whitehead-Wilson Hdwe. Co. Plumbing Sup.	3.50
Coal for No. 1 Fire House	76.50
Peoples Nat. Gas Co. No. 3 Fire Co.	117.00
Duquesne Lt. Co. No. 1 Fire Co.	3.74
Duquesne Lt. Co. No. 3 Fire Co.	35.42
L. S. Bell, Water Bill No. 1 Fire Co.	18.03
L. S. Bell, Water Bill No. 3 Fire Co.	12.67
Jas. J. Watt, Repaired Plumbing No. 3	9.50
K. S. Miles, Garage Rent	30.00
Total Township Buildings	$ 307.46

Protection to Persons and Property:	
Police Protection:	
C. A. Roberts, Ins. Police Cars	42.50
Police Salaries	125.64
Police Cars	600.00
Total Police Protection	$ 725.64
Fire Protection:	
Fire Companies Compensation	$ 100.00
Thorps Garage No. 1 Fire Truck Repairs	156.46
Maggiore Auto Service No. 1 Gas and Oil	133.83
Turtle Creek Auto Parts No. 3 Fire Co. Battery Charger Bulb	4.50
The Wilkinsburg-Penn Joint Water Authority, Fire Water Service	2,785.06
Chick's Garage No. 1 Fire Truck Repairs	7.00
Ward La-France No. 1 Fire Truck Repairs	9.60
Mustang Equipment Co. No. 1 Parts	4.20
Turtle Creek Auto Parts No. 3 Fire Co.	2.60
Alpine Service Station No. 1 Gas and Oil	51.32
Wm. Yocca No. 3 Fire Co. Gas and Oil	6.35
Fire Co. No. 1 Alarm System Wire	17.00
Fire Foam Sales, 300 ft. Hose No. 3	235.99
Fire Foam Sales, Equipment No. 3	198.00
Fire Foam Sales, Equipment No. 1	12.00
Mine Safety Appliance Co. Equip. No. 1	60.00
Mine Safety Appliance Co. Equip. No. 3	60.00
Whitehead-Wilson Co. Equip. No. 1	10.20
Goldhammer Hdwe. Co. Fire Equip.	8.38
C. A. Roberts, Ins. Fire Equip.	436.98
Total Fire Protection	$ 4,289.56
Building Regulating and Zoning:	
Robert Smith, Permit Percentages	$ 249.12
TOTAL PROTECTION TO PERSONS AND PROPERTY	$ 4,538.68
Health and Sanitation:	
Robert Smith, Health Officer Salary	$ 116.67
James F. Giles, Sal. Sec. Board	50.00
Star Printing Co. Forms	7.45
Robertson-Meek Inc. Sec. Supplies	13.00
Robert Smith, Postage	1.00
J. R. Queen, Tin Can Disposal	117.00
Total Health and Sanitation	$ 295.02
HIGHWAYS:	
Wages to Maintenance Department	$ 7,054.80
Road Materials:	
Trumbull Const. Co.	$ 1,857.46
Duquesne Slag Products Co.	196.53
Wilkinsburg-Penn Joint Water Authority, Flushing Sewers	69.00
McClintock Lumber Co.	13.00
Maggiore Auto Service, Kerosene	11.55
Emil Wenning, Cash payment for slag	3.00
Total Road Materials	$ 2,150.54
Maintenance and Repairs:	
Struble and Riley Truck Repairs	$ 56.75
B. F. Goodrich, Tire Repairs	7.50
Chick's Garage, Truck Heater	39.00
Total Maintenance and Repairs	$ 103.25
Gas and Oil:	
Maggiore Auto Service	$ 467.88
Chick's Garage	25.82
Total Gas and Oil	$ 493.70
Purchase of Tools and Equipment:	
Whitehead Hardware Co.	$ 57.10
Hardstein Hardware Co.	279.46
Total Purchase of Tools and Equipment	$ 336.16
Insurance:	
C. A. Roberts, Ins. on Equip. State Workmen's Ins. Fund	152.81
Total Insurance	$ 488.97
TOTAL HIGHWAYS	$ 10,348.36
STREET LIGHTING:	
Duquesne Light Co.	$ 26.83
Miscellaneous Governmental Expenses:	
Turtle Creek Valley Memorial Day Ass.	25.00
UNPAID BILLS OF PRIOR YEARS PAID IN 1948:	
Peoples Nat. Gas Co. No. 1 & No. 3 Fire Houses	$ 26.83
Robert Smith, Refund of Overdeposit 1947	1.00
Maggiore Auto Service, Road Gas and Oil	173.45
Brinker Supply Co. Snow Plow	313.50
Duquesne Lt. Co. Dec. 47 Street Lights	197.16
Trumbull Const. Co. Road Material 1947	997.86
Wilkinsburg-Penn Water 4th Qtr. 1947	836.21
Ward La-France Co. Fire Truck Repairs '47	197.16
Struble & Riley, Road Truck Service '47	84.95
Goldhammer Hdwe. Co. Cable Fire Co.	7.50
	5.00

Gabriel Monzo, Dec. '47 Bill	42.50
Collector of Internal Revenue 4th Qua. '47	219.10
J. J. Kassouf, Comm. for Dec. '47 Coll.	94.63
C. D. Blakely, Comm. for Dec. '47 Coll.	13.06
Total Unpaid Bills of Prior Years Paid in 1948	$ 8,012.75
INTEREST:	
Certificate of Indebtness to Turtle Creek Bank and Trust Co.	$ 314.22
Skinner Judgement	247.54
Total Interest	$ 561.76
NON-GOVERNMENTAL EXPENSES:	
Turtle Creek Bank and Trust Co. Part Payment Certificate of Ind.	$ 5,000.00
Firemen's Relief Association Fund	153.48
Turtle Creek Bank and Trust Co. Retirement of Bond No. 35 (Final)	447.59
Total Non-Governmental Expenses	$ 5,601.07
GRAND TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR 1948	$37,951.57
PREVIOUS ACCOUNTS PAYABLE:	
Turtle Creek Bank and Trust Co. Balance 1948 Certificate of Ind.	$ 5,000.00
Judgement of Anne E. Skinner	5,206.75
Total Previous Accounts Payable	$10,206.75
SINKING FUND:	
Receipts:	
Bank Bal. Jan. 1, 1948	$ 210.54
Transfer from General Fund	447.59
Savings Bonds Cashed	11,121.00
Total Sinking Fund	$11,779.13
Expenditures:	
Coupons Paid:	
Series 1922 No. 35 Due Oct. 1947	$ 28.00
Series 1922 No. 35 Due April 1947	28.00
Series 1928 No. 21 to 30 Inc. Due March 1948	212.50
Series 1928 No. 31 Due March 1948	10.63
Total Coupons Paid	$ 279.13
Bonds Paid:	
Series 1922 No. 35 Due 10-1-47	$ 1,000.00
Series 1928 No. 21 to 30 Due 3-1-48	10,000.00
Series 1928 No. 31 Due 3-1-48	500.00
Total Bonds Paid	$11,500.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$11,779.13
SINKING FUND BALANCE	NONE
MOTOR LICENSE FUND:	
Receipts:	
Bank Balance Jan. 1, 1948	$ 963.35
State Motor Lic. Fund Grant	4,213.37
Total Motor License Fund	$ 5,176.72
Expenditures:	
Wages Paid	$ 4,601.50
Bank Balance Dec. 31, 1948	575.22
Total Expenditures	$ 5,176.72
REPORT OF CALVIN D. BLAKELY, Treasurer and Tax Collector:	
1948 TAX DUPLICATE:	
Amount of Duplicate	$27,569.52
Amount Collected	$24,906.67
Credit Tax Duplicate to Discount Period	419.90
Total Credit	24,718.57
Amount of 1948 Taxes to be Collected as of Jan. 1, 1949 Plus $5.00 Error Line 949	$ 2,855.95
1947 TAX DUPLICATE:	
Amount to be collected Jan. 1, 1948	$ 3,547.60
Exonerations	20.80
Net Amount to be Accounted For	$ 3,526.80
Taxes collected before Liened Amount Liened	1,293.35
	2,233.45
Total Accounted For	$ 3,526.80
Penalties Collected	64.36
Liened Taxes Collected by J. J. Kassouf on 1947 Duplicate	292.30
Liened Taxes yet to be collected on 1947 Duplicate	$ 1,941.15
OUTSTANDING WARRANTS	$ 1,542.86
Actual Cash Balance Jan. 1, 1949:	
Bank Balance	$12,462.78
Less Outstanding Warrants	1,542.86
Or	$10,919.78

BOARD OF TOWNSHIP COMMISSIONERS:
James J. Watt, President
Julius E. McVicar, Vice-President
Michael Neihl, Member
Helen V. DeLaney, Member
Dominic J. Aiello, Member
John A. Bendot, Secretary
Theodore H. Schmidt, Solicitor

BOARD OF AUDITORS:
M. JOS. MARTINELLI
JAMES C. WILSON
MARY AGLIETTI

Sworn and subscribed to me this 23rd day of March, 1949.

CALVIN D. BLAKELY,
Justice of the Peace

My Commission Expires First Monday in January, 1950.

Motion Carried.

Warrants Paid - in June

#	10 11	James Soles	Wages	18.24
	10 12	James Tillbyton	Wages	3.84
	10 13	John Riehl	Wages	57.60
	14	C.C. Hensell	Bal 2nd Quarter Salary	8.33
	15	Geo. C Oaten	2nd Quarter Salary	25.00
	16	James Walker	" " "	25.00
	17	Dr Chas. H Reber	" " "	25.00
	18	Jos Augustine	" " "	25.00
	19	Theo H. Schmidt	" " "	100.00
	20	Jt Ot Co of Bd.	" " "	50.00
	21	Patsy Carlotta	" " " Police	25.00
	22	Star Printing Co	Supplies	12.63
	23	J. H. Co of	Treasurers Tax Duplicate 1935	25.00
	24	Patsy Carlotta	Services for Police	1.70
	25	Alex Hutchinson	Eng Service	42.50
	26	The People Nat. Gas Co	Bill of June-10	1.00
	27	Penna Water Co	Water Bill of May 28	6.00
	28	Quality Service Station	Gas for Franklin Fire Co	7.20
	29	McClenahan Welsh Co	Lumber & Supplies	4.85
	30	Gravity Fill Service Sta.	Supplies	22.10
	31	Turtle Creek Welding Shop	To Repair	1.50
	32	Theo H Schmidt	Recording Printer Deed	3.75
	33	Marchis Damico	Wages	15.84
	34	John Riehl	Wages	49.80
	35	Henry Healy	Wages 3rd & 4th Bills	15.36
	36	J. Harvey	Entering 552 Liens in Tax Record.	44.20
	37	D.K. Elliott Co	Supplies	.84
10	38	Duquesne Light Co	Elect. Current	1.92 - 119.27

Wilkins Township July 1 1935

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held on the above date.

Members present: C C. Hensell Geo C Oaten Jas. Walker Dr Chas. H Reber and Jos Augustine

Reading of the minutes of June 3 1935 and their approval as read.

Committee reports - Walker reported progress on roads in the Twp.

Light - Augustine Progress

Police & Fire Dept Reber No Report from either Police or Fire Depts.

Finance - Fox Augustine Progress

Org. - Reber Oaten Progress

Claims - Oaten Reported Claim from Churchill Borough for liquor license Fee Paid to Twp.

Motion by Walker seconded by Augustine that a warrant be drawn in favor of Churchill Borough for $50.00 refund on liquor License paid to Wilkins Township which should have been paid to Churchill Borough.

Motion carried.

Motion by Jas Walker seconded by Dr. Chas. H Reber that the Bill rendered by Jas Howard Brennan for the appeal for William Penn Memorial Corp. be laid on the table.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Walker seconded by Dr. Reber that the Miscellaneous expense of Dec. for April May & June 1935 be paid & to amt of $6.25

Motion Carried.

Chairman Hensell of Board of Town Walker Reber and Osten a committee to look up the agreement and see if the bill is O.K. and report at next regular meeting.
Motion by Augustine seconded by Osten that the refund from the Turtle Creek Bank and Trust Co for $79.79 be placed in the general fund, and same turned over to The Treasurer Motion Carried.

Motion by Osten seconded by Augustine that the Treasurers report be accepted and filed. Motion Carried.

Motion by Walker seconded by Reber that the Treasurer Bond in the sum of $1,000 for the collection of the 1935 taxes be accepted. Motion Carried.

Motion by Osten seconded by Dr Reber that a warrant be drawn in favor of B.H. Gordon to the amount of 7.00 refund on Tax Liens. Motion Carried

Motion by Augustine seconded by Osten that a warrant be drawn in favor of B.H. Gordon for $2.50 refund for 250 1¢ stamps Bought. Motion carried.

Motion by Jas Walker seconded by Geo Osten that all Bills properly O.K. be paid. Motion Carried.

Motion by Jas Walker seconded by Dr Reber that in case the Large truck used on the Road Dept. is put in work that the same be insured and that the insurance be placed with the Gregory Realty Co. Motion Carried.

Motion by Geo Osten seconded by Dr Reber that a warrant be drawn in favor of Both Fire Co for $25.00 each same to apply on the 6 days of the Township Firemens Salary - Carried

Motion by Walker seconded by Osten to adjourn - Carried

No.		Warrants Paid	
2	1039	Robert Campbell Wages	15.36
2	40	John Muehl Wages	48.00
2	41	James Soles Wages	15.84
1	42	Turtle Creek Band Trust Co int. June	16.67
3	43	John J. Hensell Salary Health Officer 2nd Qrtr	45.00
3	44	R.C. Challon salary Health Secy 2 Quarts	20.03
1	45	C.C. Hensell July salary	8.34
1	46	Geo C Osten July salary	8.34
4	47	Franklin Fire Co Firemen Salary	25.00
4	48	Wilkins Fire Co #1 " "	25.00
1	49	B H. Gordon 2.50 stamps 7.00 poll tax refund	9.50
1	1050	State Workmen Insurance Fund	115.98
1	51	J R. Sweeney & Son Hawley Tin Cans	15.75
4	52	McDonald Realty Co Paid Payment Insurance	100.00
1	53	Star Printing Co Supplies Tax Collector	47.03
1	54	A. Park Dukes Print. Ord. 119-120 and 121	16.90
2	55	Gravity Fill Service Salary Supplies June	16.61
2	56	Turtle Creek Auto Parts Supplies Road Dept	4.21
2	57	McClintock Wilson Lumber Co Supplies	9.99
4	58	Lynwood Garage Return to Fire Truck	7.00
4	59	The Peoples Nat Gas Co - Gas.	1.00
1	1060	Churchill Borough Liquor License refund	50.00
2	61	John Muehl Wages	52.80
2	62	Joseph Yost Wages	3.84
2	63	Rudolph Malkowich Wages	15.36
2	64	Wm J. Turney - Supplies and Work	5.90
4	65	Duquesne Light Co - Elect. Current	.95
1	66	Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co int. July	17.22
4	67	Wills Service Station - Supplies	8.88
			725.98

Wilkins Township
August 5 1935

The Regular Meeting of the Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held on the above date. The following members of the Board answered present - Pres. C.P. Hensell Vice Pres. Geo. C. Osten - James Walker Dr Chas. R. Reber and Jos Augustine.

The minutes of the regular meeting of July 1. 1935 were read and approved.

Report of Committee

Road Walker Chairman Reported that roads were not in very good condition due to the heavy rains of the past month, caused by cutting the sewers and Cutting up gravel & number of streets.

Water & Light Augustine Chairman - Progress

Police & Fire Dr. Reber Chairman reported that #1 Chief sent in report but no report from Franklin Fire Dept also no report from Police.

Finance & Taxes Augustine Chairman No Report

Ordinance & Rules Geo. Osten Chairman No Report

Claims Geo Osten chairman No Report.

Monthly Bills were read and a motion was made by Dr Reber and by James Walker that all Bills properly O.K. be paid

Motion Carried

Mr. Thos Schmidt the Solicitor spoke in regards to Change in the laws made requiring Commissioners to prepare Budget for next year, which will have to be prepared before the end of 1935, and when the required proper forms will ask that a Meeting of the Commissioners be called.

Motion by Jos Walker and by Jos Augustine that the next monthly meeting be held to meet Sept. 9. 1935, Sept the 2 being Labor Day.

Motion Carried

No further business upon Motion by Jas Walker and by Geo Osten the meeting adjourned.

Wm. C. Cox Secy.

Motion by Osten and by Jas Walker that the Bill for $15.00 from the Penn. State Association of Tax Collectors be laid over & may vote called. Dr Reber aye Geo Osten aye James Walker aye - Jos Augustine Nay - C.P. Hensell aye

Tax Table Motion Carried.

Warrant #		Warrants Paid	
2	1068	John Meichl - Wages	60.60
2	1069	Joseph Yost "	15.84
1	1070	Calvin L Blakley services	3.50
1	1071	Bond	0 0
1	1072	Wm. C. Cox July Aug. Salary	50 00
2	1073	Gravity Fill Service Station Supplies	13.45
4	1074	Pullis Service Station Supplies	16.12
4	1075	Mrs John J. Edwards Supplies	31.31
2	1076	Wm. E Maynard 2 Metal Road Signs	2.00
4	1077	Albert H Booth Dog Enforcement Officer	15.00
4	1078	Standard Motor Co Fire Truck Repairs Franklin	14.00
4	1079	Wyley Auto Spring Co Franklin Fire Truck Springs	26.00
4	1080	The People Nat Gas Co Gas Franklin Fire House	1.00
1	1081	James J Wall filing Auditors Report	2.00
1	1082	Commonwealth of Pa Mills Loan Tax	153.90
1	1083	B.K. Elliott Eng. Supplies	2.72
2-4	1084	Hunter Hood Co Supplies	7.08
4	1085	Patsy Carlotta Gasoline for Police June-July	3.60
1	1086	C.P. Hensell Aug Salary	8.34
2	1087	Miguel Damico Wages Aug 6,7,8,9.	19.20
2	1088	James Littlejohn Wages Aug. 12,13,14,15.	15.36
2	1089	John Meichl Wages Aug 1 to 15 inc.	29.40
4	1090	Patsy Carlotta Police Salary July 1935	8.34
1	1091	Jos. Augustine 3rd Quarter Salary	25.00
1	1092	Turtle Creek Saving Trust Co Interest Aug 1935	17.22
4	1093	Duquesne Light Co Elect Current	.54
1	1094	James Walker Salary July. Aug. 1935	16.67
1	1095	Wm. C. Cox expense 2nd Quarter	6.25
2	1096	Nicholas Kuzmic Wages Aug 20,21,22,23.	18.24
2	1097	Julius Straley Wages Aug 20,21,22,23.	18.24
2	1098	James Soles Wages Aug 23.	5.28
2	1099	W Krzyzanowsky Wages Aug 27, 28, 29, 30.	15.96

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Voucher #	Warrant #		
2	1100	James Littlejohn Wages Aug - 16, 1935	3.84
2	1101	Geo - Leath Jr. Wages Aug. 26, 27, 28, 29, 30.	19.20
2	1102	John Diehl Wages Aug. 16 to 30 inc.	61.20
1	1103	E. C. Hensell Balance 3rd Quarter Salary -	8.32
		Total $	744.12

N H Clayton Secy.

Sept 9. 1935

Regular meeting of Commissioners of Wilkins Twp. was held this evening.

Members Present. Pres. Hensell Vice Pres. Geo C. Catien James Walk Dr Chas. H. Reber.

Reading of the minutes of the meeting of Aug. 5 1935 were Read and approved.

Report of Committee

Road. Walker Reported roads in fair condition and was opening up drains & culverts which were closed due to the heavy rains.

Water tight Dr Reber Chairman No Report.

Police & Fire Dr Reber " Progress

Finance & Tax - Progress

Org. Rules Geo Catien. No Report.

Claim Geo. Catien Reported on claim of Wm Ray. Wenning due to fall at the foot of Lemmon Street.

Motion by Jos. Augustine sec by Dr. Reber that the Bill for $3.00 - damages for clothes destroyed. This bill to be paid after a release is signed releasing Twp. from all damages. Motion Carried.

Motion by Jos. Augustine sec by Dr. Reber that all bills properly O.K. be paid.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Jos. Augustine sec by Jas Walker that a warrant be drawn in favor of the Wilkins Twp. Firemans Relief Association in the sum of $76.14

Motion Carried.

Motion by Dr Chas H. Reber sec by Jos. Walker that a donation be given to Fire Dept #1 in the amount of $124.30 this amt. to apply on the Rutter Bros Lumber Co Bill due on Fire House.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Dr Chas H Reber and by Jas Walker that the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Twp approve the Application of the Duquesne Transportation Co for permission to carry Gasoline Products they having made application to the State Board of Public Service Commissioners for the right to haul same in the several Municipalities.

Motion Carried

Aye - Nay Vote. Dr Reber aye - Geo. Oaten aye Jas Walker aye Jos. Augustine aye C C. Hensell aye.

Motion by Dr Chas H. Reber and by Geo. Oaten that the Solicitor - Mr. Theo. H. Schmidt draw up a ordinance condemning the property located at or near the proposed Colin St. so that these streets can be put through.

Motion Carried.

Motion by Geo Oaten and by Dr Reber that the Chairman of the Road Committee investigate the sewer at the Belman school and if necessary have the Secy write the School Board regarding the same.

Motion carried.

Motion by Jas Walker and by Jos Augustine that the meeting stand adjourned.

A H Cox Secy.

June

Warrants Paid

Warrant #				
1104	1	9-9	Theo H Schmidt 3rd Derelict Salary	100.00
1105	1	9-9	M H Cox Clerk Salary	25.00
1106	1	9-9	James Walker Clerk Salary	8.33
1107	1	9-9	Geo C. Oaten Asst Clerk Salary	16.66
1108	1	9-9	Dr Chas H Reber 3 Derelict Salary	25.00
1109	3	9-9	John Weber 3 Derelict Salary Health Officer	45.00
1110	3	9-9	R E. Chatlos 3 Derelict Salary & expenses	20.55
1111	2	9-9	Gravity Fill Service Station Supplies	11.63
1112	2-4	9-9	Lynwood Garage Material & Work	25.45
1113	4	9-9	The Peoples Nat Gas Co Franklin Gas.	1.00
1114	4	9-9	Albert H Booth Services as dog catcher Aug.	5.00
1115	4	9-9	Turtle Creek Auto Parts Supplies	1.60
1116	4	9-9	Mullen Service Station Supplies	22.39
1117	4	9-9	Mrs John J Edwards Supplies	21.41
1118	4	9-9	Patsy Charlotta Dep 3rd Derelict Salary	16.66
1119	4	9-9	Wilkins Twp Firemans Relief Association	76.14
1120	4	9-9	Patsy Charlotta Gasoline July Aug.	9.50
1121	2	9-9	Mc Clintock Wetherell Lumber Co Supplies	14.08
1122	4	9-9	Wilkins Twp Fire Dept #1 - accident Relief	124.30
1123	1	9-9	Horach-Schlesinger & Co Prof. Services	60.00
1124	4	9-9	Telly Auto Wrecker 32 x 6 Rim	3.00
1125	1	9-9	Mrs Kay Glenning - Damages -	3.00
1126	2	9-10	Beckwith Machinery Co Supplies	1.00
1127	2	9-10	Hartstein Hardware Co Supplies	1.14
1128	2	9-10	John Rich Wages Dept 1 - to 8	46.20
1129	2	9-10	Paul Zyglaye - Wages Dept 9-10	7.68
1130	2	9-10	W. P. Shafer Wages Dept 4, 5, 6, 9, 10.	19.20
1131	2	9-10	Clifford Thompson Wages Dept 11-12	7.68
1132	2	9-10	Joe O'Brien Wages Dept 9-10	7.68
1133	2	9-10	Alex Wasneski Wages Dept 11, 12.	7.68
1134	2	9-10	Clarence Swope Wages Dept 11-12	7.68
1135	2	9-10	L Wahn Wages Dept 5-6	7.68
			Total	743.32

Wilkins Twp.

Oct. 7, 1935

The regular meeting of the Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held on the above date.

Members present - Pres C.C. Glendell Vice Pres. Geo. C. Osten - James Walker and Jos. Augustine, absent Dr. Charles H. Reber.

Reading of the minutes of the meeting of Sept 9- 1935 were read and approved.

Report of Committee

Road Jas Walker Chairman Reported Progress
Water-Light Dr. Reber no Report.
Police & fire Dr Reber No Report
Finance Tax- Jos Augustine Progress.
Ordances-Rules Geo. Osten Reported Progress
Claims- Geo Osten. Progress

Motion by Jas Walker sec'd Geo Osten That all Bills properly O.K. be paid.
Motion carried.

Complaint of Mr. Straly on condition of sewer and Road at his property - Same referred to the Chairman of Road Committee.

Mr. Schmidt Solicitor for the Twp. reported that the release was ready for signing by Mr. & Mrs Ray Fleming due to damage to Clothes on Semmens St. same referred to the Chairman of Claims Mr. Geo. Osten.

Motion by Jas Walker sec'd by Geo Osten that the bonds presented by the Solicitor stating that the several property against which liens have been entered will have to be renewed. Same turned over to the Chairman of the finance committee to examine and report at the next Meeting.
Motion Carried.

Motion by Geo Osten sec'd by Jas. Walker that a meeting be held on Oct 21 for the purpose of a public hearing regarding the condemning of the property so that the proposed Osten street can be opened up. Motion carried.

Motion by Walker sec'd by Osten that a warrant be drawn transferred in the amount of $19.55 for miscellaneous expense for this quarter. Motion Carried.

No further business Motion by Walker sec'd by Osten that the meeting stand adjourned.

W. H. Cova
Secy

Warrants Paid

	Warrant #			
2	1136	John Nickl	Wages	52.80
2	1137	Joseph Kameller	Wages	19.20
2	1138	Alfred Samtmer	Wages	11.52
2	1139	Francesco Pardello	Wages	11.52
2	1140	Walter Fowler	Wages	7.68
2	1141	Robt. Campbell	Wages	7.68
2	1142	Harry Jackson	Wages	19.20
2	1143	Emil Bertotino	Wages	15.36
2	1144	W. Krazyzonowski	Wages	3.84
2	1145	G.F. Crouse	Wages	7.68
2	1146	Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co	interest Sept.	16.67
4	1147	Pennsylvania Water Co	Repairs & Water Rent	11.07
4	1148	Albert A Booth	Services as Dog Officer.	5.00
4	1149	Leo Tire Store	Tire Repair Franklin	5.00
4	1150	Ambler Service Station	#2 8.95 #4 11.22 for Supplies	20.17
2	1151	Gravity Fill Service Station	Supplies	10.66
2	1152	Wm Clintock-Wilcox Lumber Co	Supplies	7.24
2	1153	Hockaten Hard. Co	Supplies	2.30
4	1154	Duquesne Light Co	Electricity	
4	1155	Peoples Nat Gas Co	Gas 8-8 to 9-10	1.00
4	1156	P.R. Carlotta	Sundries for Police	1.90
4	1157	Wm T J Edwards	Hose for #1 Fire Co	5.70
4	1158	McDonald Realty Co	Insurance	100.00
1	1159	James H & Mary	Dugaid	2.75
1	1160	Star Printing Co.	20/500 2nd Stamped envs.	6.75
1	1161	Geo C Orton	Salary Oct. 1935	8.44
2	1162	Mike Swak	Wages Oct 7,8,9,10,11-	19.20
2	1163	S.B Reed	Wages Sept. 31 Oct 2,3,4.	15.36
2	1164	Carrol Meyers	Wages Sept 31 Oct 1.2,3,4.	16.32
2	1165	Stephen Barget	Wages Oct 7.8,9,10,11.	19.20
2	1166	John Nickl	Wages Oct 1 to 15th	62.40
2	1167	John R Camellen	Wages Oct 7,8,9,10,11.	19.20
2	1168	Tod Snijder	Wages Oct 14,15- 1935	7.68
2	1169	Samuel Blagovich	Wages Oct 14,15,	7.68
2	1170	Eugene O'Brien	Wages Oct 8,9,10,11.	15.36
2	1171	Mike Bock	Wages Sept 31 Oct 1,2,3,4.	16.32
2	1172	August Danico	Wages Oct 11,12,14,15,	15.36
2	1173	Alex Wunecki	Wages Oct 7-8	7.68
2	1174	Albert Clarey	Wages Oct 10-11	7.68
1	1175	H.H. Cox	Oct Salary	25.00

Warrant Paid

	Warrant #			
1	1176	Carl C Hensell	Oct Salary	8.44
2	1177	Clifford Thompson	Wages Oct 10-11-14 15	15.36
2	1178	Harry Chambers	Wages Oct 21,22.	7.68
2	1179	Joe Fisher	Wages Oct 21,22,23,24,	15.36
2	1180	Lorenn Baldwin	Wages Oct 21,22.-	7.68
				673.64

Wilkins Township
Oct 21 - 1935

On the above date a Public Hearing was held to hear any citizen of Wilkins Township regarding the legal action being taken to condemn the several properties so that the proposed Osten street could be opened.

The Vice Pres. Mr. Geo C. Osten called the Hearing to order.

The following Commissioners were present Vice Pres. Osten - Mr. Jas. Walker & Mr. Jos Augustine Dr Chas Rebei and Pres. Hensell Absent.

The Chair then proceeded to call for any citizen who may have any thing to say regarding the proposed action regarding the Opening of Osten Street no question being raised the Solicitor Jas Tho H. Schmidt was given the power to proceed and prepare the proper papers and present same at a further meeting of the Commissioners.

H.H. Cox
Secy

Wilkins Township
Nov - 4 - 1935

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held on the above date.

Members Present - Pres. C.P. Hensell Vice Pres. Geo C Ostin - Jas Walker Dr Chas H. Reber and Jos. Augustine.

Report of Committees

Road - Jas Walker - Progress

Augustine Fin - Tax. Augustine Progress and gave report on tax liens to be removed.

Police & fire Dr Reber - no report from Police or fire Depts. as the Dept had not turned in reports.

Claims Ostin - Progress

Ordinance Reber Ostin - No Report.

Motion by Dr Reber sec by Geo Ostin that the report from Jos Augustine on removing of liens on the sewer property in the Township be received and that a warrant be drawn in favor of Theo H Schmidt the Solicitor for 235.50 - and on the advice of Mr. Schmidt that it be charged to office H 1 - and apply to 1934 and former years bill. after Mr Schmidt remarks the motion was put to vote. and was - Carried.

Motion by Dr. Dr Reber That a warrant be drawn in favor of J Kassorf in the sum of $15.00 in payment of lien report presented to the Commissioners for preparing of Report on the Church Hill so that the Committee could proceed to make settlement.

Aye - Nay Vote. Augustine aye Ostin aye Reber. aye, Walker Aye. Hensell aye

Motion Carried

Motion by Ostin sec by Augustine that a warrant be drawn in favor of Herbert P. Crawford for 2.42 in refund for 1934 Road tax also that the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Twp. give permission to the Treas. of Wilkins Township to withdraw the lien against the property of Mrs. Herbert P. Crawford.

aye & nay vote. Ostin - aye Augustine aye Dr Reber aye - Jas. Walker aye C.P. Hensell aye

Motion Carried.

No further business motion to adjourn Carried.

N. M. Cowden Secy

Wilkins Twp. Nov 21-35

A special meeting of the Commissioners of Wilkins Twp. was held this evening.

Members Present. Geo. C Ostin Vice Pres. Jos. Augustine Jas. Walker Dr Chas. H. Reber ~~Wm C.~~ C.P. Hensell - was absent.

Meeting was called to take up the setting of the Budget for next year and and other business the Chairman or any member of the Board may present.

Motion by Dr Reber sec by Jos Augustine that the Secretary arrange a meeting with the Committee from Churchhill Borough with the Committee from Wilkins Twp. relative to settlement between the Township & the Borough.

Motion Carried.

Solicitor inform the Commissioners that the Budget could not be taken up without the forms from the Dept of Internal Affairs and same was held over until forms are available.

No further business meeting adjourned.

N. M. Cowden
Secy

Warrant #	Warrants Paid		
1181	James Strathern	Wages	15.36
1182	William DeSantis	Wages	17.28
1183	John Miehl	"	67.80
1184	Louis Howard	"	11.52
1185	Todd Snyder	"	7.68
1186	Henry Thompson	"	15.36
1187	Joseph Short	"	15.36
1188	Howard Doles	"	15.36
1189	Geo E. Elkins	"	14.40
1190	James Geler	"	15.36
1191	C.C. Kennell	Nov Sal	8.33
1192	Jam. Blowand	Wages	7.68
1193	Harry Geiser	"	15.36
1194	Miller Service Station	Supplies	7.79
1195	Star Printing Co	"	11.85
1196	Jas. Walker	Oct Nov Salary	16.67
1197	Geo C. Osteen	Nov Salary	8.33
1198	Walter Maggiore	Wages	15.33
1199	Jos Augustine	Oct Nov Salary.	16.67
1200	Patsy Carlotta	Oct Salary	8.34
1201	Void		
1202	Theo H Schmidt	to Remove fire 1934 Bill	235.50
1203	J.J. Kashay	Cupling Road here	15.00
1204	Louis Maggiore	wood materials Fire Truck.	15.00
1205	M. H. Coxon	Miscellaneous app 3rd Quarter.	13.55
1206	Herbert P Crawford	Refund 1934 Tax	2.42
1207	William Emmanuel	2 Road Signs	2.00
1208	Turtle Creek Welding Shop		1.25
1209	Void		
1210	Void.		
1211	The Peoples Nat Gas Co.		1.00
1212	Wm Walker	Wages	15.36
1213	Edwin Gray	Wages	15.36
1214	C.C. Chambers	"	3.84
1215	Dominick Perozzi	"	15.36
1216	Herman Bechel	"	15.36
1217	Wm Conklin	"	15.36
1218	W.J. Walker	"	15.36
1219	John Murphy	"	15.36

1220	George Danner	Wages	15.36
1221	W. M. Brown	"	7.68
1222	Thos. Kirkmounce	"	15.36
1223	John Miehl	"	52.80
1224	James Sloan		15.36
1225	Turtle Creek Paint Trust Co.	inot Oct-Nov.	38.89
1226	Duquesne Light Co.		5.95
1227	Lynnwood Garage	Labor Material	8.97
1228	Patsy Carlotta	gasoline for Police	1.90
1229	Penna. Water Co.	Water Rent	6.00
1230	Joseph Yost	Wages	19.20
1231	James Littlejohn	"	3.84
			899.25

Wilkins Township P.O.
Dec 2 - 1935

The regular monthly meeting of the Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held this evening.
Roll call - resulted as follows
C.C. Stennett Pres. Geo C. Osten Sec. Dr C.H. Reber Sec
Jas Walker Pres and Jos. Augustine Pres.
Reading of the regular meeting of Nov 5 and Special meeting of Nov 21 - and approval as Read.

Report of Committee

Roads Walker Chairman Reported progress
Water-Light Augustine Chairman Progress
Police Fire Dr Reber Progress
Finance Jos. Augustine Progress
Ord. Rules - Geo C. Osten "
Claims Geo C. Osten "

Motion by Walker sec by Osten that warrants be drawn in favor of C.C. Stennett - Jas Walker W.H. Cox Geo C. Osten and Jos. Augustine for $41.40 each for payment of attendance of the Allegheny County Association of Commissioners held on Tuesday Nov 30 - 1934
Motion carried.

Motion by Walker sec by Dr Reber that all bills properly O.K. be paid.
Motion Carried.

Motion by Walker sec by Osten that the motion of June 3 - 1935 relative to the insurance of the Township being given only to residents of the Township be rescinded and removed from the records.
aye and nay vote called.
Walker aye Reber aye Augustine nay
Osten aye and Stennett aye
The vote resulted in motion being carried and former motion rescinded.

The following agents presented Rates
Rates are for 5,000 Property Damage and 5,000 and 10,000 Personal Injury
Michael V. Blagojevich - Both Trucks Total $34.00
Semmens Bros for Calvin D. Blakley - Both Trucks $34.00
McDonald Realty Co Both Trucks 66.60
Wagner Realty Co Both Trucks 66.60
All rates are for Old Line Stock Co.

Motion by Dr Reber sec by Jas Walker that a Secret Ballot be taken on the several applicants.

The vote resulted in McDonald receiving three 3 votes - Mr. Calvin Blakley 1 vote - Mr. Wagner 1 vote and resulted in The McDonald Realty Co receiving the insurance
Motion by Dr Reber sec by Jas Walker that the insurance on Both Trucks be taken out in the Aetna Insurance Co. Motion carried.
aye-nay vote Reber aye Augustine aye
Osten aye Walker aye & Stennett aye.

Motion by Geo Osten sec by Jas Walker that a warrant be drawn in favor of McDonald Realty Co for $30.00 in payment of back insurance and upon advice of Mr. Schmidt the Solicitor same to be Charged to the year 1934 accounts
Motion carried.

Motion by Walker sec by Osten that the meeting Stand adjourned. Motion Carried.

W.H. Cox Secy

Wilkins Township
Dec. 20-1935

A Special meeting was called for this evening Dec 20. by the Chairman Mr C.C. Hensell
Members Present - Pres. C.C. Hensell Vice Geo. C Ostien Jos. Augustine James Walker
Dr Charles H Reber absent.

The call for the meeting was as follows
The call for the purpose of bringing before the Commissioners the payment of Water for Fire Protection and any other business the President or other member of the board may present.

Chairman asked for reading of the communication from the Penna. Water Co. as follows.
It is now more than three years since the Penna. Water Co has received from Wilkins Twp. any payment for Public Fire Protection. On Sept. 30 1935 the Twp. owed the Water Co. more than $12,000.00 for Fire Protection which the Water Co. has furnished since July 1932 and almost $1,000.00 interest on deferred payments, so that at present time the Twp. owes the Water Co. more than $13.000.00.
We must insist that the Twp. shall pay this bill or at least that it make a substantial payment on account, otherwise we shall be obliged to take legal proceeding to collect or else apply to the Public Service Commission for permission to discontinue Fire Protection until payment has been made. The Co. is not willing to continue to service any further without payments.
We appreciate the difficulties that the Twp. is encountering due to unpaid taxes, but we feel that having extended credit for three years, the Water Co has been reasonably considerate.

Yours Truly
H. C. Hawley
Superintendent.

After the reading of this letter the following motion was made.

Motion by James Walker seconded by Geo. C Ostien that the Township pay to the Penna. Water Co the sum of Four Thousand Dollars $4,000.00 this sum to include the credit of taxes to the extent of $789.60 vouchers to be exchanged between the Twp. and the Water Co. Before payment is made the Commissioners to get the advice of the Township Solicitor regarding the legality of the same. Mr. Theo H Schmidt appeared at the meeting. He advised the Commissioners they were within their right to make payment if they had so ordered. and a warrant was drawn for the same.

Aye and nay vote requested.
James Walker aye Jos. Augustine aye
Geo. C Ostien aye C.C. Hensell aye
Dr Chas. H. Reber absent.
Motion Carried.

Motion by Geo C Ostien seconded by Jas Walker that the miscellaneous expense due the Secretary for the 4th quarter to the amount of $12.40 be paid and warrant produced. Drawn.
Motion Carried.

Motion to adjourn carried.
H. L. Coxon
Secy

Wilkins Township Pa

Dec. 30. 1935

A Special meeting was called by the Chairman Mr. C.C. Hensell for Dec 30-1935

Chairman called the meeting to order and asked for Roll call for is result.
President C.C. Hensell- Present Vice Pres Geo C. Ostien Present- James Walker Present Dr Charles H Reber Absent Jos. Augustine Absent.
Chair called for the reading of call for the meeting.

Wilkins Township Dec 18 1935

A Special meeting of the Commissioners of Wilkins Township has been called for by the Chairman Mr C.C. Hensell, for Monday evening December 30- 1935 at the Franklin Fire House at 7.30 p.m.
The meeting is called for the purpose of making a payment on the Artman Judgment or any other business the Chairman or other members of the Board may present.
Signed H.A. Cox Secy

After reading the call the following motion was presented.
Motion by Geo. C. Ostien seconded by Jas. Walker that a warrant be drawn in favor of the Artman Judgment to the sum of $1,500.00 Fifteen Hundred Dollars. aye-nay vote called

Geo Ostien aye- Jas. Walker aye C.C. Hensell aye Dr Chas H Reber absent Jos Augustine absent-
Motion Carried.

Motion made by Jas Walker seconded by Geo Ostien that the insurance on the Packard Fire Truck be given to the McDonald Realty Co. aye-nay vote
Geo C Ostien aye Jas. Walker aye C.C. Hensell aye Dr Reber absent Jos absent- Motion Carried.
Motion to adjourn carried. H.A. Cox Secy

Warrant #	Warrants Paid	
1232	Geo C Cozart Bal 3rd quarter Salary	8.33
1233	James Walker " " " "	8.33
1234	Jos Augustine " " " "	8.33
1235	C.C. Hensell	8.33
1236	Dr Chas. H. Reber 4th Quarter Salary	25.00
1237	Thos H Schmidt 4th Quarter Salary	100.00
1238	H.A. Cox Bal 4th Quarter Salary	50.00
1239	Jos Augustine attend County Conv. 11.30	4.40
1240	Geo Ostien " " " "	4.40
1241	C.C. Hensell " " " "	4.40
1242	Jas. Walker " " " "	4.40
1243	H.A. Cox " " " "	4.40
1244	John J. Weber 4th Quarter Salary Health Officer	45.00
1245	R.E. Chalfant " " " " Secretary	20.10
1246	Carmen Gates Wages Nov 18,19,20,21	15.36
1247	Joseph Stone " " 18,19,20,21	15.36
1248	Jack Yost " Nov 21,22,25,26,27	14.20
1249	Kenneth Carothers " Nov. 18,19,20,21	15.36
1250	J.C. Shed Wages Nov 18,19,20,21	15.36
1251	John McCracken " " 18,19,20,21	15.36
1252	John Diehl Wages Nov 16 to 30	61.20
1253	Charleston Hardware Co Supplies	4.39
1254	Patsy Carlotta Bal 4th Quarter Salary	16.66
1255	McClintock Wilcox Lumber Co Supplies	55.09
1256	Alb. Wisneski Wages Dec 3,4,5,	11.52
1257	John Diehl Wages Dec 2 to 15	37.60
1258	Tony Sader " Dec 2,3,4,5,	15.36
1259	Russel Leap " Dec 2 3,4,5,	15.36
1260	C. Wilkinson " " 9,10,11,12	10.56
1261	Guaranty Fill Service Sta. Supplies	16.22
1262	Crawford & Reber Coal for Fire Dept	12.38
1263	The People Nat Gas Co Gas Fire Co	1.00
1264	Mr. John J Edwards Repair Fire Truck	3.68
1265	Charleston Hardware Co Supplies	34.41
1266	Duquesne Light Co Elect Light Bills	5.73
1267	H.A. Cox Rescell off 4th Quarter	12.70
1268	McDonald Realty Co Payment on Chas. Pierson Ins. 1935	310.10
1269	Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co rent Dec.	12.23
1270	Pierson Water Co Payment on Water Bills Pierson 1935	4000.00

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1271	Edward Pfulpf Wages Dec 31	3,84
1272	John Neill Wages Dec 16 to 31 incl	62.40
1273	Payment on Altman Judgment	1300.00
	Total —	6594.55

J. M. Cox Secy

Wilkins Township

Jan. 6th 1935

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Commissioners 1935 of Wilkins Township was held on said date.
Members (Roll call) C C Hensel P. Geo C Oster P.
James Walker P. Jos. Augustine P. Dr C Lee Rebrook

Reading of minutes of regular and special meeting of Dec 1935 and approved as read. by C C Hensel and unanimously carried.

Meeting of new Board of Commissioners for year 1935 following meeting of Old Board.
Roll Call. Jos Augustine P. M. Brosko P. J Lees P. G Oster P. Wm McFarland P.
Mr. John Lees elected temporary Chairman
Mr Jos. Augustine been the only nominee on motion He was elected Pres. of Board.
The following is results

Election
Secretary — John. G O'Brien rec'd. 3 Votes
" Michael Blagovich " 1 Vote
Solicitor Theo. H. Schmidt. " 3 Votes
" M. E. Washwick. " 1 Vote.
Chairman declared. John. G. O'Brien
& Theo H. Schmidt elected.

Motion by Mr Green & second by Mr Bassara. that one Road Care taker be hired. motion carried.
Result of election for Road Care taker as follows
Mr Julius Straigley rec'd. 4 Votes
" F E Spirk " 0 "
" Paul Meglaye " 0 "
" M J Parado " 0 "
" John Neill " 0 "
Chairman declares Mr Straigley elected

motion by Mr Augustine and
sec. by Mr Green that Mr Bassara
be elected for Vice-Chairman. there
being no other nominees. Mr Bassara
declared elected by Chairman

Appointment of Committees by
Mr Augustine Pres. of Board

Financial Committee
Mr Leax Chairman. With Mr Green & Mr. Mc. Farland
Road Committee
Mr Green Chairman with Mr Mc. Farland & Bassara
Committee of Water Lt. Ordinance. Rules & Printing
Mr Mc. Farland. Chairman - with Mr Green & Bassara
Committee of Police & Fire.
Mr Bassara Chm with Mr Leax & Green
Claims Committee
Mr Leax Chairman with Mr Mc Farland & Bassara
Property Committe
Mr. Green Chairman - with Mr Bassara & Leax

Board of Health. Appointments for
Mr Chattles - for 5 years. Mr Tyndall 4 yrs
Mr Milewski - 3 years. Mr Endres. 2 yrs and
Mr Palarinos - 1 yr Dr J. D. Tresaskis

Committee for settlement between Church
Hill Boro. & Wilkins Township.
Mr. Mc. Farland. Leax & Green

Motion made by Mr Leax and sec by
Mr Bassara that. Mr Green serve on
Committe for Valley planning asso motion Carried
Motion made by Mr Bassara & sec by Mr Green
that Certificate of Indentification be turned over to
property Attendantes motion carried.

Motion made by Mr Green and sec by Mr Bassara
that meeting recess until Monday evening
Jan. 13th 1936

Jan. 13th 1936

Continuation of recessed meeting of Jan 6th
Roll Call. - Mrs. Augustine P. M. Bassara P
John Leax P. - Wm Mc. Farland. P. Mr Green P.

Bills for 1935 read - these were approved
as read and to be paid when new budget
was set, except ones that were tabled
for approval

Letter read from Commonwealth
of Penna in regard to State Workmans Insurance
Motion by Mr Green sec by Mr Bassara
that Insurance be renewed and that
premium be paid. motion carried.

Letter read from Penna State
Assc of Township Commissioners inviting Board
to attend a meeting to be held in the
Chamber of Commerce Auditorium at 8 pm
Tuesday eve. Jan. 24th. to explain schedules
for preparing budget for 1936
Motion by Mr Green sec by Mr Mc. Farland
that Board attend motion carried

Motion by Mr Green sec by Mr Bassara
that Board recive application for
Building inspector be received at next
regular meeting - motion Carried

Mr Leax secretary for 1935
reported to Board that Penna Water Co
was holding a Voucher for $246.69 due
Wilkins Township for Interest
motion by Mr Green sec by
Mr Bassara that report be tabled
until later

Motion by Mr Green & sec by
Mr Leax that report of Board of
Health be accepted as read motion Carried

Applications for Township Engineer
read. Motion by Mr Green sec by
Mr Mc. Farland that secret ballot be taken
motion carries Election followed
Mr Hutchinson rec'd 1 Vote
Angelotta & Bayer " 4 Votes
Mr Douglass " 0 Votes
Chairman declared Angelotta & Bayer elected

Applications for Road Care
taken read. Motion by Mr Bossara sec by
Mr Green that secret ballot be taken motion carries
election followed
1st Ballot
Mr DeKleva rec'd 1 Vote - Mr Mitchell 1
Mr Spirko " 0 "
Mr Parado " 2 Votes
Mr Keebl " 1 Vote
none received majority
2nd Ballot
Mr DeKleva rec'd 0 Votes
Mr Parado " 2 "
Mr Keebl " 1 "
Mr Mitchell " 2 "
none received majority
3rd Ballot
Mr Parado rec'd 4 Votes
Mr Mitchell " 1 Vote
Chairman declared Mr Parado elected

Motion by Mr Green sec by Mr Leax
that policy for Insurance on Packard
Service Truck be awarded to
Mr Wagner Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr Green sec by
Mr Bossara that Board rescind previous
motion & appointments for Position of
Board of Health made on Jan 6th
and that a special election be
held to replace Mr Sanders whose term Expired

Mr Bossara nominated Mr Albert Smith
Mr Green nominated Mr Kynaston for 5 year
term.

Motion by Mr Leax sec by Mr Green
that nomination be closed motion carries.
Result of election
Mr Kynaston rec'd 1 Vote
Mr Smith " 4 Votes
Chairman declared Mr Smith elected

Motion by Mr Green sec by Mr Mc. Farland that Board of Health
be instructed to take action on reported condition
of Rock Bleeu motion carried.

Motion by Mr Green sec by Mr Mc. Farland
that Board take action on W.P.A. Project at once
if release of damages is not required. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr Green sec by Mr Bossara
that Solicitor and Mr Goodwin Treas. make
report of delinquent road tax due Township
from Non Residents. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr Green sec by
Mr Leax that Board adjourn Motion Carried.

John J. O'Brien
Secretary

Feb. 3rd 1936

Wilkins Township Fire House #1

Regular meeting of Board of Commissioners held this P.M.

Roll Call Mr Augustine P. Mr Bossara P. Mr Leax P. Mr Green P. Mr McFarland abs

Minutes of meeting of Jan 6th & 13th read and approved.

Report of Committees

Finance - Mr Leax Progress.

Road Mr Green. no Progress

Police & Fire. Mr Bossara. Condition of Fire Sq #1. very bad

Letter read from Turtle Bank and Trust Co. to act as depository for Board of Commissioners for year of 1936 - Motion by Mr Bossara Sec. by Mr Leax that we accept Turtle Bank and Trust Co. for depository for year of 1936

Motion Carried

Letter read from Mr Irving of W.P.A. in regard to application for Work to be done not yet reported

Motion by Mr Bossara Sec by Mr Green that letter be received and filed

Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr Green Sec by Mr Leax that Motion of past Board of 1935 to pay $1500 to Turtle Hartshorn judgment be rescinded and that check be Voided and the Auditors be notified

Mr Augustine called for Aye or Nay Vote

Mr Augustine aye Mr Bossara aye Mr Green aye Mr Leax aye Mot. Carried.

Motion by Mr Bossara Sec by Mr Leax that Mr Beach & Mr Lashell be given a public hearing on charges of neglect of duty at Wilkins Township Fire House #1 Feb 10th at 7 P.M.

Mr Bossara Mr Leax & Mr Harland to act as Reffers at Hearing. Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr Bossara Sec by Mr Leax that Mr Straight and Mr Gaskill Road Scrapers be discharged. Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr Green Sec by Mr Leax that new applications for Road Supervision be received at next meeting to be held Feb 10th the applicant must be able to drive Truck and Tractor and also make any minor repairs necessary to keep Truck & Tractor in good operating condition

aye & nay Vote Called

Mr Green aye Mr Leax aye Mr Bossara nay

Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr Bossara Sec by Mr Leax that meeting be recessed until Monday eve Feb. 10th

Motion Carried

Feb. 10th. 1936

Meeting Continued from Feb. 6th

Roll Call - Mr Augustine P. Mr Bossara P. Mr Leax P. Mr Green P. Mr McFarland P.

Ordinance for Fixing of Millage for year of 1936 read by Mr Schmidt Solicitor

Motion by Mr Bossara Sec by Mr Leax that 1st reading be accepted as read. Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr Leax Sec by Mr McFarland that ordinance be read for second time Motion Carried

Ordinance read by Mr Schmidt for second time

Motion by Mr Bossara Sec by Mr Leax that Ordinance be accepted as read

Motion Carried.

Application for Road Supervisor read. election follows
Mr Straub — Jones — 0 Votes
Mr Mullen " 1 - Vote
Mr Leax " 3 Votes
Mr Neibl " 1 Vote
Mr Parado " 0 - Votes
Mr. Mayhugh " 0 - Vote

Motion by Mr Leax sec by Mr Mc Farland that Secret ballot be taken aye & nay Vote asked for
Mr Bossara nay Mr Green aye Mr Leax aye Mr Mc Farland aye motion carried.
Mr Leax declared elected by Mr Augustus Jones.

Report of hearing of Mr Death and Mr Lashell members of the Board of Health held in Wilkins Township Fire Co #1 Feb 10 1936 With Mr Bossara Mr Leax & Mr Mc Farland members of Board of Commissioners acting as reffers Was Read, Board was questioned by Mr Augustus Jones Board. He then disqualified Mr Lashell and appointed Mr Milcoske to fill place Vacated by Mr Lashell, Mr Death disqualified & Mr Ross Polarino appointed to fill place Vacated by Mr Death.

Mr Bossara reported that Furnace Radiators and most of the pipes bursted in Fire Co #1 due to water being frozen, Temporary stove installed until further arrangements can be made

Motion by Mr Leax sec by Mr Mc Farland that the Board of Commissioners reimburse Fire Dept for expense of installing temp stove - motion Carried

Motion by Mr Leax sec by Mr Mc Farland that Keys be left with the Truck. motion Carried

Motion by Mr Green sec by Mr Leax that meeting adjourn Motion Carried.

Jno G O Brien Secy

Feb 24th 1936

Wilkins Township Fire House #1
Special meeting of the Board of Commissioners at the call of Mr Augustus Jones. notice given Verbly to each Commissioner Present and for all matters pertaining to W.P.A Projects or any other business that may come before Board.

Roll Call. Mr Augustus Jones. Mr Bossara P. Mr Leax P. Mr Mc Farland P. Mr Green abs.

Motion by Mr Leax sec by Mr Mc Farland that Angelotti & Bayne - Eng start to work at once on W.P.A Project # 6495 motion carried.

Motion by Mr Leax sec by Mr Bossara that Board purchase 100 pair safety goggles and 2 safety Hats at price quoted by Mine Safety Appliances Co motion carried.

Motion by Mr Leax sec by Mr Mc Farland that 2000 Copies of release & damages be printed at once and Warrant be drawn to pay for same motion Carried.

Motion by Mr Bossara sec by Mr Leax that meeting adjourn motion Carried

John G O Brien
Secy

March 2nd. 1936
Wilkins Township Fire House #1
Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township
Meeting called to order by Mr Augustine Pres at 8^15 pm
Roll Call Mr Augustine P. Mr Bassara P. Mr Green P. Mr Leax P Mr McFarland - as late
Minutes of regular meeting of Feb. 3rd. and special meeting of Feb. 24th read and approved
Report of Committees
Mr Leax - Finance - Budget ready
Mr Green - Road. Progress
Mr Bassara Fire & Police - progress
Mr McFarland. Water Light. progress
Current Bills read -
Motion by Mr Leax sec by Mr Green that same be paid when approved. Motion carried.
Letter read from Mr Goodwin Treas. in regard to check for $263.10 received from Foreign Insurance to be paid to Wilkins Township Fireman Relief assc
Motion by Mr Bassara sec by Mr Green that warrant be drawn for $263.10 in favor of Firemans Relief assc
Motion carried
Letter read from Mr Goodwin Treas in regard to $20.00 to be paid Wilkins Twp. School Board for return of Fees on Lien Taxes
Motion by Mr Green sec by Mr Leax that warrant be draw for $20.00 in favor of School Board. Motion carried -
Letter read from Mr Goodwin in regard to refund of $3.85 on taxes paid by Andrew & Joseph Miller property
Motion by Mr Leax sec by Mr Green that warrant be drawn in favor of

Andrew & Joseph Miller for $3.85
Motion carried
Letter read from Mr Goodwin in regard to excess taxes paid by Mr Crawford of Dowling place ~~sixty~~ ~~$4.10~~ which was paid to Mr Crawford by Mr Goodwin.
Motion by Mr Bassara sec by Mr Leax that warrant be drawn for $4.10 in favor of Mr Goodwin - Motion carried
Motion by Mr Leax sec by Mr Green that warrant be drawn for $246.69 in favor of Penn. Water Co. who in turn will give Wilkins Township Voucher for $246.69 for interest due Motion carried.
Motion by Mr Green sec by Mr Bassara that contract for Stone Quarry be awarded to Mr Holdbaugh for the ploget on one side and to Mr Nevaskis for the other side - Motion carried
Motion by Mr Green sec by Mr Bassara that same wages be paid employees that was paid in 1935 - that is 48¢ per hour + 60¢ per hour for supervisor
Motion carried
Motion by Mr Bassara sec by Mr Leax that Board of Commissioners Secretary + Solicitor be paid same salary as in 1935 - Commissioners $100.00 per year Solicitor $400.00 per year Secretary $300.00 per year. Motion carried
Motion by Mr McFarland sec by Mr Leax that Mr Green be appointed contact man on W.P.A. work.
Aye + Nay vote called for by Mr Augustine - Mr Bassara (~~aye~~) Mr Leax aye. Mr McFarland aye
Motion carried
Motion by Mr Leax sec by Mr Green ~~that~~ meeting recess untill March 23rd
Motion carried
John G O'Brien Secy

March 23rd. 1936.

Wilkins Township Fire House #1

Continuation of recessed meeting of the Board of Commissioners from March 16th

Roll Call. Mr Augustine P.
Mr Bassara P. Mr Green P. Mr Leax Abs. Mr McFarland Ab

Report by secretary that notices was posted and Budget was ready March-16th.

Motion by Mr Bassara Sec by Mr Green that Ord. #122 be read for 3rd time - Motion Carried

Ordinance read for 3rd time. Motion by Mr Bassara Sec by Mr Green that same be accepted as read - motion Carried

Letter read from Mr Smith Secy of the Board of Health requesting that Salary of the Board remain the same as in 1935.

Motion by Mr Bassara Sec by Mr Green that letter be set aside until the next regular meeting

Motion Carried

Letter read from Mr Smith Secy of the Board of Health. that appointment of Mr Palarino & Mr Milewski to the Board be made according to the law as written in Section #1662 Public Health Laws of Penna - 1931. Motion by Mr Bassara Sec by Mr Green that letter be referred to the next regular meeting Motion Carried

Letter read from Mr Weber Health Officer asking Board of Commissioners to accept his resignation if Salary for year of 1936 was to be $120.00 per year

Motion by Mr Green Sec by Mr Bassara that letter be referred to Mr Smith Secy of the Board of Health

Motion Carried

Motion by Mr Bassara Sec by Mr Green that all letters on W.P.a projects be addressed to the Secretary and not Contact man

Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr Bassara Sec by Mr Green that Mr Keenan W.P.a be invited to next regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners. Motion Carried

Mr Bassara Vice Chairman takes the Chair to allow Mr Augustine to address Citizens

Motion by Mr Augustine Sec by Mr Green that meeting adjourn

Motion Carried.

John G. Green
Secy.

WARRANTS. PAID. OUT. JANUARY-1936

# 1274	JOHN. NEIHL	FOR WAGES. FROM. JAN. 2ND TO JAN 8TH	$ 19.20
1275	PATSY VARLOTTA	FOR GASOLINE FOR. NOV & DEC. 1935	3.80
1276	TURTLE CREEK. BANK & TRUST. CO.	INT. ON. INDEBTNESS	17.22
1277	PENN G. WATER. CO.	REPAIR FROZEN. METER. TOWELIST.	2.64
		TOTAL	$ 42.86

WARRANTS. PAID. FEBRUARY-1936.

# 1278	STATE WORTMANS. INSURANCE.		152.86
1279	ANDREW. TOMASIC.	WAGES. FOR. JAN. 7TH	1.92
1280	RUSSELL LEAX.	WAGES FOR. JAN. 31ST FEB. 5-6-7	12.00
1281	JOHN H. WHALEN.	WAGES FOR. FEB. 10TH.	3.84
1282	FRANK. MOROSINI	WAGES FOR. JAN. 8TH 10TH 11TH	9.60
1283	ALBERT Mc. FARLAND	WAGES. FOR. JAN. 7-8-10-11-13TH	18.24
1284	CARMEN. BORDOGNA	WAGES. FOR. JAN 7TH & FEB 7TH	35.04
1285	UNION. R.R. CO.	ASHES.	15.80
1286	NATIONAL SECURITY. CORP.	BOND. FOR. T.H. SCHMIDT.	10.00
1287	LOUIS. MAGGORI.	REPAIRS. ON TRUCK (FIRE)	3.00
1288	LYNWOOD. GARAGE	REPAIRS. ON. TRUCK	42.35
1289	CRAWFORD & REPPER	COAL. FOR. FIRE HOUSES	21.60
1290	ALBERT. H. BOOTH.	SERVICE. ON. DOG LAW	15.00

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1291	MRS. JOHN. J. EDWARDS.	GASOLINE. FIRE TRUCK.	2.88
1292	PENNA. WATER CO.	REPAIR FROZEN METERS.	6.08
1293	J. R. QUEEN & SONS.	GARBAGE DISPOSEL	20.25
1294	HARTSTEIN HARDWARE. CO.	SUPPLIES. FOR FIRE HOUSE	20.49
1295	ALLEGHENY CO. ASSC. OF TWS	COMM. DUES. FOR 1935	25.00
1296	DUQUESNE LIGHT. CO.	LIGHT. FOR. FIRE. HOUSE.	6.53
1297	TURTLE AUTO. PARTS.	SUPPLIES. FOR FIRE. TRUCK.	10.95
1298	GRAVITY. FILL SERVICE STA	GASOLINE & OIL.	9.62
1299	MILLER SERVICE. STA.	GASOLINE & OIL	5.82
1300	PEOPLES. GAS. CO.	GAS. FOR. FIRE HOUSE.	3.91
		341.25	341.25
		111.53 TOTAL.	111.53
		452.78	452.78
	WARRANTS. PAID.	MARCH. 1936	
1301	JOSEPH AUGUSTINE.	WAGES. 1ST QUARTER.	25.00
1302	MICHAEL. BASSARA	" " "	25.00
1303	QUINCY. GREEN.	" " "	25.00
1304	JOHN. LEAX.	" " "	25.00
1305	WM Mc. FARLAND	" " "	25.00
1306	JOHN. G. O'BRIEN	" " "	75.00
1307	THEO. H. SCHMIDT	" " "	100.00
1308	TURTLE CREEK BANK & TRUST CO.	INT. ON INDEBTNESS	16.11
1309	W. R. SHAFFER	INSTALING. FURNACE. FIRE HOUSE	27.00
1310	JOSEPH. AUGUSTINE	STOVE. FOR. FIRE HOUSE	3.75
1311	DUQUESNE. LIGHT. CO.	LIGHT FOR. FIRE. HOUSE	5.54
1312	PEOPLES. GAS. CO.	GAS. FOR. FIRE. HOUSE.	6.60
1313	WALTER. W. MILLER.	GAS & OIL	5.01
1314	UNION. FILLING. STA.	GAS & OIL	6.18
1315	JOHN. G. O'BRIEN.	STATIONERY. & STAMPS.	4.83
1316	CHALES E. HOLMES.	REPAIRS. ON. TRACTOR.	3.00
1317	TURTLE. CREEK. AUTO. PARTS.	PARTS. FOR. TRUCK	27.80
1319	TEPKE. AUTO. SERVICE.	REPAIRS. TRUCK	3.00
1318	TURTLE CREEK AUTO. PARTS.	PARTS. FOR. TRUCK	1.98
1320	ROBERT. PATTERSON.	REPAIR. FIRE. TRUCK	3.25
1321	B. H. GOODWIN.	COMM. OTHER. THAN. TAXES.	7.19
1322	B. H. GOODWIN.	STAMPS.	1.50
1323	STAR. PRINTING. CO.	ENVELOPES & TAX STATMENTS	21.25
1324	STAR. PRINTING CO.	ROAD. REG	9.75
1325	A. PARR. DIBLER.	LETTER. HEADS. & FORMS	17.90
1326	ANDREW & JOSEPH MILLER.	REFUND. ON. TAXES	3.85
1327	B. H. GOODWIN.	FOR REFUND ON TAXES. TO H. P. CRAWFORD	4.18
			867.47

WARRANT			
1328	WILKINS TW. SCHOOL. BOARD	RETURN. LEIN	20.00
1329	WILKINS TW. FIRE MN. RELIEF ASSC.	FOREIGN INS.	263.10
1330	MINER SAFTY. APP. CO.	GOGGLES & SAFTY KITS	131.80
1331	PAUL. LEAX.	WAGES. FOR. FEB 11 TO 24	66.90
1332	MICHAEL. BLAGOVITCH.	WAGES. FOR. FEB 11 TO 15	17.28
1333	PENNA. WATER. CO.		296.69
1334	Mc. DONALD. REALITY. CO	PART. ON. FIRE TRUCK INS.	330.72
1335	PAUL. LEAX.	WAGES. FOR. MARCH 2 TO 13	47.40
			1653.12

April 6th 1936

Wilkins Township Fire House #1

Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners. Held this date

Roll Call - Present
Mr Augustine. Mr Bassara Mr Green
Mr Leax. Mr Mc. Farland.

Reading of the minutes of the regular meeting of March 6th and March 23rd. Minutes approved as corrected.

Report of Committees

Mr Leax. Finance Progress (no claims)
Mr Green Road. Progress
Mr Bassara Fire & Police Progress
Mr Mc. Farland. Water Progress

Motion by Mr Bassara sec. by Mr Leax. that Gas Lines be installed in Fire Co #1 Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr Bassara sec by Mr Leax that 400 ft of Fire hose be purchased. 200 ft for the Fire Co #1 and 200 ft for Firebrick Line Co. Motion carried.

Contract from Republic Co Hewett Rubber Co and General Hose Co were received and read.

Motion by Mr Green second by Mr Mc. Farland. that secret ballot be taken on the award of Contract for fire Hose. motion carried

Ballot of Ballot
Hewett Rubber Co 1 Vote
Republic Rubber Co 1 Vote
General Fire Hose Co 3 Votes

Statement by Mr Bassara second by Mr Leax that we purchase Hose from General Fire Hose Co at $1.20 per ft.
Aye & Nay Vote called for by Mr Augustine Ass.
Mr Bassara aye Mr Leax aye Mr Mc. Farland aye. Mr Green nay.

Reading of current bills.
Motion by Mr Leax second by Mr Mc. Farland that bills be paid when properly approved. Motion Carried.

Letter read from Mr Smith Secy of the Board of Hebeth to set salary of the Health Boards for year of 1936

Motion by Mr Leax second by Mr Mc. Farland. that salary of the Health Officer be $120.00 per year and secretary $50.00 per year - motion carried.

Motion by Mr Leax second by Mr Mc. Farland. that motion on salary of Health Officer & Secretary of the Board of Health be reconsidered. Motion Carried

Motion by Mr Leax sec by Mr Mc. Farland that health officer be paid $80.00 per year & secretary of the Board of Health paid $50.00 per year
Aye & Nay Vote called for by Mr Augustine Ass.
Mr Bassara. not Voting. Mr Leax aye Mr Mc. Farland aye Mr Green. aye
motion Carried.

Motion by Mr Green second by Mr McFarland that Board of health remain as of Jan 1st 1936 as follows Mr Peter Mr Peach Mr Kosbell Mr Chatlos and Mr Smith who was elected by the Board of Commissioners at meeting held Jan 13th. Motion Carried

Motion by Mr Green second by Mr Leax that Franklin and Fire Co #1 be paid $25.00 donation. (Motion Carried)

Mr O'Brien secretary of the Board called attention to the Board of Commissioners that no Ordinances or resolutions had be transcribed in Ordinance book since 1933. and asked the members of the Board to appropriate the sum of 15.00 to compensate Him for transcribing same in Ordinance Book

Motion by Mr McFarland sec by Mr Leax that the sum of $15.00 be paid secretary for transcribing Ordinances in Ordinance Book.
Under remarks - aye & nay vote called Mr Bossara aye Mr Leax aye Mr Green aye Mr McFarland aye. Motion Carried

Mr Schmidt solicitor of the Board called attention to the Board of the necessity of installing a System of Book Keeping by an accounting firm in order to keep new budget form in proper condition.

Motion by Mr McFarland second by Mr Green that set of Books be ordered. Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr Green second by Mr Leax that meeting adjourn. Motion Carried

J. J. O'Brien
Secy.

WARRANTS. PAID. APRIL-1936

1336	PAUL. LEAX.	WAGES. FOR. MAR. 16th to 31st	$55-50
1337	ALBERT. McFARLAND.	WAGES MAR. 23-24-25th	8.64
1338	FRANKLIN. VOL. FIRE. Co.	DONATION.	25-00
1339	THE TERKE. AUTO. SERVICE	OVERHAULING TRACTOR.	40-00
1340	McCLINTOCK & WELSCH. LUM. Co.	ROAD. SUPPLIES.	3-61
1341	MILLER SERVICE. STATION.	GAS & OIL FIRE TRUCK.	4-69.
1342	MRS JNO. EDWARDS.	GAS & OIL. FIRE TRUCK.	6-59.
1342	A. PARK. DIBLER.	ADD. FREE PRESS. & IND.	2.00
1343.	Wm. J. TIERNEY.	ROAD. SUPPLIES.	16-20
1345	PENN. WATER. Co.	WATER FIRE #2	6.00
1346.	DUQUESNE. LIGHT Co.	LIGHT. FOR. FIRE Co.	6.30
1347	PEOPLES. NATURAL. GAS. Co.	GAS. FIRE Co.	11-40
1348	ALLEGHENY. Co. ASSC. TOWNSHIP. COMM.	DUES FOR 1936	25-00
1349.	HARTSTEIN. HARDWARE. Co.	SHOVELS.	2.50
1350	TURTLE CREEK. BANK & TRUST. Co.	INTEREST. ON DEBT.	17-22
1351	TURTLE CREEK. WELDING. SHOP.	WELD. TRACTOR.	2.60
1352	JOHN WEBER.	WAGES. AS HEALTH OFFICER. 1ST. QUARTER	45-00
1353.	MR. C HATLOS.	" " SECY. OF BOARD. for JAN	6-25
1354	ROBERT. SMITH.	" " " " + STAMPS. " FEBRUARY	13-25
1355	UNION FILLING STATION	GAS & OIL. ROAD.	12.88
1356	RUTTER. BROS. LUMBER Co.	ROAD SUPPLIES.	.52
1357	WILKINS TOWNSHIP FIRE. Co #1	DONATION	25-00
1358.	PAUL. LEAX	WAGES. FOR APRIL 1st to 15th	52.80

May 4th 1936.

Wilkins Township Fire Dist.

Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners. Called to order at 8:15 pm

Roll Call

Present. Mr Augustine Mr Bassara Mr Green. Mr Leap. Mr McFarland.

Reading of minutes of regular meeting of April 6th. approved as read.

Report of Committees

Mr. Leap Finance.		No Claims
Mr. Green. Road.		Progress
Mr Bassara. Fire Police.		Progress
Mr McFarland. Water & Light.		Progress.

Mr. Reading of Current Bills.

Motion by Mr Leap second by Mr Green that Bills be paid when properly approved motion Carried.

Motion by Mr Leap. second by Mr Green that Finance Committe work out plan to invest Money in sinking Fund & in Bldg Bonds in order to get some interest from Money now in Bank. - Motion Carried

Church Hall.

Bill read from Angelotti & Bayer Township Engineers. Motion by Mr Green 2nd by Mr Bassara that this be report to Road Committee. Motion Carried

Motion by Mr Bassara second by Mr Green that Mr Angelotti be invited to next regular meeting to explain expenditure to Public Motion Carried

Motion by Mr Green second by Mr Bassara that Angelotti & Bayer Eng. be notified not to report on any Project until notified by Road Committee - Motion Carried

Motion by Mr Leap second by Mr Green that Committee be paid $4.00 each for attending meeting of County Commissioners held in Pittsburgh April 18th 1936. Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr Bassara second by Mr Green that Auditors be paid $70.00 each for making returns on audit for year of 1935. Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr Leap second by Mr McFarland that Bill of $38.53 be paid. Audit Fee for making up set of Books for Budget. Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr Leap second by Mr McFarland that Mr Augustine Township Commissioners act for year of 1936. Motion Carried.

Question on awarding Contract for Insurance on International Truck was postponed until May 7th When special meeting is to be held to award Contract - Motion by Mr Bassara second by Mr Green motion Carried

Motion by Mr Leap second by Mr Green that $50.00 be paid to J. J. Passoff Auditor for Leon Dages - motion Carried.

Letter read by Mr
from Mr McDonald re reference to
settlement of Cost of appealing Case against
Secretary.-

Motion by Mr Bassara second
by Mr Green that Committee be appointed
to see Mr McDonald.
Mr Schmidt Solicitor Mr Bassara
and Mr Green appointed by Mr Augustine
Motion Carried

Motion by Mr Green second
by Mr McFarland that Chair be
declared Vacant.
Aye + Nay Vote called for by Chairman
Mr Bassara Not Voting
Mr Green aye Mr Leax aye Mr McFarland aye
Motion Carried

Motion by Mr Green second
by Mr McFarland that Mr Bassara
be nominated for Chairman
Motion Carried

Motion by Mr Green second by
Mr Leax that nominations be closed
no other nominees - Mr Bassara
declared elected - Chair taken
by Mr Bassara

Resolution passed by
the Board that Road taxes be
paid in Four instalments.

Motion by Mr Leax second by Mr Green
that Warrant be drawn for $24 3 10 for payment
of Lewis School Board to be billed
for one half of amount.
Motion Carried

Resolution passed by Mr Leax
by Mr McFarland that Little Bank &
Trust Co be notified to accept Mr
Michael Bassara signature as one of
the Board

attention of the Board was called
by Mr O'Brien as that he had issued no
permits for year of 1936. for Peddlers or
Hxters, Instructed by Board to notify
Police.

Motion by Mr Green second by
Mr Leax that next regular meeting be
postponed to January 4th to allow Mr O'Brien
time to attend State Convention of Township
Commissioners at Philadelphia
Motion Carried.

Resolution by Mr Green second by
Mr Leax that Board go on record
of accepting Rock Glen as part of
Wilkins Township.
Carried

Motion by Mr Leax second by
Mr McFarland that meeting adjourn
Motion Carried

John G. O'Brien
Secy.

May 7th 1936

Wilkins Township Fire Co #1

Special Meeting of the Board of Commissioners called to order at 9 P.M. - to award Policy for Insurance on Dump Truck

Roll Call. Present Mr Bassara Mr Leax Mr. Mc Farland.
absent Mr Augustine Mr Green

Policies read from Mc. Donald Realty Co. & Wagner Realty Co. received and read. Both policies covering a premium of $90.00 for $10,000 Liability and $500.00 property for 1½ Ton International Dump Truck.

Moved by Mr Leax and Second by Mr Mc Farland that secret ballot be taken. motion Carried.

Result of Ballot
Mc Donald Realty Co. Rec'd 1 Vote
Wagner Realty Co. " 2 Votes
neither received majority 2 Votes necessary to cast 2nd Ballot

Result of 2nd Ballot
Mc Donald Realty Rec'd. 0 Votes
Wagner Realty Co. " 3 Votes
Policy awarded to "Wagner Realty Co

Moved by Mr Leax Second by Mr Mc Farland that meeting adjourn
Motion Carried

John G O'Brien
Secy.

May 18-1936

Wilkins Township Fire Co #1

Special meeting at the call of the President for the purpose of making resolution to pay of Bonds from Sinking Fund #1.

Resolution moved by Mr Leax and seconded by Mr. Mc Farland that the following resolution be adopted.

Whereas, the School Employees Retirement Board of the State of Penna. have agreed to surrender for Redemption on June 1st 1936. Two $1000.00 Bonds of Wilkins Township. 5.6% Road improvement Bonds which would mature on April 1st 1937 on a 2.50% basis making the total necessary to redeem these Bonds as of June 1st 1936 $2071.81. and

Whereas the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township have levied and assessed for the year 1936. the sum of $3500.00 for the Redemption of Bonds of this issue, which moneys will not be deposited in Sinking Fund #1, until same have been Collected by the Tax Collector and.

Whereas. there is sufficient money in Sinking Fund #2 which is on deposit in the Turtle Creek Bank and Trust Co bearing no interest and

Whereas. Should the offer of redemption of the Retirement Board not be accepted these Bonds would have cost the Township of Wilkins on the date of maturity. Namely April 1st 1937 the sum of $2112.00 representing $2000.00 face Value of the Bonds and interest of $112.00 and

Whereas. by redeeming the said Bonds as of June 1st 1936 the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township will save the Township the sum of $40.19 and

Whereas, it is the policy of the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township to secure all possible saving for its Citizens.

Now therefore, be it resolved, that in Special Meeting assembled at the call of the President this Monday evening May 18th 1936 the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township Allegheny Co, Penna do hereby agree that the offer of the School Employes Retirement Board for Redemption on June 1st 1936 of $1060 of Wilkins Township 5.6% Road Improvement Bonds which would have matured on April 1. 1937 be accepted on a 2.50% plus two months accured interest making the redemption value as of June 1st 1936 the sum of $1071.61. The President of the Board of Commissioners, the Secretary and the Treasurer of the Township are hereby authorized to draw a warrant on Sinking Fund No. 2 for the sum necessary to replenish the sum of money now in Sinking Fund #1 In Order that this Resolution may be carried into effect and deposit said Warrant in Sinking Fund #1 and the Treasurer is further instructed to retain from Taxes Assessed and collected for Sinking Fund #1 a sum of money equivalent to the Warrant just referred to and deposit same to the credit of Sinking Fund #2. The Turtle Creek Bank and Trust Co., Depository is hereby instructed to receive said Bonds for redemption on June 1st 1936. and Charge the Amount Paid for same against the moneys on deposit in Sinking Fund #1 on June 1st 1936

Enacted as a resolution of the Board of Township Commissioners of Wilkins Township in a Special Meeting this 18th day of May 1936.

Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township

Motion by Mr. Lenz Seconded by Mr. Jackson to Adjourn

John G. O'Brien, President

Michael Bassara, Secretary

WARRANTS PAID IN MAY-1936

1359	HARTSTEIN HARDWARE Co.	SUPPLIES FOR ROAD.	$41.00
1360	HOSACK, SPECHT, SONNIFER & WOOD	BUDGET BOOKS.	38.53
1361	DUQUESNE LIGHT Co.	LIGHT. FIRE Co.	6.12
1362	UNION FILLING STATION.	GAS & OIL FOR ROAD WORK	18.69
1363	TURTLE CREEK BANK & TRUST Co.	INTEREST ON DEBT.	16.67
1364	UNION RAILROAD Co	ASHES.	84.63
1365	THOS. J. KIRKPATRICK	AUDIT SERVICES.	70.00
1366	JAMES. WATT.	" "	70.00
1367	JOSEPH. TOMASIC.	" "	70.00
1368	A. PARK. DIBLER -	ADVERTISING ORD #122	21.60
1369	WILLIAM J. TIERNEY.	REPAIR FIRE TRUCK	2.85
1370	LAWRENCE HARDWARE Co.	ROAD. SUPPLIES	1.90
1371	SOMERS FILTER & TODD Co	PUMP FOR FIRE TRUCK.	4.88
1372	McCLINTOCK & WELSCH LUMBER Co.	ROAD SUPPLIES	12.98
1373	MINE & SAFETY APPL. Co	REFILL FOR SAFETY KIT.	12.61
1374	QUINCY. GREEN.	ATTENDING COUNTY COMM. MEETING.	4.40
1375	JOSEPH E. AUGUSTINE	" " " "	4.40
1376	JOHN G. O'BRIEN	" " " "	4.40
1377	JOHN. G. O'BRIEN.	TRANSCRIBING ORDINANCES	15.00
1378	MICHAEL. BASSARA.	ATTENDING COUNTY COMM MEETING	4.40
1379	W.W. MILLER	GAS & OIL FOR FIRE TRUCK.	6.67
1380	PROTHONOTARYS. OFFICE ENTRY FEE	LIEN. TAXES	243.50
1381	PAUL. LEAX.	WAGES FOR APRIL 16 & 30.	49.80
1382	Mc CLINTOCK & WELSCH. LUMBER Co.	ROAD SUPPLIES.	123.82
1383	TURTLE BANK & TRUST Co.	REDEEMING OF BONDS.	1307.46
1384	JOS. AUGUSTINE	WAGES FOR 2nd QUARTER	25.00
1385	MICHAEL BASSARA	" " " "	25.00
1386	QUINCY GREEN	" " " "	25.00
1387	JOHN LEAX	" " " "	25.00
1388	WM Mc FARLAND	" " " "	25.00
1389	JOHN. G. O'BRIEN	" " " "	75.00
1390	THEO. H. SCHMIDT	" " " "	100.00
1391	PAUL LEAX	" " " "	52.80

June 8th 1936
Wilkins Twp Fire House
Regular meeting of the Board of Comm
Called to order at 8:00 P.m
Roll Call. Present. Mr Bassara
Mr Augustine Mr Leax Mr Mc Farland
& Mr Green

Reading of the minutes of regular meeting and two special meetings approved as Corrected

Mr Augustine requested that question as to why the Board was paid in advance of June 1st be placed on minute book.

Mr Augustine questioned the acceptance of Rock Glen plan as party Wilkins Twp. and as to who would be responsible for future upkeep. Wilkins Twp or Mr Novoskie.

Angelotti & Bagaue Engineers Bill for $710.20 ~~paid~~ Read and questioned by the Board Motion by Mr Mc Farland seed by Mr Leax that bill be paid in full. Aye & Nay Vote called by the President. Mr Bassara aye. Mr Augustine aye Mr Leax aye. Mr Mc Farland aye. Mr Green Nay, Comm

Mr Newman Supt of W P A projects asked for the floor and explained the W P A plans for Balance of year of 1936. and asked for full Cooperation from the Board of Comm. and the Citizens. A Vote of thanks was extended Him by Mr Augustine & Mr Bassara

Moved by Mr Green Sec by Mr Leax that recessed meeting be held June 22nd to appoint Supervisor Motion Carried

Moved by Mr Green Sec by Mr Leax that Vice Chairman be nominated - Motion carried.

Mr Green nominated by Mr Leax
Mr Leax Nominated by Mr Green
Mr Green declared nomination Often accepted

Moved by Mr Leax Sec by Mr Mc Farland that nominations be closed Motion Carried

Moved by Mr Leax Sec by Mr Mc Farland that Secretary cast Vote for Election of Vice Chairman. Motion Carried.

Vote Cast for Mr Green by the Secretary and Mr Green declared elected Vice President

Resolution by Mr Mc Farland Sec by Mr Green that $300.00 be transferred from budget # 103-I to 107-ES to take Care of additional expense for Fire So. Motion Carried

Mr Green called attention of the Board that several buildings were being erected in the Township for which no Building Permits were issued. Secretary instructed to notify Mr Shaffer Building inspector and Jas Hunt to make report at June 22nd Meeting

Moved by Mr Green Sec by Mr Leax that Tractor be repaired and Supervisor of Roads be instructed to get necessary parts - aye & Nay Vote Called for by the President. Mr Bassara aye Mr Augustine not voting Mr Leax aye Mr Mc Farland aye. Mr Green Nay. Motion Carried

Mr Spirk asked the Board if something could be done to curb speeding and reckless driving on Larimer Ave Secretary instructed to notify Highway Patrol.

Mr Augustine asked that word be put on minute book that He received His salary at the regular meeting Mr Leax & Mr Mc Farland stated that they had not yet cashed their warrants

Moved by Mr Green Sec by Mr Mc Farland that Bill for $56.40 for entering of Dax Lien be paid. Motion Carried. Mr J. F. Kasony.

Question on 500 ft of Fire Hose purchased from Penrose Rubber Hose Co as to whether we received the last grade of Hose. Secretary instructed to get in touch with Hose Co at once.

Motion by Mr Green seconded by Mr Leax that the treasurer Mr Bodewin Bond be the same for 1936 as in 1935 on $1/1000 ea. Aye & nay Vote called for by the President. Mr Augustine not Voting Mr Bossara aye Mr Leax aye Mr Mc. Farland aye Mr Green aye. Motion carried.

Meeting recessed until June 22nd.

June 22nd - 1936

Continuation of recessed meeting of June 8th

Called to order at 8 PM

Roll Call. Present Mr Bossara Mr Augustine Mr. Leax. ~~Mr Mc. Farland~~ Late Mr Green. Mr Mc. Farland absent.

Motion by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax that all bills properly approved be paid. Motion Carried

Motion by Mr Green seconded by Mr Leax that Meeting be recessed until June 27th for order to Read. Ordinance #123 for 1st & 2nd time Motion carried

Secretary instructed to notify Genoa Water Co to raise Fire Hydrant on Wallace ave.

Motion by Mr Leax seconded by Mr Green that Secretary be ~~instructed~~ to notify Mr Hannibal that He wish to recognize Mr Green as Contact man for Wilkins Sup. Aye & nay Vote called for by President. Mr Bossara aye Mr Augustine not voting Mr Leax aye Mr Mc. Farland aye Mr Green aye

Motion Carried

Secretary instructed by the Board to notify Board of Managers of Church Hill Cemetary that there would be no change of Grade on Harrison Road.

June 27th 1936

Continuation of recessed meeting of June 22nd Fire Co #1.

Meeting Called to order at 7:50 PM by the President

Roll Called Mr Bossara. Mr Augustine Mr Leax. Mr Mc. Farland Mr Green

Motion by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax that ordinance be read for 1st time

Motion Carried.

Ordinance #123 read 1st time by Mr Schmidt for 1st time

Motion by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Green that ordinance #123 be accepted as read for 1st time - motion carried

Motion by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Green that Ordinance #123 be read for 2nd time - Motion Carried.

Ordinance #123 read by Mr Schmidt read for 2nd time

Motion by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Green that Ordinance #123 be accepted as read for 2nd time motion carried

Motion by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax that Angelotti & Bayne Engineers be notified to proceed with work on ~~not~~ a project

Motion Carried

Motion by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax that Board buy ~~society~~ Hats for Fire Depts. and that President be given be given the authorization to sign Contract for same

Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr Augustine
Seconded by Mr Leap that meeting
adjourn motion Carried.

Bills Paid in June - 1936

1392	PAUL. LEAP. WAGES FOR MAY. 18th to 29th	$48.00
1393	J.J. KASSAUF. ENTERING OF LIEN. TAX	$56.40
1394	KELLYS. GARAGE. TRUCK. REPAIR.	3.00
1395	BECKWITH. MACHINERY. CO.. TRACTOR. PARTS.	5-50
1396	A. PARK. DIBLER. PRINTING AUDITOR. REPORT	34-70
1397	PENNA WATER. CO. WATER. FOR. FIRE HOUSE	6.00
1398	(Void)	
1399.	WM J. TIERNEY. TRUCK. REPAIR.	.60
1400	TURTLE. CREEK. WELDING SHOP. TRACTOR. REPAIR.	8.50
1401	CRAWFORD & PEPPER. COAL. FOR. FIRE HOUSE	10.56
1402	MILLER. SERVICE. STA. GAS & OIL FOR. FIRE TRUCK	8.60
1403	HARTSTEIN HARDWARE. CO. SUPPLIES FOR ROAD	24-70
1404.	McCLINTOCK & WELSCH. LUMBER. CO ROAD. SUPPLIES.	82.41
1405	TRI. BORO. SUPPLY. ROAD. SUPPLIES.	96.01
1406	HARTSTEIN HARDWARE. CO. ROAD. SUPPLIES.	25-10
1407	TURTLE. CREEK. AUTO. PARTS. TRUCK. PARTS.	11-04
1408	(Void)	
1409	MINER. SAFETY. APPLIENCE. REFILL. SAFETY. UNITS.	12.00
1410.	GENERAL. FIRE HOSE. CO. HOSE.	432.00
1411	TURTLE. BANK & TRUST. CO.. INT. ON. DEBT.	17.22
1412	TURTLE. BANK & TRUST. CO. SAFETY. DEPOSIT BOX.	11.00
1413	JOHN. WEBER. SALARY. FOR. 2nd QUARTER.	45-00
1414	ROBERT. SMITH. " " " " & STAITONARY.	19.55
1415	JOHN. G. O'BRIEN. STAITONARY & STAMPS.	5.57
1416	PAUL. LEAP. WAGES. FROM. JUNE 1st to 15th	52.80
1417	DUQUESNE LIGHT. CO. LIGHT. FOR. FIRE HOUSE	6.53
1418	ANGELOTTI & BAYNE. ENG. SERVICES.	710-20
1419.	B. T. ELLIOT. CO. BLUE PRINTS	2.85
1420	UNION. FILLING STA. GAS & OIL FOR TRUCK	98.71
1421	BECKWITH MACHINERY. CO.. PARTS. FOR. TRACTOR.	2.25
1422	CHAS. E.. HOLMES. REPAIR FIRE TRUCK	42.88
1423	VALLEY. AUTO WRECKER. " " "	51.00
1424	HARTSTEIN HARDWARE. PARTS. FOR. FIRE TRUCK	6.62

July 6th 1936

Franklin. Fire House.

Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Twp. called to order at 7:30 PM by the President.

Roll. Call - Present Mr Bassara Mr Augustine Mr Leap Mr McFarland absent. Mr Green

Minutes of ~~Special~~ Regular and Recessed meeting Read. and approved as read.

Report of Committees

Finance. Mr Leap. Progress

Water & Light. Mr McFarland Progress

Fire & Police. Mr Augustine Progress

Road. Mr Green. not Present

Mr Augustine requested that $50 00 be appropriated for Gas & Oil for Fire Trucks.

Mr Augustine asked the Commissioners to keep on lookout for Furnace for #1 Fire Co.

Mr Augustine questioned the use of Red dog now being put on Roads that are going to be Rebuilt

Reading of Current Bills

Moved by Mr Augustine Seconded by Mr Leap that Bills be paid when properly approved. Motion Carried

Ordinance #123 read for third time.

Moved by Mr Augustine Seconded by Mr Leap that Ordinance #123 be accepted as read. Motion Carried

Mr Augustine suggested that Commissioners hold meeting to talk over the question of floating short payment Bonds to cover payment of Artman Coal, Water Bills and any other debts.

Mr Bossara instructed the secretary to get in touch with Mr Green in regards to Road purpose, on Wallace Jar Clamps to be used. Motion

Mr Snyder questioned the posting of Speed Signs. thruout Township.

Mr Schmidt requested that Ordinance on Speed Limit and permits

Moved by Mr Augustine seed by Mr Leax to adjourn. motion Carried.

July 13th 1936

Township Office

Special meeting called by the President Mr Bossara in Regard to accepting Scout Car for Fire Dept

Roll Call. Present Mr Bossara Mr Augustine Mr Leax. Mr McFarland.

Absent. Mr Green

Moved by Mr Augustine that Service Truck be accepted by the Township with no expense other than Insurance and Gas & Oil until same has been fully rebuilt and put in first class Condition. and by Mr Leax Mc, J motion carried

Motion by Mr Augustine seed by Mr Leax that Commissioners get together at the Secretarys home Sat July 25th to talk over Finance motion Carried.

Moved by Mr Augustine seed by Mr Leax that insurance for the Service Truck be given to Mr Wagner motion carried.

Moved by Mr Augustine seed by Mr McFarland that Meeting adjourn motion carried

Bills Paid in July. 1936.

1425	PAUL LEAX - WAGES. JUNE 16th - 30th	52.80
1426	McDONALD REALTY Co. FIRE INS - TRUCK	100.00
1427	WAGNER REALTY Co " " " "	150.00
1428	HARTSTEIN HARDWARE.	20.65
1429.	TRI. BORO. SUPPLY.	26.21
1430	McCLINTOCK & WELSCH.	79.61
1431	BECKWITH. MACH. Co.	12.45
1432	CHAS. E. HOLMES.	3.00
1433	J. R. QUEEN.	23.25
1434	TURTLE BANK & TRUST Co.	16.67
1435	VOID.	
1436	DUQUESNE LIGHT Co.	3.87
1437	MILLER SERVICE.	3.04
1438	PAUL LEAX. WAGES. JULY 1st to 15.	48.00
1439	RUTTER BROS. LUMBER Co. MAN HOLES.	90.00
1440.	MINER SAFETY APPLIANCE Co.	18.70
		648.25

Aug 3rd - 1936

Franklin Fire Co

Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Twp called to order at 7:45 PM by Mr Green Vice Pres.

Roll Call

Present - Mr Green Mr Augustine Mr Leax Mr Mc Farland

Absent Mr Bozzaro

Reading of regular meeting of July 6th & Special meeting of July 13th - Approved as Corrected

Reports of Committee

Finance - Mr Leax Progress
Claim. Mr Leax None
Fire Robin Mr Augustine Progress
Road. Mr Green Progress
Water & Light Mr Mc Farland Progress

Motion by Mr Leax Seed by Mr Mc Farland that Mr Augustine be given permission to buy and install furnace in #1 Fire house
Motion Carried

Motion by Mr Augustine Seed by Mr Leax that 200.00 be Transfered from Building Fund to Material & Supplies for New Buildings

Mr Bettger Valley planning asso. talked to the Board in regard to Water Shed which is to be Constructed in Conjunction with North Braddock Boro & Chalfont Boro. Mr Bettger was instructed to report to North Braddock & Chalfont Boro that

Wilkins Twp would Cooperate with them and do their Phase of the Work that had to be done in Connection with this project. this was made as a motion by Mr Augustine Seed by Mr Leax
motion Carried

Reading of Bills

Motion by Mr Augustine Seed by Mr Mc Farland that all bills be paid when properly approved - motion Carried

Motion by Mr Augustine Seed by Mr Mc Farland that Bill for $50.00 from Mr Hutchinson be paid
motion Carried

Motion by Mr Augustine Seed by Mr Leax that regular meeting of September be postponed until Sept 14th on Account of Labor Day being the First Monday of the Month
Motion Carried

Motion by Mr Augustine Seed by Mr Leax that Mr Boyne get in touch with Mr Hopkins on Collingdale Ave Sewer Project.

Motion by Mr Leax Seed by Mr Augustine that Meeting adjourn
Motion Carried

John G. O'Brien
Secy.

Sept 5th 1936

Franklin Twp. House

Special meeting at the call of the President on Road Supervisors

meeting called to order by the Pres. at 7:00 pm

Present Mr Bassara Mr Green Mr Augustine Mr McGarland.

Mr. Leax late

Bids for road purpose from The Lake Asphalt & Petroleum Co. Southern Asphalt Co & Universal Bituminous Road Co. read.

Prices quoted by Lake Asphalt Co. .09 per gal

Southern Asphalt Co. .0875 " "

Universal Bituminous Co .095 " "

Motion by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax that Southern Asphalt Co be given Contract

Carried

Resolution by Mr Green seconded by Mr Augustine that we buy material to surface Powell St to Wallace and to Rebecca

Motion Carried.

Resolution by Mr Green seconded by Mr Augustine that material be bought to surface Rebecca St from Greensburg Pike to Ridge St.

Motion carried.

Motion by Mr Green seconded by Mr Leax that ashes be placed in Large holes in places where the mud have to used this Winter.

Motion carried

Motion by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax that meeting adjourn carried

John J. Green
Secy

WARRANTS PAID AUG. 1936

1441	UNION FILLING STA.	37-84
1442	PAUL LEAX WAGES JULY 16 TO 30	57-60
1443	HARTSTEIN HWD. CO.	9-30
1444	TURTLE GREEN AUTO PARTS.	1-90
1445	ANGELOTTI & BAYNE.	138-00
1446	STAR PRINTING CO.	48-20
1447	MILLER SERVICE STA.	10-71
1448	ALEX HUTCHINSON	50-00
1449	A.L. RAYGLAY	10-62
1450	B.H. GOODWIN	2.50
1451	PENNA WATER CO.	12.88
1452	MRS. JNO. EDWARDS.	23.82
1453	DUQUESNE LIGHT CO	1.17
1454	UNION FILLING STA.	73.07
1455	McCLINTOCK & WELSCH CO.	159-70
1456	A. PARK DIGLER	11-50
1457	MINES SAFETY APPLIANCE CO	13-19
1458	PAUL LEAX WAGES AUG 3 TO 14	52-20
1459	JOS. AUGUSTINE SALARY 3RD QUARTER	25-00
1460	QUINCY GREEN " " "	25-00
1461	JOHN LEAX " " "	25-00
1462	WM McFARLAND " " "	25-00
1463	M. BASSARA " " "	25-00

Sept 14th 1936

Franklin Fire House

Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners. Wilkins Twp. Called to order 7.40 pm by the President Mr Bassara

Roll Call

Present Mr Bassara. Mr Green Mr Augustine. Mr Leax. Mr Mc Farland

Reading of Bills.

Moved by Mr Green secd by Mr Augustine that all bills be paid when properly approved. (Carried)

Report of Committees

Road. Mr Green. Road Condition

Finance. Mr Leax. Progress.

Claims Mr Leax. None.

Fire & Police Mr Augustine - Question on Firemans for Fire Sec #1. held over until next Meeting for more Bids.

Water & Light. Mr Mc Farland. Progress.

Moved by Mr Augustine secd by Mr Mc Farland that Board of health salaries be paid. Carried

Moved by Mr Green secd by Mr Augustine that Angelotti & Bruno Bill for $2.62 cts for Month of August be paid (Carried)

Moved by Mr Leax secd by Mr Green that Bill of $63.50 be paid Mr Kossow for preparing 127 Assessments and Certificates for revising of taxes for year of 1931. (Carried)

Moved by Mr Green secd by Mr Augustine that Bill of $12.75 be paid to Mr Fresher Prothonotary for revising Lease taxes for year of 1931. Carried

Mr Pettigo Valley planning asst given floor to show plans for catch basin to be installed by Wilkins Twp. Chalfont & North Braddock Boro. It was agreed by the Board to have meeting arranged with all Concerned.

Moved by Mr Augustine secd by Mr Leax that Mr Chattos be recognized as police officer for Board of Health. (Carried)

At the suggestion of Mr Smith Secy of the Board of Health. Mr Ross Palermo was Nominated as member of the Board of Health to serve the unexpired term of Mr Chattos - no other nominations nomination closed - Ballot. cast by Secretary. Mr Palermo declared elected as member of Health Board.

Letter read from Business research of Pittsburgh in regard to building permits issued. for month of July. - Moved by Mr Augustine Secd by Mr Green - that Secretary Notify Mr Shoffer - Building Inspector to make report to - Board at the next regular meeting (Carried)

Moved by Mr Augustine secd by Mr Green that $4.50 cts appropriated for interest on Hartman judgment be paid to allow Hartman to pay taxes due Wilkins Twp. (Carried)

Moved by Mr Leax secd by Mr Mc Farland that garage be rented for purpose of keeping tools. (Carried)

Moved by Mr Augustine secd by Mr Green that Board pay for water used by men working on W.P.A Projects Carried

Per advise of the Solicitor Mr Schmidt. It was moved by Mr Green seconded by Mr Leax. that resolution made at special Meeting of Sept 5th to give Contract for Surfacing 7 Roads to Southern Asphalt Co be struck from the Books. (Carried)

Moved by Mr Leax seconded by Mr McFarland that Beds be advertised for Material for the Surfacing Roads.

Carried.

Motion by Mr Green seconded by Mr Leax to adjourn.

Carried

Sept. 24th. 1936.

Turtle Creek. Boro Building.

Special Meeting at the call of the President. with Turtle Creek Boro Council in regard to Chlorination of sewer

Present. The Bossaras. Mr Green. Mr Leax.

Mr Black. Turtle Creek Council reported that their Committee had agreed to let Wilkins Twp. Tap on Boro Sewer. under the following Conditions.

1st That no Conductor or Surface water was to be connected in Sewer ~~to be~~ Sanitary Sewer only to be tapped.

2nd that $200 ea tap charge was to be made.

3rd. That $1 ea per month per each tap was to be made. this includes 2 houses on Chlorston ave and 5 houses on McC. Masters ave.

4th. That 1 ct per minute will be ~~charged~~ for any additional taps made on Sewer.

5th. That the proposed plan would go into effect when the Wilkins Twp Board of Commissioners would accept the full responsibility to accept all Bills and Damages for same. as the would not do any Business with Property Owners.

6th. That there would not be any further charge for keeping sewer open or repairing same. the Turtle Creek Boro would accept full charge of sewer.

This plan was agreed to by the Council as a whole.

Mr Bossara addressed the Turtle Creek Council and agreed to take matter up with the Board of Commissioners at the next Regular Meeting and report back to Council the final agreement reached.

John. G. O'Brien
Secy.

WARRANTS. PAID. SEPT. 1936

1464	THEO M. SCHMIDT.	100.00
1465	JOHN G. O'BRIEN	75.00
1466	PAUL. LEAX.	52.80
1467	TURTLE BANK & TRUST. So	34.44
1468	ANGELOTTI, WAYNE	262.00
1469	J.J. TASSOUF	63.50
1470	WM H. FRAZER.	127.00
1471	O GREEN	4.40
1472	M. BASSARA.	4.40
1473	J.G. O'BRIEN.	4.40
1474	THEO M. SCHMIDT.	4.40
1475	UNION FILLING STA	63.14
1476	KELLEYS GARAGE	.75
1477	JOHN J. WEBER.	15.00
1478	T. CHATTLOS.	30.00
1479	T. SMITH.	20.15
1480	JOHN G. O'BRIEN.	13.40

1481	Kovach. Bros.	1.44
1482	W. J. Tierney	4.65
1483	Pullens Pharmacy	5.40
1484	Star Printing Co	9.50
1485	Paul Leax	48.00
1486	Turtle Auto Parts.	.95
1487	Penn. Water Co.	29.67
1488	" "	13.25
1489	Beckwith Mach. Corp.	3.36
1490	Hartman Close	450.00
1491	John Sivac.	3.00
1492	M. Milewski	2.00

Oct 5th 1936

Franklin Fire House

Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Twp. called to Order by the President 7.45 P.M.

Roll Call

Present Mr Bassara. Mr Augustine Mr Leax Mr Mc Farland.

Mr Green Late

Reading of Minutes of Regular & Special Meeting. Moved by Mr Augustine Seconded by Mr Leax that minutes be approved as read. Carried.

Moved by Mr Augustine Seconded by Mr Leax that all Bills be paid when properly approved. Carried.

Moved by Mr Augustine Seconded by Mr Leax that Angelatta & Bayne Bill for $180 00 for month of Sept be paid. Carried.

Moved by Mr Green Seconded by Mr Augustine that Board of Comm agree to pay 200 00 toppeing charge and .25 per top per month for connecting Ellington Ave Sewer to Swith Creek Boro-Sewer. if State will agree to let Township top on Said Sewer - (Carried.)

Moved by Mr Green Seconded by Mr Leax that previous motion to pay for Top on Ellington Ave sewer be reconsidered and referred to Finance Comm for further consideration Carried

Reading of Bid for Road surface.

Two Bids were received
one from Southern Asphalt Co. for
at a price of .0895 per gallon in Tank
Car Lots of 6000 gallons. Mr Myers.
Rep.

Bid read from Universal
Bituminous Roads Co. at price of .0950
per gallon in Tank Car Lots of 6000
gallon. Mr J.B. Warden Rep.

Moved by Mr Augustus
Seed by Mr Green that Contract for
Road Surface be given to Southern
Asphalt Co. with the understanding
that Contract will become void if
WPA work should stop (Carried)

Moved by Mr Green
Seed by Mr Leax that Mr Augustus
Purchase the Mellow Warm air
Furnace and have same installed
at once (Carried)

Report of Committees

Road	Mr Green	Progress
Fire & Police	Mr Augustus	Progress
Finance	Mr Leax.	Progress.
Claims	Mr Leax.	Filed
Water & Light	Mr Mc Farland.	Progress.

Moved by Mr Green seed
by Mr Augustus that old
Furnace now in Frogs House be
Sold to Mr Paul Leax for
$15.00 (Carried)

Moved by Mr Green seed
by Mr Leax. that Garage Truck be
advertised for sale and Bids used
at the next regular meeting
(Carried)

moved by Mr Green seed
by Mr Augustus that 20 ft alley running
off Rear St. be hereafter known as East alley
carries.

Moved by Mr Green seed
by Mr Leax. that office of Building
inspector be declared vacant due to
Mr Shaffer present inspector not performing
his duty properly and not reporting to
Board after they had notified him to
~~do same~~ to do so. carries.

Moved by Mr Green seed
by Mr Leax that office of Building inspector
be declared vacant. (Carries)

Moved by Mr Green seed
by Mr Augustus that application
for Building inspector be received
at the next regular meeting
(Carries)

Secretary called attention of the
Board in regard to Contract of Safety
Helmets for the Fire Dept. with Mr Schultz
although he had been notified that
the Helmets were not here by Oct 1st 1936.
Contract should be cancelled. no word
has been rec'd from him on the Helmets.

Moved by Mr Green seed
by Mr Leax that Contract for Helmets
with Mr Schultz be cancelled. carries

Moved by Mr Green seed
by Mr Leax that Contract for Safety
Helments be given to Mr Phillips
carries

Moved by Mr Augustus
seed by Mr Leax that meeting adjourn
carried

John G O'Brien
Secy

Oct 26th 1936

Franklin Fire House

Special Meeting at the Call of the President Mr Bassara on WPA Projects.

Meeting Called to order at 8 PM by Mr Green Vice Pres

Roll Call

Present Mr Green Mr Augustine Mr Leax - Mr McFarland

Absent Mr Bassara

Motion by Mr Leax Second by Mr Augustine that (5) Safety Belts to be purchased after Finance Comm. approves money for same

Carried

Motion by Mr Augustine Sec by Mr Leax that 25 pairs of safety goggles be purchased after Finance Comm. Approves money for same

Carried

Motion by Mr Augustine Second by Mr McFarland that Bed be purchased for Mr Yukers Brown ave Ext to replace one destroyed by Stone from blasting at Stone quarry ~~for~~ Release of damages is also to be secured

Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr to adjourn

John G O'Brien
Secy

Warrants paid in October 1936

1093	TURTLE CREEK BANK & TRUST CO.	16.67
94	A. PARK. DIBLER	3.00
95	PENNA. WATER. CO.	6.00
96	GENERAL WRECKING. CO	20.00
97	TURTLE CREEK. AUTO. PARTS.	5.72
98	" " " "	1.95
99	DUQUESNE LIGHT. CO.	2.52
1500	MILLER. SERVICE. STATION.	2.65
01	MINE & SAFETY. APPLIANCE	69.66
02	BECKWITH. MACH CO.	6.55
03	McCLINTOCK. & WELSCH.	154.60
04	TURTLE CREEK. WELDING SHOP.	8.50
05	VALLEY AUTO. WRECKERS.	10.00
06	PAUL LEAX.	52.80
07	UNION. FILLING. STATION.	87.24
08	McDONALD. REALTY. CO.	100.00
09	WAGNER. REALTY. CO.	100.00
10	MINE SAFETY APPLIANCE	2.80
11	MILLER SERVICE STA.	7.72
12	HARTSTEIN HARDWARE.	24.89
13	PAUL. LEAX.	52.80
14	ANGELOTTI & BAYNE	180.00

Nov. 2nd 1936

Franklin Fire House

Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Welker Twp.

Meeting called to order by the President at 7:45 P.M.

Roll Call

Present Mr Bassara. Mr Green Mr Augustine Mr Leax absent Mr Mc. Farland.

Reading of the minutes of the Regular meeting and Special meeting of Oct 26th on W.P.A. Projects.

Reading of the minutes of regular meeting and Special meeting

moved by Mr Green second by Mr Augustine that minutes be approved as read. Carried.

Report of Committees

Road. Mr Green Progress.

Fire & Police Mr Augustine - Progress.

Water & Lights Mr Mc Farland. Progress.

Insurance Mr Leax Progress

Claims. Mr Leax - one claim

Mr Yonkers. Paid. 12.22

Reading of Bills.

moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Green that Bills be paid when properly approved. Carried.

Bill for Repair of Fire Trucks for #1 Co. for $100.86 - moved by Mr Leax second by Mr Green that same be tabled for further investigation - Carried

moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Green that Bill from Mer Blakely for swearing of Board of Commissioners & Auditors be paid Carried.

moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Green that Board appoint Building inspector for Balance of 1936 to replace Mr Shaffer (Carried)

application received from Mr Robert Smith for Building inspector

moved by Mr Green second by Mr Augustine that Mr Robert Smith be appointed Building inspector (Carried)

Bids received for sale of Large Trees

1 Bid received from Mr M. Milenski received for 30.00

moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax that Large Trees be sold to Mr Milenski Carried.

Secretary called the attention of the Board that Insurance on two Fire Trucks would be due before next regular meeting

moved by Mr Leax second by Mr Green that Insurance bids be advertised and special meeting be held Nov. 23 - to award Bids for Insurance. (Carried)

moved by Mr Green second by Mr Augustine that 1000 ft of rope be purchased for use at Fires (Carried)

moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Green that oil & alcohol be purchased in Barrel Lots. (Carried)

Citizens again called attention to the Board to have speed signs erected on Greensburg Pike in order to cut down speeding due to danger of Children being hit with Cars going and coming from School. Mr Augustine agreed to take up with County and have signs erected if possible.

Moved by Mr Leap
Second by Mr Augustine that
meeting adjourn. Carried

John J. O'Brien
Secy.

Nov. 23, 1936
Franklin Fire House

Special meeting for the purpose
of awarding Bids for Fire Insurance
of Two Fire Trucks.

Meeting called to order by
the President at 7.30 P.M.
Roll Call
Present Mr Bossara Mr Green
Mr Augustine Mr Leap. Mr McFarland.

The following Bids were received

McDonald Realty Co	total for two trucks	660.	00
Brennan " "	" " " "	660.	00
Jos Elder " "	" " " "	734	00
" " " "	" " " "	632	40

Deductible policy: Township pay first
50 dollars damage.

Wagner Realty Co	total for two trucks.	660	00
C.P. Shirey	" " " "	660	00
C.R. Shirey	" " " "	286	00

This policy to be with Penna Casualty Co
all Bids received were based on
$5000.00 $10000.00 Liability $5000.00 Property
damage. Basis on fleet Rates

Moved by Mr Green second
by Mr Augustine that Insurance be
given to Wagner Realty Co as lowest one of
the Low Bidders. aye & Nay Vote cast for by Pres. Mr Green aye
Mr Augustine aye Mr Leap aye. Mr McFarland aye

Letter read from Mr Smith building
inspector in regards to missing stubs
from permit Books that was turned over to
him from previous Building Inspector
moved by Mr Augustine
second by Mr Green that Mr Smith shall
not be held responsible for missing
stubs.
(Carried)

Report received from Mr Smith
of money Collected as building Inspector
up to date of Nov 23 - and turned over
to Treasurer - total amount Rec'd was 14.50
Mr Bossara. president of the
Board extended Mr Smith a vote of
thanks for his prompt action

The Citizens of District #2 called
to the attention of the Board that as yet there
were no speed limit sign placed on
Greensburg pike, after some discussion
with the Citizens as to the financial Condition
at this time of the year the Board was
unable to buy these signs. The Board
as a whole agreed to appropriate money
to have sign erected as early in
1937 as possible.

Moved by Mr Augustine
Second by Mr Green that Meeting adjourn
Carried
John J. O'Brien
Secy.

WARRANTS PAID IN NOV. 1936

#	1515	PAUL LEAX	52.80
	16	MRS JNO EDWARDS	25.74
	17	TURTLE BANK & TRUST	35.89
	18	CRAWFORD & REPPER	9.13
	19	DUQUESNE LIGHT CO.	8.70
	20	HARTSTEIN MFG CO.	9.46
	21	J. PARK DIBLER	.50
	22	PENN WATER CO.	15.59
	23	TURTLE CREEK AUTO PARTS	7.67
	24	C.P. DORESTAMP	13.00
	25	CHAS E HOLMES	5.15
	26	MILLER SERVICE STATION	6.55
	27	COMMONWEALTH OF PENN'A	146.30
	28	A.H. JOHNSON CO.	151.90
	29	JUDD DRUG CO.	1.00
	30	UNION FILLING STA.	64.87
	31	MINE SAFETY APPLIANCE	31.25
	32	BECKWITH MACH CO	1.24
	33	PAUL LEAX	43.20
	34	Void	
	35	MIKE SIVICK	3.00

Dec 7th 1936

The Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Twp. Held at Franklin Fire House.

Meeting called to order at 7.45 P.M. by the Chmn. Mr Bassara.

Roll Call.

Present Mr Bassara. Mr Augustine. Mr Leax. Mr Green & Mr McFarland.

Due to the absence of Mr O'Brien the Solicitor Mr Johnson acted as secretary.

Minutes of the regular and special meetings held in November were read and approved as read.

Committee Reports.

Road. Mr Green reported progress.

Fire & Police - Mr Augustine reported that Tools & gasoline had been stolen from Township Truck while it was parked in #1 - Fire House. He suggested that the only remedy is to limit keys to Fire House to only certain officials of the Fire Co.

~~Water~~

Water & Light. Mr McFarland. Progress

Finance - Mr Leax. Progress

Claims. Mr Leax reported on claim on Rock Glenn Heaters Due to blasting at the quarry.

The acting secretary then read the Correspondence.

Moved by Mr Augustine and Second by Mr Green that previous action of the Board to pay Mr Blakely the sum of $3.00 for notary fees be modified so that the payment to Him should be $1.00 (motion carried)

Moved by Mr Green seconded by Mr Leax that herbafter any Official or Employee of Wilkins Twp plowing a Paloney, Tile or wagon Shall pay out of his own Funds for the administration of his oath of Office Motion passed.

Moved by Mr Augustine and seconded by Mr Green that Wilkins Twp pay to Mr Elizabeth Dryburg the sum of $2.15 for Water Consumed by the Township in erecting a Well Motion passed.

Moved by Mr Augustine and seconded by Mr Leax that the Statement for Engineering Services rendered by D'Angelette and Bayne in the amt of $150.00 be paid. Motion passed.

Moved by Mr Augustine and seconded by Mr Green that all bills properly O.K'd be paid Motion passed.

The Pres of the Board Mr Bossara then requested of the Citizens present as to whether or not they desired to be heard

Mr Johnson a member of the Franklin Fire Co. request that the Board of Comm. refund to the Wilkins Twp Volunteer Firemans Relief Assn. any money received by the Township from the State. Moved by Mr Augustine and seconded by Mr Leax that a check be drawn for the amount of Money received from the Commonwealth of Penna to the order of Wilkins Twp. Volunteers Firemans Relief Assn (Motion Carried)

Mr Johnson further suggested that there should be an Arrangements whereby the Citizens be notified when rubbish Collections be made

Mr Coates requested that the Street Committee provide ashes for Mortimer ave this request was referred to the Street Committee

Moved by Mr Green seconded by Mr Augustine that refund of $20.00 be made to East Pgh Bldg & Loan assn for reduction of 1936 Taxes Motion carried

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Green to adjourn Carried

Theo. Schmidt
Act Secy
John G. O'Brien
Pres

~~Dec 7 - 1936~~

~~Special Meeting at the call of the President on Budget. Franklin Fire Co #~~

Dec 21 - 1936

Franklin Fire House #,

Special Meeting at the call of the President Mr Bossara for the purpose of checking Budget

Meeting called to order by the President Mr Bossara at 7.55 pm

Resolution by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax that $100.00 be Transferred from Legal expense to cover 10% deficit for Auditors salary for auditing Report of 1935. (Carried)

Resolution by Mr Augustine second by Mr McFarland that $33.38 be transferred from Legal expense to Fire Supplies to Store $33.38 deficit (Carried)

Resolution by Mr Green second by Mr McFarland that $50.00 be transferred to Water fuel & Light to Cover Deficit of $50.00 from Mtd & Supp Carried

Moved by Mr Green seconded by Mr Leax that hereafter any official or employee of Wilkins Twp plowing a paloney, Fire or wages shall pay out of his own Funds for the administration of the oath of Office Motion passed.

Moved by Mr Augustine and seconded by Mr Green that Wilkins Twp pay to Mr Elizabeth Dryburg the sum of $2.16 for Water consumed by the Township in erecting a well Motion passed.

Mr Chester requested that the Street Committee provide ashes for Mortimer ave this request was referred to the Street Committee

Moved by Mr Green seconded by Mr Augustine that refund of $2.50 be made to East Pgh Bldg + Loan Assn for reduction of 1936 Taxes Motion Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Green to adjourn Carried

Theo Schmidt
Asst Secy
John Gaffney

of Wilkins Township was held on Monday evening, December 7, 1936, at the Franklin Fire House, the meeting having been called to order at 7:45 P.M. by the President, Mr. Bassara.

The regular meeting of the Board of Township Commissioners

Upon roll call the following commissioners answered present: Mr. Bassara, Mr. Augustine, Mr. Leax, Mr. McFarland and Mr. Green. Due to the absence of John G. O'Brien, the Solicitor acted as Secretary.

The minutes of the regular and special meeting held in November were read and approved as read.

Committee Reports:

Road--Mr. Green reported progress.

Fire and Police--Mr. Augustine reported that tools and gasoline had been stolen from the Township truck while it was parked at No. 1 Fire House. He suggested that the only remedy is to limit keys to the Fire House to only certain officials of the fire company.

Water and light--Mr. McFarland reported progress.

Finance--Mr. Leax reported progress.

Claims--Mr. Leax reported one claim in the Rock Glen Scottdale section due to blasting at the quarry.

The Acting Secretary then read the correspondence.

It was moved by Mr. Augustine and seconded by Mr. Green that the previous action of the Board to pay to Mr. Blakley the sum of $8.00 for notary fees be modified so that the payment to him should be $5.00. This motion was passed.

It was moved by Mr. Green and seconded by Mr. Leax that hereafter any official or employee of Wilkins Township receiving a salary, fee or wage shall pay out of his own funds for the administration of his oath of office. This motion was passed.

It was moved by Mr. Augustine and seconded by Mr. Green that Wilkins Township pay to Mrs. Elizabeth Dryburgh the sum of $2.16 for water consumed by the Township in erecting a building well. The motion was passed.

It was moved by Mr. Augustine and seconded by Mr. Leax that the statement for engineering services rendered by Angelotti and Bayne in the amount of $150.00 be paid. Motion passed.

Moved by Mr. Augustine and seconded by Mr. Green that all bills properly O.K.'d be paid. Motion passed.

The President of the Board, Mr. Bassara, requested of the citizens present as to whether or not they desired to be heard. Mr. Johnson, a member of Franklin Fire Company, requested that the Board of Commissioners refund to the Wilkins Township Volunteer Firemen's Relief Association any moneys received by the Township from the State. Moved by Mr. Augustine and seconded by Mr. Leax that a check be drawn for the amount of money received from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the order of the Wilkins Township Volunteer Firemen's Relief Association. Motion passed.

Moved by Mr Green seconded by Mr Leax that hereafter any Official or Employee of Wilkins Twp plowing a Palong, Fike or wagg shall pay out of his own Funds for the administration of the oath of Office Motion passed.

Moved by Mr Augustine and seconded by Mr Green that Wilkins Twp pay to Mr Elizabeth Dryburg the Sum of $2.15 for Water Consumed by the Township in erecting a Well Motion passed.

Mr Chatlos requested that the Street Committee provide ashes for Mortimer Ave this request was referred to the Street Committee

Moved by Mr Green seconded by Mr Augustine that refund of $2.50 be made to East Pgh Bldg + Loan Assn for reduction of 1936 Taxes Motion Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Green to adjourn Time

Theo. Schmidt
Sec Pro Tem
John G. Green

Mr. Johnson further suggested that there should be an arrangement whereby the citizens be notified when rubbish collections are to be made.

Mr. Chatlos requested that the Street Committee provide ashes for Mortimer Avenue. This request was referred to the Street Committee.

It was moved by Mr. Leax and seconded by Mr. McFarland that the meeting adjourn. Motion passed.

Theodore H. Schmidt
Acting Secretary

Moved by Mr Augustine
Seconded by Mr Green to Pay $213.00
to Cairns Bros for first lots.
Carried.
Moved by Mr Green seconded
by Mr Augustine to Pay $869.05 to
Southern Asphalt Co for Material furnished
for Road Surface (Carried)
Moved by Mr Augustine
seconded by Mr Green that $8.24 be transferred
from Repairs to Gas Mains to Gas Mains Fund.
Carried
Moved by Mr Mc. Farland
Seconded by Mr Leax that all Insurance due
for 1936 be paid Carried
Moved by Mr Augustine seconded
by Mr Mc. Farland that $256.80 be
transferred from Labor Wages to Engr
Wages to Cover Deficit $256.80.
(Carried)
Moved by Mr Augustine
Seconded by Mr Mc. Farland to transfer
$2036.64 from Laborers wages to
Municipal Garage Material (Carried)
Moved by Mr Green seconded
by Mr Leax that $2.50 be transferred from
Supplies for Board of Health to Secretarys
Salary (Carried)
Moved by Mr Augustine
seconded by Mr Green to have Secretary
to notify Mr Sweeney to proceed with
work on Jewell St (Carried)

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded
by Mr Leax to adjourn. Carried

J. Leo J. O'Brien
Secy

WARRANTS PAID DEC. 1937

1536.	PAUL LEAX.	48.00
1537	J.G. O'BRIEN.	75.00
1538	JOHN LEAX	25.00
1539	JOS. AUGUSTINE	25.00
1540	MICHAEL BASSARA	25.00
1541	QUINCY GREEN.	25.00
1542	WM Mc. FARLAND	25.00
1543	THEO. N. SCHMIOT.	100.00
1544	PAUL LEAX.	5.80
1545.	TURTLE BANK & TRUST CO.	17.22
1546	ANGELOTTI & BAYNE.	150.00
1547	C.D BLAKLEY.	3.00
1548	WILKINS TWP. FIREMANS RELIEF ASSC.	117.29
1549	R.E. CHATLOS	46.00
1550	ROOT. SMITH.	20.35
1551	CAIRNS. BROS.	213.00
1552	SOUTHERN ASPHALT CO.	869.05
1553	HOSA R. SCHIETNER CO	60.00
1554	PENNA. WATER CO	241.49
1555	EAST. PA. BLDG & LOAN. ASSC.	25.85
1556	DUQUESNE LIGHT CO	2.20
1557	HARTSTEIN HWD CO.	43.43
1558	Mc. DONALD REALTY CO.	100.00
1559	KELLYS. GARAGE.	8.00
1560	PEOPLES GAS. CO.	1.40
1561	Void.	
1562	UNION. FILLING STA.	6.15
1563	TURTLE AUTO. PARTS.	1.50
1564	MINERS SAFETY APPLIANCE. CO.	4.50
1565.	JOHN. G. O'BRIEN.	5.23
1566	Mc. CLINTOCK & WELSH. CO.	91.59
1567	PENNA. WATER. CO.	30.72
1568	RAMLAY. LUMBER CO.	3.45

1569	MacELiz. Dry. Burg.	2 16
1570	Wagner Realty Co.	993 41
1571	Tri Boro. Supply Co.	346 85
1572	Al Trevaskis & B.H. Goodwin.	377 21
1573	Mike. Milewski	2 00
1574	Michael Bench.	100 26

Jan. 4th 1937

Wilkins Twp. Fire House #1

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm of Wilkins Twp. called to order by the Pres. Mr Bassara. at 8:15 PM

Present- Mr Bassara, Mr Leax, Mr Augustine Mr Green. Mr McFarland.

Reading of the minutes of the regular & special meeting. appears as Read

Report of Committees

Mr Green- (Roads) Very bad condition

Mr. Augustine (Fire) He reported that special lock had been placed on door of #1 Fire Co. and only members with authority had keys.

Mr. McFarland. (Water) Talked to Water Co. re. unpaid Bills.

Mr Leax- (Finance) Progress

Mr Leax. Claims. (Read)

Reading of Bills

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Green that bills be paid when properly approved.

Correspondence Read

Moved by Mr Leax second by Mr McFarland that secret ballot be taken to elect member to the Board of Health to replace Mr Lashell whose term expires. (Carried)

Result of Election

Mr Vechter Rec'd. 5 Votes

Mr Milewski (None)

Mr Vechter declared elected by the President.

Motion Moved by Mr. Augustine second that all Employees now on payroll remain for Year of 1937 at same wages paid for 1936. Until Budget is made up. (Carried)

Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr Green that Mr Schmidt Solicitor Draw up Ordinance for Pole Tax
(Carried)

Mr Bassara reported that Wallace ave and Cline St Ditches in Bad shape,

Mr Green said that W.P.A men had been instructed to clean drains and to keep same open all Winter, Mr Green said he would take same up with W.P.A.

Mr Bassara reported that Cline St. near Mr Gough house could not be reached with Fire Truck

Mr Bassara asked all members of the Board to attend a joint meeting with Scho School Board at Franklin School Jan 18th. to make some plan to collect old outstanding Taxes

Mr Bassara suggested that when Engineer was called out on the job same he should keep record of how long he was on the job. Mr Augustine said that if we Clubbed Other Townships we would find that we are being over charged.

Moved by Mr Augustine Second Second by Mr Green that Mr Bayne only be employed as Township Engineer and Signature of Algeltte (Carried.)

The President of the Board Mr Bassara then requested of the Citizens present if they wished to be heard.

Letter read that was received by Mr Schmidt, Solicitor from City of Pittsburgh asking all Boroughs & Townships in Allegheny Co. to have a joint interest with City of Pittsburgh in a proposed reorganization of the Pittsburgh Ry Co. to the end that better service and lower Fares can be obtained. Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr Leax that Mr Schmidt Solicitor & Wilkins be given authority to represent Walkins Twp in this matter

The President of the Board. Mr Bassara then requested of the Citizens as to whether or not they wished to be heard.

Mr Jackson reported that old mine had caved in under Clugston Ave and that same should be attended to at once. Road Committee to take care of same, Mr Jackson then asked when Construction work should be started on Clugston Ave, Mr Bassara Pres of the Board advised Mr Jackson that if he could get a Petition from the Residents of Clugston Ave saying that they were satisfied to tear up Road at other time of the year, that he would agree to get work started.

Miss Endres. Church Hill Road, asked Commissioners to alley in rear of her Home She said that road was in very bad shape and that it was almost impossible to get in and out with her automobile Mr Leax Road Supervisor was present and he agreed to take care of same

Mrs. Fiara Complained that no garbage was being collected. Mr Green Chairman of Road Committee advised Mrs Fiara that he collected Cans only.

Mr Green instructed Citizens that Cans would be collected on the 1st & 3rd Thursday of each Month

Mr Chalfant Board of Health Officer reported that he had placed Signs throughout Township advising the dates of Can collection, and said same had old torn down

Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr Leax ~~Seconded by Mr~~ to adjourn. (Carried)

John F O'Brien
Secy

Jan 18th 1937

Special Emergency Finance
Meeting at the Call of the President
Mr Bassara. Held in Franklin
School House.

Resolution by Mr Augustus
Second by Mr Green that note for
$14,000.00 Held by Juncta Creek Bank
and Trust Co. be renewed until
July 1st. 1937. (Carried)

Moved by Mr Green Second
by Mr Leon to adjourn carried

John J O'Brien
Secy

WARRANTS. DRAWN IN JANUARY.

1575 PAUL LEON. 57.60

Feb. 1st. 1937

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm
of Wilkins Wilkins Twp. called to order
by the President. Mr Bassara at 8 PM

Present. Mr Bassara Mr Augustus Mr Green
Mr Leon. Mr Mc Farland.

Reading of minutes of Regular
meeting held Jan 4th. approved as read

Report of Committees
Fire. Mr Augustus. Secretary to notify
Fire Co's not to appoint Have any special
Police sworn this year unless authorized
by the Board
Road. Mr Green - Progress
Water & Light. Progress. Mr Mc Farland
Finance Mr Leon. Progress
Claims Mr Leon. (None)

Moved by Mr Augustus second by
Mr Green that Mr Bayne Eng salary
for Dec & Jan be paid Carried.

Reading of Bills.
Moved by Mr Augustus second by
Mr Mc. Farland. that all bills be paid
when properly approved. (Carried)

Moved by Mr Augustus second
by Mr Green Authorizing Secretary to pay
J J Casey 45.00 and Wm Frankel 102.00
for taking ff. proof reading preparing and
typing of suggestions and Averments.
Carried

Moved by Mr Augustus second by
Mr Green to purchase 8 Bonds from #1
Junking as soon as arrangements can
be made to purchase same Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine
seconds by Mr Green - that Schmidt property
~~taxes~~ Mortgage filed by German Benefit Union
to authorize Mr Schmidt to have same records
Carried

Mr Bassano President of Board then
requested of the Citizens as to whether or
not they wished to be heard.

Mr Allen Commented on the
Condition of the Greensburg pike and
reported that neither County or State
claims the ownership of the Road. the
Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Twp. for
the Benefit of the Tax payers. Should Inquire
into the proper ownership of this Road
and have same repaired as it was in a
very bad Condition and very dangerous
for Travel -

Moved by Mr Green seconds
by Mr McFarland that Secretary write to
County & State Authorities and see what
Can be done to have this Road repaired
Carried

Motion by Mr Augustine seconds by
Mr McFarland that Township to Fire Co
enough Money to pay Mr Peppers taxes
for 1936-1937 Carried

Bids for gasoline opened and read

Only one bid was received this from
Union Filling Station for Penzip gas
Ustar 2½ cents & posted price present
price 19½ ¢ per Gal - penzip Ethyl 2½ ~~Cent~~
¢ posted price - Posted price now 21½ ¢

Moved by Mr Green seconds
by Mr Leax that Bid for gasoline be
given to Union Filling Station. Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by
Mr Augustine to adjourn

John H. Bassano

Ordinance #
an Ordinance of the Township of Wilkins
providing for the inspection of Telegraph
~~Telephone~~ & Light poles, establishing the yearly
fee for said inspection and the date when
fee is payable. read for 1st time
Moved by Mr Augustine seconds
by Mr Leax that ordinance be passed
Carried

Ordinance #
read for second time

Moved by Mr Augustine seconds
by Mr Green that ordinance be passed
Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine
Second by Mr Green that meeting
adjourn.
Carried
John J. O'Brien
Secy

Warrant Paid in Feb-

1576	Paul Leax	Wages for Jan 4 wks	48.00
1577	Union Filling Station	Gas & Oil for Jan	58.90
1578	Turtle Creek Auto Parts	Battery & Hole	8.55
1579	Peter & Paul Mech Service	Repair of Add Mach	3.00
1580	Miller Service Station	Alcahol Fire Co.	1.30
1581	Duquesne Light	Light Fire Co.	9.01
1582	Peoples Gas Co.	Gas Fire Co.	1.00
1583	Mike Sivach	Garage Rent Oct 15 to Jan 15 4 mo	3.00
1584	Mike Milewski	" " " " "	2.00
1585	Mc Donald Realty Co.		30.00
1586	Paul Leax	Wages for Jan 15 to 4 wks	34.00
1587	Jos. Augustine	Salary for Jan & Feb 1937	16.67
1588	Mine & Safety Appliance Co.	Safety Refil	32.69
1589	Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co.	Interest on Debt	17.22
1590	Penn Water Co.	Lowering Fire Hydrant	16.01

1591	GENERAL WRECKING SO.	LUMBER.	40.00
1592	MRS. JNO. EDWARDS.	GAS & OIL FIRE CO	6.38
1593	TURTLE BANK TRUST CO.	SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX	11.00
1594	R.C BAYNE	ENG. SERVICES.	351.00
1595	HOME FURNITURE CO.	BED DAMAGED BLASTING.	12.50
1596	STATE WORKMANS FUND	PAYMENT ON INS.	140.00
1604			

March 1st 1937

Wilkins Twp Fire Co #1

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm. Wilkins Twp. Called to order by the Chrm. Mr Bassara at 8:00 PM.

Roll Call.

Present Mr. Bassara. Mr Green Mr Augustine Mr Leax. Mr McFarland

Reading of Minutes of Regular meeting of Feb. 2nd by the Secretary.

No Corrections minutes approved as Read. by the Chrm. Mr Bassara

Reports of Committees

Road - Mr Green. Progress

Fire Police. Mr Augustine. reports that robberies had been made of Auto. Parts in the 2nd district

Claims. Mr Leax. no claims that was referred to Finance Committee

Finance - Mr Leax. Progress

Water & Light. Mr McFarland. Progress

Reading of Bills by the Secretary.

Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr Green that all bills be paid when properly approved carried

Mr Bassara present at this time asked Mr Gleason & Mr Harman to place there bids before the Board for Speed Signs.

The following prices were quoted by Mr Gleason of East McKeesport

8- Entering and leaving signs @ $4.50 each $ 36.00
50- 20 mile Speed Signs. @ 1.25 each $ 87.50
58- 9 foot posts. @ 1.35 each $ 78.30
Or Total of. $ 201.80

Mr Herman of Signal Service Corp of Cattsburgh Pa. quotes the following price

8. Entering & leaving signs @ 2.50 each. 20.00
50. 20 mile speed limit signs @ 1.65 each. 82.50
58. 11 foot posts @ 1.65 each $ 95.70
Or total Cost of. $ 198.20

Mr Herman also agrees to furnish drivers for driving steel post. and cost was to be ~~2.~~ @ B. East Bgh. Pa

Moved by Mr Green second by Mr Leax. that Contract for Speed signs be given to Mr Herman of the Signal Servic Corp. Carried.

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Green that bill for $ 57.50 to Royal Typewriter Co for Typewriter that has been on Townships possession for 2 years. (Carried)

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax that Warrant be drawn for $146.30 to Commonwealth of Penna for State Tax on Loans. (Carried)

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax bill be paid Star printing Co for $ 27.62 - for Tax Statements & envelopes for use of Tax Collector carried

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax that Warrant be drawn for $ 60.00 to Hassel. Schneringer & Co. for services rendered in preparing and filing report of Loans for year ending December 1936. Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax. that Ordinance # 114 be read for 3rd time by the Solicitor Mr. Schmidt

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Green that 3rd reading of Ordinance # 114 be approved as read. (Carried.)

Mr Schmidt Twp Solicitor after reading a financial report of the sinking Funds advised the Board to issue to Buy $ 1.- 000 Bonds held by State Teachers assc. due from 1938 to 1943, for which the Township are now paying 6-6% interest per year and said if these Bonds were bought in by April 1st 1937. the Board would would save Tax payers of the Township Approx $ 500.00

Resolution by Mr Augustine second by Mr Green that Board start negotiations for the purchase of 1.- Bonds. by April 1st 1937. Carried

Moved by Mr Green second by Mr Augustine that # 10 & 2 sinking fund be combined into one fund Carried

Mr Bassara President of the Board - then asked of the Citizens as to whether or not they wished to be heard

Mrs Borosh Complained of the Condition of Dorthy St. and also of the drains and said that stench from Sewage water was very bad Mr Coates & Mr Smith members of the Board of Health were present and said that would look into Condition of Sewage. - Mr Bassara & Mr Green promised to look into Condition of the Road and waned keep same repaired until Weather Conditions were better, when they intend to start W.P.A. men to Reconstruct Street

Mr Allio Complained that other Boros & Townships were getting Stone from our quarries which were being paid for from Funds. that were awarded to Wilkins Twp. for W.P.A projects and asked the Board of Comm. to take this matter up with W.P.A officials as he thought the Boros & Townships other than Wilkins Twp. Should pay for Stone taken from our quarries;

Mr Green Chairman of the Road Comm. advised that a Meeting was to be held Tuesday morning March 2nd in regard to this matter

Moved by Mr Green Second by Mr Augustine that Secretary Notify Mr Fisher dog catcher that he had the authority to come into Wilkins Township and make a clean up of Stray dogs Carried

Mr Hostaugh Complained that some one was dumping garbage and rubbish on His property, Mr Coates & Mr Smith of the Board of Health were present at Meeting and this matter was reported to them by Mr Bassara Pres of the Board

Mr Smith Secretary of the Board of Health. notified the Citizens that their regular Meeting would be held Sunday morning at 11 am until further notice due to some of their members working night Turns

Moved by Mr Green Second by Mr Augustine that Meeting Adjourn. Carried

John D. O'Brien
Secy.

Warrants Paid. March.

1597	MICHAEL. BASSARA.	SALARY. 1ST. QUARTER.		25.00
1598	QUINCY. GREEN.	" " "		25.00
1599	JOS. AUGUSTINE	" FOR. MARCH. 1937.		8.63.
1600	JOHN. LEAX.	" 1ST. QUARTER		25.00
1601	WM. McFARLAND.	" " "		25.00
1602	JOHN. G. O'BRIEN	" " "		93.75
1603.	THEO. H. SCHMIOT	" " "		125.00
1605.	PAUL. LEAX.	WAGES. FOR. FEB. 15 TO 26.		48.00
1606	MIKE SIVACH.	GARAGE RENT. DEC FEB 15 TO FEB 15TH		6.00
1607	MIKE MILEWSKI	" " " " " "		4.00
1608	CRAWFORD & PEPPER.	COAL FOR. FIRE HOUSES		40 28
1609	DUQUESNE LIGHT. CO.	LIGHT " "		2.19
1610.	PEOPLES. GAS. CO.	GAS " "		1.62
1611	A. PARK. DIBLER.	ADV. BIDS IN GAS.		1.20
1612.	UNION. FILLING STA.	GAS & OIL		59.49
1613	STAR. PRINTING. CO	500 LETTERHEADS		6.15
1614	TURTLE CREEK. AUTO. PARTS.			31 72

1615	Turtle Creek Welding Shop	2.00
1616	Geo & Eva. Richards Settlement on injuries	30.00
1617	Peoples Gas.	4.20
1618	Duquesne Light Co.	3.69
1619	Turtle Creek Auto Parts	6.75
1620	Cole Battery Service	41.50
1621	C.E. Dorenkamp	10.00
1622	Star Printing Co.	18.50
1623	Turtle Bank & Trust Co.	15.56
1624	R.C. Bayne Eng. Services Feb.	45.00
1625	Beckwith Mach. Co.	19.68
1626	Common Wealth of Penna Tax on Loans	146.30
1627	Star Printing Co Statments Tax Collector	27.62
1628	Royal Typewriter Co. Payment on Typewriter	57.50
1629	Hosack Schietinger Filing Report on Loans	60.00
1630	Paul Leax Wages for March 1 at 115th.	80.70

+ Back pay of 5 cents per hr. from Jan 1/37

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March 8th 1937

Wilkins Township Twp Co #1

Special meeting of the Board of Commissioners at the call of the President Mr Bassara. to discuss Twp Insurance and any other Business that may come up

Roll Call.

Present. Mr Bassara Mr Green Mr Augustine Mr Leax Mr Mc Farland

Mr Bassara asked Mr Wagner of Wagner Realty Co. if he thought that we could get more than 10% discount on Insurance.

Mr Wagner agreed to take matter up with the insurance

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Co to see if were possible to write insurance in Wilkins Township for Suburban rates, and advise Board at next regular Meeting

Mr Green advises Board that Engineers on Survey project were asking for 7½ Cents per mile for traveling to their destination. moved by Mr Green second by Mr Leax that no mileage was to be paid by Township. (Carried)

Mr Augustine raised question as to whether we should buy Transit & Equipment for Engineers or rent same Cost of Rental appox $25.00 per month

Mr Bayne agreed to get in touch with Carnegie Tech. and try and borrow instruments from there School.

Mr Green. to see Mr Goodwin as to whether or not instruments could be borrowed from state Office

Mr Bayne agreed to lend the Township 2 drafting tables

Mr Green reported that Tractor & scraper was in very bad Shape and did not think that the were worth repairing them moved by Mr Green second by Mr Leax to have Solicitor draw up agreement and advertise for Bids. Carried.

Mr Bossard raised question on Nat. Youth asst as to whether or not that job who required to be on relief to get work, Mr Augustine to look matter up and advise Board

Mr Bossard raised question on allowing Commissioners Fearline for making inspection tours in Broad and making special trips to Pittsburgh on W.P.A. projects.

Moved by Mr Leax Second by Mr McFarland to adjourn

John D. O'Brien
Secretary

April 5th 1937

Wilkins Township Title So #.

Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners. Called to Order by the President. Mr Bassara at 8 oclock P M

Roll Call. Present Mr Bassara Mr Green. Mr Augustine Mr Leas absent Mr McFarland.

Reading of minutes of meeting of March 1st and special Meeting of March 8th

Minutes approved as read except for Motion made by Mr Green at meeting of March 8th to have Bids advertised on new Tractor. and a motion was made by Mr Green and second by Mr Leas to rescind previous motion of March 8th. Carried

Report of Committees.

Road. Mr Green Progress

Fire Police. Mr Augustine reported that new door was required for #2 Fire House. Mr Augustine to take care of this matter.

Ordinance Mr Leas Progress

Claims Mr Leas. none.

Mr Schmidt presents Claim for $18.25 from Mr Brennan for Cost of paper and Pool Co. filed of record in proceeding of Case vs. Wm Penn. Memorial Corp

Mr Bassara said that W.P.A. officials were complaining that they could not get in touch with Mr. Green present Contact man due to the fact that he was working out of Town on W.P.A. work.

Mr Green said that if it would help the Township he would keep in Contact with them. and tendered his resignation to the Board. Resignation was accepted by Pres of the Board Mr Bassara.

Mr Bassara questioned the Board as to whether or not police protection was furnish any affairs for which we issued permits for Dances or Entertainment—

In answer to the above question the Board does not furnish any police protection, this protection is either furnished by the party renting Hall or by the Lodge holding affair. Secretary to notify Secretary of the Lodge to that effect.

Moved by Mr Green second by Mr Augustine that Secretary advertise for Bids for 10" 12" 15" 18" & 24" Terra Cotta Pipe to be received at next regular meeting on May. 3rd. 1937. Carried

3000 feet.

Mr Bassara asked as to whether or not citizens wished to be heard

Mrs Dennis Dorothy St. reported that drains were not yet cleaned and that water was running of lower side of Street near Mayers property. referred to Mr Green of the road Committee & Mr Dennis of the Board of Health

Mr Blagovich raised question on taxing of light poles. and also complained of condition of Quarry + Saunders St, Mr Blagovich was informed that an Ordinance for payment of tax on poles would go into effect in Welkom from July 1st 37

Mr Berendse reported that manhole was uncovered near Miller property on Mc Masters ave. referred to Road Committee

Mr Brannigan complains that sewer was blocked on Hazel St. due to ties in drain Mr Green said that he thought this sewer was on private property, and that he would investigate same

Mr Jensen of King street asked if would not be possible to get walls built along some of the property on lower side of the Street. Mr Green to investigate.

Mr Jackson asked when they were going to start work on Clugston ave Mr Bassara informed Mr Jackson that just as soon as Harrison road was finished work would start on Clugston ave

Mr Jos Shoulder entered complaint against Mr Paul Lee Road Supervisor and that he did not do any work at all. Mr Lee was not present at meeting and Mr Bassara asked Secretary to notify him to attend all future meetings

Letter read by the Secretary received from the Board of Health and signed by Dr Eden Pres. and Mr Smart Secy. that no cans had been collected on Church Hall road for 3 months and that

the Supervisor was using the Township Truck to go back and forth for dinner and ~~for~~ that make a check of this 3 times per week. Mr Green to investigate.

Report of Communicable diseases for 1st quarter from the Board of Health Read. and received by the Board.

Letter read by the secretary received from the Board of Health stating that Mr Palermo had resigned as member of the Board and asked Board to appoint Mr Milenshic to fill vacant position no action was taken on this letter as the Board of Comm. had not received resignation from Mr Palermo.

Letter of Complaint read by the Secretary received from the Board of Health as to the general condition of most all the Streets in the Township that drains were blocked on most every street. Mr Green Road Supervisor

Mr Brannigan asked Board to investigate the Condition of Washington ave and also to investigate damage of the property due to blasting. Mr Bassara said he would investigate the matter

Mr Chetty Complained of Condition of road and drain near the property.

Reading of Bills.
Moved by Mr Lee seconded by Mr Green to pay when properly approved. Carried

Moved by Mr Green second by Mr Lee to recess meeting until April 1st. Carried

April 19th. 1937

Wilkins Twp Fire House

Continuation of recessed meeting of April 5th.

Roll Call. Present. Mr Bossara Mr Green. Mr Augustine Mr Mc Farland Mr Leax. Called to Order at 8:15 by the President Mr Bossara

Mr Schmidt read ordinance #125 re Budget for 1st time

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax to appear as read Carried

Reading of Ordinance #125. for 2nd time by Mr Schmidt Solicitor

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Mc Farland to appear as read Carried

Letter received from Mr Green asking Board to accept his resignation as Contact man

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax to accept resignation of Mr Green Carried

Moved by Mr Leax second by Mr Mc Farland to nominate Mr Augustine for Contact man for U.P.9.

Mr Augustine nominated by Mr Leax.

No other nominations being received. Mr Bossara declared Mr Augustine elected to fill position as Contact man for Wilkins Twp

Mr Augustine asked letter be sent to road Supervisor to report to him twice per week

Mr Augustine suggested that the Board buy stone from Dukes Hallow quarry

Moved by Mr Mc Farland second by Mr Leax. to buy stone temporary from this quarry

Secretary to notify Mr Hammond Sup of U.P.9 to make drill test for stone on Cobb property

Question re projects for Walls for Wilkins Township. Mr Bossara authorized Mr Augustine to take up this matter with the Officials

Mr Borsovitch raised question as to whether or not he could get enough stone to build wall at his property. Mr Augustine to look into this matter

Mr Langer complains to damage done to his home due to blasting Mr Bossara to investigate

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Green to move all men and Derricks stone except enough to clean up what stone was now down. and no further blasting to be done. Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax. to adjourn Carried

John D O'Brien
Secy.

Warrant paid for Month of April 1937

1633	M. Bassara.	Attended County assn Meeting	4.40
1634	J. Green	" " " "	4.40
1635	J. Augustine	" " " "	4.40
1636	Peoples Gas.	Franchise Fire Co.	5.40
1637	Union Filling Sta.	Gas & Oil for Fire Mach.	80.71
1638	A. Park Dibler.	Ordinances 12 ea.	20.02
1639	Crawford Pepper.	Coal for Fire Co	12.88
1640	Turtle Welding Shop.	Welding Scraper	8.50
1641	Turtle Creek Auto Parts.	Motor Parts	11.09
1642	Penna Water Co.	Water Base Fire Co	6.00
1643	Evaporation & Incorp. Fees.	Municipals	1.65
1644	John. J. O'Brien	Stationery & Stamps 1st Quarter	3.65
1645	John. J. O'Brien	attending County assc Meeting	4.40
1646	Chas. H. Schmidt	" " " "	4.40
1647	Dr. J. D. Trevorkian	Bill for Mr Richards.	10.00
1648	Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co.	Interest for March.	17.22
1649	Peter Eley J. Laws.	exoneration & Deeds	2.25
1650	Paul Leax	Wages for March 15 to 31st	62.40
1651	B.H. Goodin.	attending County assc. Meeting	4.40
1652	Mine & Safety appl. Co.	Goggles & Head Bands.	128.00
1653	G & D Auto Wreckers.	Parts for Auto damaged by blasting	27.00
1654	Water Bill	used by W.P.a.	1.78
1655	Signal Service Corp.	Speed Signs	198.20
1656	Beckwith Mach Co	Tractor Parts.	13.29
1657	Coal Battery Service		41.50
1658	Kelly's Garage	Repairing Truck	23.75
1659	Paul Leax.	Wages for April 1st to 15th.	67.20
1660	Duquesne Light	Light Bills	12.92
1661	J. J. Bassara.	Progressing & Advertisements	57.00
1662	Wm. H. Flaherty.	Suggestions & Advertisements	102.00
1663	Mike Divack	Garage Rent March 15th April 15th	6.00
1664	Mike Milewska	" " " "	4.00
1665	Paul Leax	Wages from April 16 to 23	31.20
1666	Elmer Pepper.	Money loaned to Fire Co. to be under Taxes	129.12
1667	Thos. Turnbull.	Wages for 1936 Audit	61.00
1668	Jos. Watt.	" " " "	61.00
1668	J. Krause	" " " "	61.00
1670	R. E. Chatten	" " 1st quarter	25.00
1671	Robt Smith.	" " " "	44.00
1672	R. E. Pepper.	Engineering Services for Mar & April	216.00

April May 3rd 1937

Wilkins Twp Fire Co #1

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm. called to order by the Pres Mr Bassara. at 8:15 pm

Roll Call. Present: Mr Bassara, Augustine Leax, & Mc Farland.
Late: Mr Green

Reading of the Minutes of the regular meeting of April 5th & recessed meeting of April 19th. approved as read by the Pres. Mr Bassara

Report of Committees

Roads. Mr Green not present.
Fire & Police - Mr Augustine - reported that he looked into matter of Bicycle Licenses and found that our Children would have to get license from Turtle Creek Boro.
Water & Light - Mr Mc Farland - Progress
Mr Augustine at this time that it would be necessary to move Fire Hydrants at Harrison Road and Wallace Ave
Claims Mr Leax reported that he was investigating Claims on Washington Ave and Brown Ave Hollow. due to blasting in stone quarry.
Finance - Mr Leax Progress

Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr Leax for Secretary to notify Water Co to move Fire Hydrants at Wallace Ave & Harrison Road. when notified by Engineer of new location Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine Sec'd by Mr Leax that all Bills be paid when properly approved Carried

Reading of Ordinance #125. Ratings as Scheduled for the Third time by the Solicitor Mr Schmidt

Moved by Mr Augustus seconded by Mr Leas that Ordinance #125 be accepted as read. (Carried)

Salaries for Officials & Labour for Councils for 1937. Set as follows.

Secretary - Salary. £375-00 per yr Moved by Mr Augustus seconded by Mr Leas to accept as proposed (carried)

Salary for Auditors £22-50 per yr Moved by Mr Augustus to accept as proposed. Seconded by Mr Mc. Farland. (carried)

Solicitors Salary £500 00 per yr Moved by Mr Leas seconded by Mr Mc. Farland to accept as proposed (carried)

Fire Chief £50 00 per yr. Moved by Mr Augustus second by Mr Leas to accept as proposed (carried)

Building inspector £15 00 per yr Moved by Mr Augustus seconded by Mr Leas to accept as proposed carried

Health officer £100 00 per yr. Moved by Mr Leas second by Mr Mc. Farland to accept as proposed.
aye & nay Vote Called by the Pres. Mr Bassara
Mr augustus. nay. Mr Leas aye Mr Mc. Farland aye
carried

Secretary of the Board of Health £75 00 Moved by Mr Leas second by Mr Mc. Farland to accept as proposed (carried)

Police £120 00 per year. Moved by Mr augustus seconded by Mr Leas to accept as proposed (carried)

Wages of Supervisor 65¢ per hr. Moved by Mr Augustus seconded by Mr Leas to accept as proposed.
Carried

Wages of Labour 55¢ per hr. moved by Mr Augustus seconded by Mr Leas to accept as proposed. (Carried)

Bill from Brunsden supply for Lanterns & Shovels £3 30 00 moved by Mr augustus second by Mr Leas to pay. (Carried)

Bill for £8 00 from Mr Bayne Eng for month of March. Moved by Mr Augustus seconded by Mr Leas to pay. - aye & nay called by Pres Mr augustus aye Mr Leas aye Mr Mc. Farland aye Mr Green - nay. Carried.

Mr Augustus at this time proposed to the Pres. Mr Bassara to appoint man from the Board. when and where to report and [illegible] to be His responsibility to keep record of time spent when called - Mr Bassara appointed Mr augustus to be responsible for calling Eng.

Bill for £13 50 00 from Mr Bayne Eng for Months of April. Moved by Mr augustus seconded by Mr Green to pay. (Carried)

Mr Bassara at this time called for election of Road Superviser to replace Mr Leas who resigned.

The following Gentlemen failed applications - Mr Parado. Mr. Straughey and Mr John Nesbit.
Result of 1st Ballot
Mr Parado - received 11 Two Votes
Mr Straughey " " Two Votes
Mr J. Nesbit " 1 one Vote
Election being tied it was necessary to have second ballot.
Moved by Mr augustus second by Mr Leas that Secret ballot be taken. (Carried)

Result of 2nd Ballot
Mr Parda received (III) Three Votes
Mr Brayley " (II) Two Votes
Mr Parda declared elected
by the Pres. Mr Bossara

Mr Bossara Pres at this time notified Citizens that applications for Pol. Inspectors would be received at Special Meeting of May 10th

Mr Bossara talked to Mr Hopkins Engr & Survey project on Transportation and agreed to meet with Him and the Board at 6 Pm May 10th.

Mr Bossara at this time suggested at this time that the entire Board of Supervisors and make tour of inspection of damaged property due to blasting in Brkon and Quarry, Board agrees to meet at 6 Pm Sat Eve. May 6th.

Mr Augustine at this time proposed that Road Scrapper be taken from Turtle Creek Boro. to clean Harrison Road to prepare for top surface. Mr Bossara asked Mr Augustine to investigate Cost. and and report at meeting of May 10th.

Letter received from Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co read asking Board to pass Resolution to reduce Township Bond to $15,000.00 — Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr Leax on advise of Sol. to pass this resolution

Carried

Letter received from Penna State Board of Fire Prev. on putting in fire lights and installing fire proof glass windows at front of Fire Escape. Mr Bossara asked Mr Augustine to investigate matter and advise at meeting of May 10th.

Mr Green reported that the Township had no dumps for Cons. Secretary to get in touch with Mr Green

Mr Augustine asked Board for permission to lay 600 feet of 2x10 Lumber for ditches for Harrison Road. - Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr McFarland to lay same. Aye & Nay Vote called for by Mr Bossara.
Mr Augustine aye. Mr Leax aye Mr McFarland aye Mr Green nay.

Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr Leax to tear down 2nd shed next to Fire Co #1. as same has become a fire Hazard.

Carried

Mr Green letter of resignation as road Chairman read
Moved by Mr Leax Second by Mr McFarland to accept Mr Greens resignation

Carried

Opening & reading of Bids for Sewer pipe

Bids from Federal Clay as quoted

4" pipe	.07¢ per ft.	12" pipe	35¢ per ft
6" "	.11 " "	15" "	.52 " "
10" "	.273 " "	18" "	.80 " "
		24" "	1.44 " "

McClintock & Welsh quoted

6"	pipe .12 6/10 per ft	1st 2nd	11 1/4
10"	" .29 4/10 " "	"	26 1/4
12"	" .37 8/10 " "	"	33 3/4"
18"	" .70 " "	"	62 1/2
24"	" 1.26 " "	"	1.12.

No action taken Board to hold Special meeting May 10th to decide

Mr Bossard appointed Mr Augustine to serve as Chairman of Road Commn to replace Mr Green who resigned

Mr Bossard asked at this time as to whether or not citizens wishes to be heard.

Mr also raised Question as to whether or not grade was established on George St. also said that Stop sign should be placed on alley near Fire Co # on entrance on State Highway

Mr A. Yost asked Board to try and do something to eliminate dust in front of His place of Business - Mr Bossard referred this Matter to Mr Augustine

Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr McCausland that Highway Mean Hole Castings be purchased at $1.25 each aye & nay Vote called for by Mr Bossard Mr Augustine aye Mr Leap aye Mr McCausland aye Mr Green not Voting

Mr Harding asked Board if they would do something in regard to replacing Wall underneath Bridge for which is the only entrance to His property - Mr Green reported that WPA would replace wall Mr Augustine to investigate

Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr McCausland to adjourn

John L O'Brien
Secretary.

May 10th 1937

Wilkins Fire Co # 1

Special Meeting at the Call of the President Mr Bossard to decide on Bid for Suction pipe and any other Business that may come up

Called to order at 8:00 pm by the Pres Mr Bossard

Roll Call. Pres. Mr Bossard Mr Leap Mr Augustine Mr McCausland

Absent Mr Green

Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr Leap that McClinton & Wilson being lowest bidder that Contract for Suction pipe be awarded to them - Carried

Letter of resignation of Mr Parado read. - Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr Leap to accept resignation Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leap that Mr Bossard be appointed to represent Wilkins Township at election at State Convention to be held May 31st June 1st & 2nd (Carried)

Secretary to advertise for Bids for Stone guaring for next Regular Meeting

Mr Augustine at this time reported that Suction from Turtle Creek Bridge could not be had due to same being broken and was moving Fire Hose to remove dirt from Harrison Road. at 3:00 pm opening. Mr Bossard at this time authorized Mr Augustine to use Fire Hose for washing Road

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax that a price of 10¢ per pole per year be paid pole inspector.
(Carried)

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax to use Inbuslugs to haul Eng + Men on Swovery project to and fro their work - if they release Townships from all damages in case of accident
(Carried)

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax to adjourn
Carried

John G. O'Brien
Secretary

Warrants Paid during May 1937

1673.	Penna State assc. Dues for 1936-7	30.00
1674	M. J. Parks. Wages for May 4th	5.20
1675	Duquesne Light Co. Light Co	4.28
1676	Julius Straley Wages from Apr 20 to May 14th	74.10
1677	Peoples Gas Co. Gas Bill Fire Co	6.60
1678.	Union Filling Sta Gas Oil	48.22
1679	Penna Water Co. Washing Road (Harrison)	7.55
1680.	Beckwith Mach. Co. Tractor parts	114.32
1681	W. J. Tierney. Tractor parts	2.30
1682	Builders Supply Lanterns + Shovels	30.00
1683.	B. K. Elliot Co. Supplies for Survey	22.02
1684.	C. P. Dorenkamp. Gar Disposal	7.50
1685	A. Paul Dibler. adv. Auditors report	41.80
1686	Turtle Creek Bank + Trust Co. Int on $1000 note	16.67
1687	M. Bassara. Salary for 2nd Quarter	25.00
1688	McClintock + Welsh. Supplies	80.87
1689	Julius Straley Wages for May 17 to 28th	52.00

June 7th 1937
Wilkins Twp (Fire house #1)

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm of Wilkins Twp.

Meeting called to order by the Pres. Mr Bassara at 8:15 pm

Roll Call. Present. Mr Bassara Mr Augustine Mr Leax, Mr McFarland.
Mr Green - Late

Reading of Minutes of Regular meeting of May 3rd and special meeting of May 10th.
approved as read by the Pres Mr Bassara

Mrs Adelade Conners presented a bill for $8.00 for glasses for which she claimed was broken when she fell down steps that were erected by WPA Bill turned over to Mr Leax claims Committee to investigate

Report of Committees
Road. Mr Augustine - Bad Condition
Fire + Police - Mr Augustine reported that Gas light could be installed at any time same would be required
Water + Light. Mr McFarland - Progress
Claims. Mr. Leax. reported on Claim being investigated

Mr Augustine reported on damaged property due to blasting at Trevaskis Stone Quarry.
Dr. Franco property. new Cornice put on roof and approved
Langley property. glass replaced. and approved

Heath property Chimney damages bricks removed and being repaired

Brannigan property - wood on house rotten - no repairs made

Madsen property cracks in wall and plaster cracked. to be taken care of later -

after report of Mr Augustine was made it was suggested that Trotts Creek Boro. should be contacted to pay part of damage as they were blasting at Novinskis quarry

Mr Augustine to investigate

Reading of Bills.

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax to pay Mr O Post for 6 hrs at 50 cents per hour for grafes, also two for tending water plugs for washing Harrison road. (Carried)

Bill for $20.00 presented by Mr Chatles for wages. He claims that were due him for Month of Jan Feb & March 1937. Mr Bozarth advised that Board could not pay him as only $1.00 per year had been appropriated for Health officer for year of 1937

Moved by Mr Leax second by Mr Augustine to pay Mr Bayne $20.00 for wages due for month of May 1937 - Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax to pay Mr Bozarth $23.90 for expenses for attending State Convention of Township Comm at Penn Hotel May 30 31 - June 1st 1937 carried

Moved by Mr Leax second by Mr Augustine to pay Mr O Brien $23.90 for expenses for attending State Convention of Township Comm. at Penn Hotel May 30-31 June 1st 1937 (carried)

~~Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax~~

Moved by Mr Leax second by Mr. McFarland to pay Mr Augustine $8.90 for expenses for attending State Convention of Township Comm at Penn Hotel May 30-31. June 1st 1937 (Carried)

Moved by Mr Mr Augustine second by Mr McFarland to pay Mr Hopkins Survey Engineer $50.00 for rental of tools for month of April & May 1937. (Carried)

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax that all bills be paid when properly approved. (Carried)

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr. Leax to draw warrant for $2.25 to Secretary. half of which is to be paid by the School Board for entering of 1936 Lein Taxes (Carried)

Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr Leax that Bond for the Treas. Mr Goodwin be set at $11000.00 Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr McFarland that Trotts Creek Bank & Trust Co. be depository for year of 1937 (Carried)

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr McFarland that Mr Goodwin be exonerated for Collection of balance of 1937 Occupation Taxes (Carried)

Bids read for Stone quarry.

Bids received from Mrs Daisy Robb for 10 cents per Ton

Bid from Harvey McGinney. read for 10 Cents per Ton.

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax to accept both - McGinney & Mrs Robb Quarry temporary. Carried

Application for road Supervisor read Mr Stanley's application was the only one received.

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax to appoint Mr Stanley Road Supervisor. Carried.

Mr Bossard asked secretary to cast ballot for Mr Stanley, there being one Mr Stanley appointed road supervisor by the Pres. Mr Bossard

Applications for Special Police read The following applications were received

Mr. Victor Mr Allen Mr Mallett Mr Heusel and ~~Mr Nolan~~ Mr Thomas

Moved by Mr Green second by Mr Leax that secret ballot be taken (Carried)

Result of 1st Ballott

Mr Victor received	Two Votes	
" Heusel "	Two Votes	
" Allen "	Two Votes	
" Thomas "	No Votes	
" Mallett "	No Votes	

Result being the necessary to cast second ballott

Result of 2nd Ballott.

Mr Victor 3 received . Two Votes
" Heusel " Two Votes.

Moved by Mr Green second by Mr Augustine that both Mr Victor and Mr Heusel be appointed as special Police But on advice of Mr Schmidt Solicitor Motion was withdrawn by Mr Green and Mr Augustine

Mr Bossard at this time notified the citizens that applications for Special Police would be received at the next Regular meeting

Mr Augustine at this time made a Motion that the Solicitor draw up a resolution asking the County for aid for a drain outlet from Wilkins Township to Highway Motion second by Mr Leax Carried

Mr McFarland at this time reported that Stone was being taken from Robb quarry. one morning about 6 Oclock while he was going past quarry, Mr Bossard asked Mr Augustine to investigate

Mr Bossard asked at this time as to whether or not the citizens wished to be heard.

Mr Marks from Erie Co # offered complaint that some of the Firemen were abusing the use of the Key for the lower part of the Fire House and asked that Board take some steps in this matter Mr Bossard agreed to meet with Fire Co. at next meeting

Moved by Mr Leax second by Mr McFarland to adjourn (Carried)

~~Warrants Paid during June 1937~~

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax to authorize Tax Collector + Solicitor to separate occupation Tax from all Tax liens and delinquent Taxes filed at any Sheriff Sale wherein East Pgh Bldg + Loan is plaintiff. Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax to advertise for Bids for 1½-½ slag (for 100 Ton) for use on WPA project # 9949. Carried

Moved by Mr Leax second by Mr McFarland to adjourn Carried

John J. O'Brien
Secretary

Warrants Paid during June 1937

1690	J. AUGUSTINE	Salary 2nd Quarter	$25.00
1691	G. Greer	" " "	25.00
1692	Jno Leax.	" " "	25.00
1693	Wm McFarland.	" " "	25.00
1694	J.J. O'Brien	" " "	~~23.~~ 25
1695	F. H. Schmidt	" " "	$125.00
1696	R. Chattoz	" " "	$25.00
1697	R. Smith	" " "	23.90
1698	M. Bassara.	attending State Conv.	23.90
1699	J.J. O'Brien	" " "	23.90
1700	J. Augustine	" " "	8.90
1701	C.D. Hopkins	Dust. Rental.	50.00
1702	J. Yost.		9.00
1703	Hartstein Hdw. Co.		6.16
1704	R.G. Bayne.		60.00
1705	Chambers Reduction Co.		10.00
1706	A. Park Dibler		19.20
1707	Peoples Gas Co.		1.80
1708	Penna Water Co.		3.00
1909	Turtle Bank + Trust Co.		33.89

1710.	H. McKinney.	$68.50
1711	Wm H. Fraskin.	225.00
1712	DAISY Robb.	67.05
1713	Julius Straley	46.80
1714	Duquesne Light Co	1.76
1715	M. Milewski	4.00
1716	M. Sivok.	6.00
1717	Star Printing Co	15.20
1718	Turtle Creek Auto Parts.	1.74
1719	Union Filling Station	44.00
1720	McClintock + Welsh Lumber Co.	546.31

John J. O'Brien
Secretary

July 12th 1937

Wilkus Twp Fire Co #2 -
Regular meeting of the Board of Comm

Roll Call Present: Mr Bassara Mr Breen Mr Augustine Mr Leax. Mr McFarland absent

Minutes of previous meeting read and corrected as to bid of Mrs Robb whose bid for stone was 8.16 per load. approved as corrected

Road Committee reported that roads were in bad condition due to recent rain storms. Mr Augustine reported that it would be impossible to have roads repaired by the W.P.A. and it would be necessary for the Township to employ 2 or 3 additional men to repair Roads

Fire Committee had no report
Water & Light. no report
Claims Committee reported that steps upon which women fell and broke her glasses were in very bad condition
Finance Committee reported progress

Moved by Mr Leax second by Mr Breen that McClintock & Welsh bill be paid - Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Breen that bill for Eng services by Mr Bayne for month of June be paid. Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax that all bill properly o.k.d be paid. Carried

Mr Bassara Pres. then called upon the citizens present their complaints

Mrs Meyer Alpine Dist desired to know when W.P.A project would be completed -
Mrs. Phillips who also resides in Alpine Dist stated that pavement in front of her home was and that nothing further had been done by W.P.A Mrs Phillips demanded that W.P.A projects be completed at once

Mr Rode Elizabeth St. stated that stated that street was in very bad condition and that no work had been done, He further stated that the steam shovel had ruined the street and requested information from the Comm. as to what was to be done

Mr Bassara answered the delegation from the Alpine Dist that the Comm. would contact the W.P.A. officials and arrange for a meeting at which time the citizens from the Alpine Dist would be able to question the W.P.A officials as to when they intended to complete the Alpine Dist project.

Mrs Sizek complained that the water from everbodys property on Chas. st. was being thrown over onto her property resulting in serious damage to her, Mr Bassara informed her that the Board of Comm. would visit her property on Monday eve. July 19th, to ascertain whether or not there was any merit to the complaint.

Louis Maggori stated that #1 Fire Co. desired the Township to fill the foundation of the property which had been recently dismantled and which was located next to Fire house, He was advised that inasmuch as this was private property they would be unable to do this. He also requested the Comm to ask Berwin Water Co for permission to use the Water Co for permission to use the the Water Co. hydrants on July 23-24th connections to be made onto the fire plug located near the Nestle home on

Larmee Ave. Eyt, Mr Green requested that that the secretary write the owner of the property adjoining Fire Co #1 demanding that they fill in the foundation

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leap that a letter of thanks be sent Mr Samuel Weiss for the photographs presented to the Citizens of Wilkins Twp Carried

Letter from Mr Kossow offering to transcribe the 1936 Liens into the Tax Lien docket by the Solicitor and Tax Collector the Cost of the work to be $8.10 per hundred plus charge of $1.50 for the revision of the pages moved by Mr Green seconded by Mr Leap that the offer of Mr Kossow be accepted Carried

Communications from H.E. Connelly Asst Engr. for W.P.A. work reference to Project #9149 informing the Comm. that after June 16th. the Engr. furnished by W.P.A. would be withdrawn from the project and that it would be necessary for the Comm. to arrange to furnish all Engr services required from them on. the said. Communication was accepted and order filed

Communication from Mr Phillips of the United Rubber Co. enclosing a check for $10.00 made payable to Wilkins Twp. at a request on the order placed with Mr Phillips this was accepted and orders filed

Mr Doubrosky requested that Comm. to give him any kind of a position work the Twp. as he was out of work. Communication was accepted and filed

Communication from the Democratic Club of Wilkins Twp. Notifying the Comm. that the said Club had recommended Mike Milewski Jr and Louis Maggoni for the position of Special police. Order filed

Moved by Mr Green seconded by Mr Augustine that the bond of B.H. Goodwin as Asst Wilkins Twp. for the year 1937 in the sum of $1,000.00 executed by B.H. Goodwin and the National Security Co be accepted and filed Carried

Mr Augustine informed the Board that representatives of the Boro's of Chalfont, East Pgh. and North Braddock together with Wilkins Twp. has appealed to the County Comm. for County aid. the remedy. the condition on Neville St and Eden Ave. caused by heavy rains. Mr Augustine presented the following resolution: that the Board of Comm. of Allegheny Co. for County aid in furnishing material necessary to construct a pipeline which will take care of the heavy rain water coming from Wilkins Twp. and entering into Chalfont Boro. which was caused considerable damage to Wilkins Twp. Chalfont Boro. and the Boro of North Braddock and East Pgh. moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Green that resolution be passed.

The following applications were received for the position of special police.

Matt Malek Jr
Wm H Thomas.
Louis Maggoni
Mike Milewski Jr
John P Vehter.
C.C Heusel

Mr Augustine moved that Louis Maggoni + Mike Milewski be elected as special police officers, there was no second to the motion

Moved by Mr Green seconded by Mr Leap that Mr John P Vehter + Mr C.C Heusel Jr appointed as special Police — Carried

Moved by Mr Green seconded by Mr Augustine that Mr Dembrosky & Mr Sally be employed as labourers to repair the Roads. Carried.

Mr Bossara reported that he had been sent out to see the F.G. Bishoff plan and that no provisions were made for fire protection. The Board instructed the Engineer and the Committee meet at 7½ PM on Thursday July 15th 1937 to view the Bishoff plan.

Mr Bayne reported on Langston ave claim of Mr Nicley. Mr Green requested information as to whether or not gasoline was being furnished for the Roller and if the Twp had to pay for same. Mr Augustine informed Mr Green that W.P.A had loaned the roller to the Twp. under the condition that the Twp pay for the gasoline

Moved by Mr Green seconded by Mr. Leax that the Secretary notify the Board of Health to have fire hose on Broad Ave as a measure - Carried.

The Solicitor reported the complaint of Hughie Marra who resides at George St that his property had been damaged by Sanson Water thrown over property by the W.P.A. Mr Augustine reported that Mr Hannibal of the W.P.A desires a sketch of the proposed grade of George St.

Mr Jas Watt of the Fire Co reported that a fire hook was broken out and desires permission to have same repaired. This was referred to Mr Augustine of the Fire and Police Committee.

Motion by Mr Green second by Mr Leax that the Secretary petition the County Comm to maintain the Greenburg Pike. Motion passed

Mr Devine advised the Commissioners that the bridge located on the Barnes plan was about to cave in and that the stone & cement retaining wall would be necessary. This matter was referred to Mr Augustine.

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax that the Secretary write Mr Campbell locate on the 9th floor of the Wabash Bldg. Pittsburgh said lots is connected with the state highway Dept. about closing sewer near property of Mr Blakley - not carried

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr. Leax that meeting adjourn to Monday eve. July 19th. 1937 at 7½ PM Carried

Thos Schmidt
acting Secy

Franklin Ford Co July 19th 1937

Continuation of recessed meeting held July 15th.

Present Mr Bossara Augustine Green McCandless and Leax

Mr Bayne reported on Bishoff plan stating that was no objections to plan on grade. Mr Bishoff who was present at the meeting agreed to revise grade of Sunset drive and Hillcrest drive at the same time he recorded the plan showing said streets. Moved by Mr Green second by Mr Leax. that Mr Bishoff development plan be accepted aye & nay vote called all the Board of Comm voted aye Carried

Mr Hannibal of the W.P.A. was introduced to the Citizens. He informed them that the Alpine Blvd. project would be commenced in two weeks and that the Road would be surfaced. Moved by Mr Green. seconded by Mr. Augustine that pipe be furnished to drain the street from the Lowspot on Harrison ~~Road~~ Coal tipple to natural water course. Motion Carried

Mr Bossara thanked Mr Hannibal for having come to the meeting and for his answering questions given to the citizens upon their complaints.

Bids were opened for furnishing slag to the Township. Bids received from A. G. Yost and Duquesne slag products. The Bid from A. G. Yost was $2.05 per ton and the Bid from Duquesne slag Co was $1.65 per ton. Moved by Mr Green seconded by Mr Augustine that the Contract be given to the lowest bidder the Duquesne slag Co. Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Green that the Township advertise for bids for asphalt oil to be used on the W.P.A. projects in quantities of 5000 gal more or less, said bids to be opened at the regular meeting in August. Motion carried.

Moved by Mr Green seconded by Mr Leary that meeting adjourn Carried

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acting Secy.

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John G. O'Brien
Secretary

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A recess meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held at the Franklin Fire House, Powell Street, on Monday evening, July 19, 1937. All of the Commissioners were present on roll call.

Mr. Bayne reported on the Bishoff Plan stating that there was no objection to the plan or to the grade. Mr. Bishoff who was present at the meeting agreed to record the grade of Sunset Drive and Hillcrest Drive at the same time that he recorded the plan showing the said streets. Moved by Green, seconded by Leax that the F.G. Bishoff Development Plan be accepted. An aye and nay vote being called, all of the Board of Commissioners voted aye. The motion was carried.

Mr. Hannibal of the W.P.A. was introduced to the citizens. He informed them that the Alpine Boulevard project would be commenced in two weeks and that the road would be surfaced. Moved by Mr. Green, seconded by Mr. Augustine that pipe be furnished to drain the street from the low spot of Harrison Coal Tipple to the natural water course. Motion carried.

Mr. Bassara thanked Mr. Hannibal for having come to the meeting and for his answers given to the citizens upon their complaints.

Bids were opened for furnishing slag to the Township. Bids were received from A.J. Yost and the Duquesne Slag Products Company, the bid of A.J. Yost being $2.05 per ton and the bid of the Duquesne Slag Products Company being $1.65 per ton. Moved by Green, seconded by Augustine that the contract be given to the lowest bidder, the Duquesne Slag Products Company. Motion carried.

Moved by Augustine, seconded by Greene that the Township advertise for bids for asphalt oil to be used on the W.P.A. projects in quantities of 50,000 gal. more or less, said bids to be opened at the regular meeting in August. Motion carried.

Moved by Green, seconded by Leax that the meeting adjourn. Motion carried.

Theresa V. Schmidt
Acting Secretary

Mr Hannibal of the W.P.A was introduced to the citizens. He informed them that the Alpine Blvd. project would be commenced in two weeks and that the Road would be surfaced. Moved by Mr Green, seconded by Mr Augustine that pipe be furnished to drain the street from the Lockport Harrison ~~Road~~ Coal tipple to natural water course. Motion carried.

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and Police Committee.

Moved by Green, seconded by Leax, that the Secretary petition the County Commissioners to maintain the Greensburg Pike. Motion was passed.

Moved by Green, seconded by Leax, that the matter of the repair of the tractor be laid on the table. Motion passed.

Dominic Aiello informed the Commissioners that the bridge located on the Barnes Plan was about to cave in and that a stone or cemente retaining wall would be necessary. This matter was referred to Mr. Augustine.

Moved by Augustine, seconded by Leax that the Secretary write Mr. Campbell located on the 9th floor of the Wabash Bldg. Pittsburgh and who is connected with the State Highway Department about closing sewers near the property of Calvin Blakley. Motion carried.

Moved by Augustine, seconded by Leax that this meeting recess to Monday evening, July 19th, 1937 at 8:00P.M. Motion carried.

Theodore H. Schmidt
Acting Secretary

Mr Hannibal of the W.P.A. was introduced to the Citizens. He informed them that the Alpine Bvd. project would be commenced in two weeks and that the Road would be resurfaced. Moved by Mr Green, second by Mr Augustine that pipe be furnished to drain the street from the [illegible] Harrison ~~Road~~ Coal tipple to natural water course. Motion Carried

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A regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township was held at the Franklin Fire House, Powell Street, on Monday evening, July 12, 1937, at 8:00 o'clock P.M. On roll call the following were present: Bassara, Green, Augustine and Leax. McFarland was absent.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and corrected as to the bid of Mrs. Robb whose bid for stone was $1.15 per load. The minutes were then approved as corrected.

The Road Committee reported that the roads were in very bad condition due to the recent rain storms. Mr. Augustine stated that it would be impossible to have the roads repaired by the W.P.A. and that it would be necessary for the Township to employ at least two or three additional laborers to repair the roads.

The Fire and Police Committee had no report.

The Water and Light Committee had no report.

The Claims Committee reported that the steps upon which a woman fell and broke her glasses were in bad condition.

The Finance Committee reported progress.

Moved by Leax, seconded by Green that the bill of the McClintock-Welsch Lumber Company be paid. Passed.

Moved by Aug, seconded by Green, that the bill for engineering service furnished by Mr. Bayne for the month of June be paid. Passed.

Moved by Augustine, seconded by Leax that all other bills properly approved by the various committees be paid. Passed.

Mr. Bassara then called upon the citizens present for complaints. Mrs. Moyer who resides in the Alpine district desired to know when the W.P.A. project would be completed. Mrs. Charles who also resides in the Alpine district stated that the pavements in front of her property had been taken up and that nothing further had been done by the W.P.A. Mrs. Phillips who resides in the Alpine district demanded that the W.P.A. project be completed immediately. Mr. Rodi who resides on Elizabeth Street stated that that street was in very bad condition and that no work had been done. He further stated that the steam shovel had ruined

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Mr Bassara thanked Mr Hannibal for having come to the meeting and for his answering questions given to the citizens upon their cause [illegible]

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Mr. Bassara answered the delegation from the Alpine district that the Commissioners would contact the W.P.A. officials and arrange for a meeting at which time the citizens from the Alpine District would be able to question the W.P.A. officials as to when they intended to complete the Alpine District project.

Mrs. Sergek complained that the water from everybody's property and from Cline Street was being thrown over onto her property resulting in serious damage to her. Mr. Bassara informed her that the Board of Commissioners would view her property on Monday evening, July 19th, to ascertain whether or not there was any merit to the complaint. Louis Maggiore stated that No. 1 Fire Company desired the Township to fill in the foundation of the property which had recently been dismantled and which was located next to the fire house. He was informed that inasmuch as this is private property the Township would be unable to do this. He also requested the Commissioners to ask the Pennsylvania Water Company for permission to use the water hydrants on July 23rd and 24th, connection to be made onto the fire plug located near the Niehl home on Larimer Avenue Extension. Mr. Green requested that the Secretary write the owner of the propery adjoining No. 1 Fire Company demanding that they fill in the foundation.

Moved by Augustine, seconded by Leax that a letter of thanks be sent to the Hon. Samuel A. Weiss for the photograph presented to the citizens of Wilkins Township. Passed.

The following communications were read:

Letter from J.S. Kassouf offering to transcribe the 1936 liens into the Tax Lien Dockets of the Solicitor and Tax Collector, the cost of the work to be $.10 per lien plus a charge of $7.50 for the revision of the index.

Moved by Green and Leax that the offer of Mr. Kassouf be accepted and that Mr. Kassouf do the work. Passed.

Communication from H.E. Connolly, District Engineer for the W.P.A. with reference to Project No. 9949 informing the

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Commissioners that after June 18th the engineer furnished by the W.P.A. would be withdrawn from the project and that it would be necessary for the Commissioners to arrange to furnish all engineering services required from then on. The said communication was accepted and ordered filed.

Communication from J.R. Phillips of the Hewitt Rubber Company enclosing a check for $10.60 made payable to Wilkins Township as a rebate on an order placed with Mr. Phillips. This communication was accepted and ordered filed.

Communication from Mr. Dombrosky requesting the Commissioners to give him any kind of a position with the Township as he was out of work. This communication was accepted and ordered filed.

Communication from the Democratic Club of Wilkins Township notifying the Commissioners that the said Club had recommended Mike Milewski,Jr. and Louis Maggiore for the positions of special police. This communication was ordered filed.

Moved by Green and Augustine that the bond of Bernard H.Goodwin as Treasurer and Tax Collector for the year 1937 in the sum of $11,000 executed by Bernard H. Goodwin and the National Surety Company be accepted and filed. Motion carried.

Mr. Augustine informed the Board that representatives of the Boroughs of Chalfont, East Pittsburgh and North Braddock together with Wilkins Township had appealed to the County Commissioners for county aid to remedy the condition on North Street and Electric Avenue caused by heavy rains. Mr. Augustine presented the following resolution: That the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township apply to the County Commissioners of Allegheny County for county aid in furnishing materials necessary to construct a pipe line which will take care of the heavy rain water coming from Wilkins Township and entering into Chalfont Borough which has caused considerable damage to Wilkins Township, Chalfont Borough and the Boroughs of North Braddock and East Pittsburgh. Moved by Augustine, seconded by Green, that the resolution be passed. Said resolution was passed.

Mr Hannibal of the W.P.A. was introduced to the citizens. He informed them that the Alpine Bvd. project would be commenced in two weeks and that the Road would be surfaced. Moved by Mr Green, second by Mr Augustine that pipe be furnished to drain the street from the Lroppoton Harrison ~~Road~~ Coal tipple to natural water course. Motion carried.

Mr Bassara thanked Mr Hannibal for having come to the meeting and for his answering questions put to the citizens upon their [illegible]

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WARRANTS DRAWN FOR ~~AUGUST~~ July 1937

1721	Julius Straley	71.50
1722	Void	
1723	Void	
1724	E. Soles	25.00
1725	H. Soles	25.00
1731	R. C. Bayne	$153.00
1732	Julius Straley	57.20
1736	J. Soles	54.00
1737	J. Dombrosky	54.00
1738	Julius Straley	62.40

The following applications were received for the positions of special police:

Matt Malek,Jr.
Wm. H. Thomas
Louis Maggiore
Mike Malesky,Jr.
John P. Vechter
C.C. Hensel

Mr. Augustine moved that Louis Maggiore and Mike Malesky be elected special police officers. There was no second to the motion.

Moved by Green, seconded by Leax that John P.Vechter and C.C. Hensel be elected special police officers. Motion carried.

Moved by Green, seconded by Augustine, that Mr. Dombrosky and Mr. Soles be employed as laborers to repair the roads. Motion carried.

Mr. Bassara reported that he had been out to see the F.G. Bishoff Development Plan and that there was no provision made for fire protection. The Board instructed the engineer and the Commissioners to meet at 7:00 o'clock P.M. on Thursday,July 15, 1937, to view the Bishoff Development Plan. Mr. Bayne reported on the Clugston Avenue claim of Dr. Meley. Mr. Green requested information as to whether or not gasoline was being furnished for the roller and if the Township has to pay for same. Mr. Augustine informed Mr. Green that the W.P.A. had loaned the roller to the Township under the condition that the Township pay for the gasoline.

Moved by Green, seconded by Leax, that the Secretary nofity the Board of Health to have the old fire house on Brown Avenue remove its nuisance. Motion carried.

The Solicitor reported the complaint of Giglio Marra who resides on George Street that his property had been damaged by surface water thrown over onto the property by the W.P.A. Mr. Augustine reported that Mr. Hannibal of the W.P.A. desired a sketch of the proposed grade on George Street.

Mr. James Watt of the Franklin Fire Company reported that the fuse box had burned out and desired permission to have same repaired. This was referred to Mr. Augustine of the Fire

Aug 2nd 1937.

Franklin Fire House

Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners called to order by the Vice Pres Mr Green at 8 PM

Roll Call. Mr Green Mr Augustine Mr Leax. absent Mr Bassano and Mr McFarland

Reading of the minutes of Meeting of July 12th and recessed meeting of July 19th. approve as read

Committee Report.

Road. Mr Augustine reported that Alpine Blvd. would be started some time during week of Aug. 9th. also reported that Bridge on Beukert was in bad shape. Mr. Augustine asked Board to approve the hiring of two laborers for the Road, this was approved by the Board.

Finance Mr Leax. progress.
Police & Fire. Mr Augustine no report.
Claims. Mr Leax. none.
Water & Light. Mr. McFarland absent.

Reading of Bills, moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax. that all bills be paid when properly approved.

Letter read from Mr Lawson Bell Telephone Co protesting the rate of 50c per pole tax. and One dollar for new openings. and asked the Board to reconsider these prices as other Boro's & Twps. charged. only 25c per pole tax. and 50c per new openings.

Resolution by Mr Augustine second by Mr. Leax. that Ordinance #124 be changes to read- 25-$ per year pole tax and 50c per any new openings

Carried

Letter read from Invitation Bank & Trust Co. asking the Board to pass resolution to continue the present note of $4000 to be held by said Co.

Resolution by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax. to approve above

(Carried)

Mr Green asked the Citizens as to whether or not they wished to be heard

Mr Morrow of Harrison Ave complained on Spring & Surface water running thru his property and asked Board & Comm. to install sewer pipe to carry of this water. Mr Green suggested that Board meet Monday Aug 9th and investigate - this was agreed to.

Mr Rodi asked why they could not start work on Alpine St. Mr Augustine reported that all pipes were needed on Klein & Clugston Ave to spread road surface at the present time

Mr Talley complained on sewer in Rock Glen - Comm to investigate Monday Aug 9th

Mr Hastaugh raises the question as to where the people of the Bishops plan were to vote. Wilkins or Penn Twp. Mr Schmidt Solicitor advised that the people on Wilkins Twp road 7 line should register in Wilkins Twp. until a new depot line in the two Townships has been established

Mr Jenners Complains that on water coming thru his basement. Mr Augustine said that he would have drain turned to the upper side of the road.

Mr Taylor asked Board if Wall was going to be erected at the Water Co Cemetary on Harrison Road he said that Mr Hannibal had promised Miss Myers that wall would be erected there when road was cut thru. Mr Augustine to take matter up with Mr. Hannibal.

Mr Leppert asked the Board to do something about the sewer and also the condition of the crossings along route 8 9. Mr Augustine said that he has talked to State Officials about this condition and suggested that the Rock Glen plan get up petition and send same to Mr Van Dyke in Harrisburg.

Mr Allio asked the Board to try and do something to improve the condition of Mont St. Louhart

Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr Leap to adjourn

John D O'Brien Comm

Warrants paid in August 1937

1726.	Leis Dime Store.	162.17
1727	W J Feeney.	3.75
1728	Duquesne Light Co.	5.54
1729	T. Patterson.	1.50
1730	Kellys Garage.	13.90
1733	J. D. O'Brien	5.95
1734	C. E. Holmes.	6.85
1735	J. Hasbunga Hrs.	125.00
1739	Penna Water Co	18.25
1740	Daisy Robb	57.75
1741	Mc Kinney Guaranty	161.00
1742	J. W. Barker	1.00
1743	Penna Water Co.	34.34
1744	Beckwith Mach Co	3.12
1745	Union Filling Sta.	98.81
1746	P. C. Bayne.	133.50
1747	Mc Calmtock + Welsch Lumber Co.	10.50
1748	C. D. Blakley.	3.00
1749	J. Watt.	2.50
1750	C. D. Hopkins.	50.00
1751	Star Printing Co.	42.30
1752	B H Goodwin.	3.00
1753	Duquesne Slag Co.	66.00
1754	Daisy Robb	46.65
1755	A. Mc Harland.	36.00
1756	J. Boles	40.00
1757	J. Dombrosky	40.00
1758	J. D'amico.	36.00
1759	Mrs A. Conners.	8.00
1760	M. Swik.	6.00
1761	M. Milewski.	4.00
1762	J. Straley	52.00
1763	Pittsburgh Press.	34.20
1764	Pittsburgh Sun Tele.	35.06
1765	Pittsburgh Legal Journal.	16.82
1766	Wilkins Twp Firemans Relief assn	135.63
1767	A. M. Ramsay	6.00
1768	M. Brosna	25.00

Sept 20-1937

Franklin Twp.

Regular meeting of the Board of Council of Wilkins Twp. which had been postponed from Sept 13th due to no quorum being present called to order by Pres of Bd.

Present- Mr Bassara, Green, Augustine Mr Harland. Mr Leas. -

Mr Augustine Late

Minutes of regular meeting read and approved.

Mr Bassara then gave Mr Hopwood permission to make report on Township survey, after explaining what he had done to-date. He suggested that a meeting be arranged with Committe from. Church Hill, Wilkensburg Boro & Wilkins Twp. to discuss what steps should be taken with Penn Twp, He said that would advise the Board of Comm just as soon as Monument were placed

Report of Committees

Road. Mr Augustine - reported progress

Fire & Police. Mr Augustine reported that he had suspended Mr Heard as special police; due to Mr Heard striking a Citizen while in uniform at Firemens Picnic on Oats Field.

Claims Mr Leas none

Finance. Mr Leas - called special meeting Monday, Sept 27th. at the office Mr Schmidt Solicitor

Water - Mr Wm Harland progress

Mr Bassara then asked citizens as to whether or not they wished to be heard

Mr Kelley asked Commissioners just what they intended to do with Ivy, and Irvington Street in Brinn as holler, said that Condition of these streets was very bad

Mr Green asked why this had not been taken care of. as the Commissioners had agreed at a ~~Meeting~~ previous survey of roads. to do this.

Mr Augustine reported that Tractor was broken - and that he had nothing to drag Scraper with, and that it would also be necessary to hire more laborers.

Mr Green said that later should be spread out and not all work done in one place.

Mr Augustine said he had instructed Road Supervisor to do this - Mr Straley not present at Meeting

Moved by Mr Green second by Mr Wm. Harland, that Laborers be sent to Repair above mentioned streets at once

Carried

Mr Green also said that Church Hill lane was to be repaired and pipe laid to carry off water.

Petition received from Brownsville residents in regard to Penn. asked Comm to seek County aid to get rid of the nuisance Mr Keyser was asked if he had an estimate as to Cost of same. Mr Keyser said that Mr Williamson had given him an estimate of $27000.00

Reading of Bills

Moved by Mr Green second by Mr Augustine that all Bill when properly approved

Carried

Moved by Mr Green second by Mr Leax to Pay Mr Baynes Bill for Aug
Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Green to pay Bell $705.00 for Fire Ins.- Ins check to be drawn over to Mr J Wagner & Mr Goodwin for the amount of Commission due him and to be paid as back taxes the Balance to be paid to Wagner realty Co - Carried

Moved by Mr Green second by Mr Leax. that Dr E J Meley be notified by the Secretary that the Board of Comm would Consider the purchase of a piece of property belonging to Mrs. Meley now used as a road - when setting the budget for year of 1938. at a price of $100.00 for 20 feet or $150.00 for 40 foot st. Carried

Mr Blagovich as representative of delegation from Brown place asked the Board if they were going to get any consideration in the repairing of Grandview ave and Quarry St - as there never have been any repair to these streets to try and make them a good permanent road for 15 or 20 years. ~~it was~~

Mr Lunshark said that Deed was to have been given for some property he exchanged with previous Board.

Mr Augustine at this time reported that project for Walls had gone thru which was for question on Quarry st repairs.

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Green that Grandview Ave and Quarry streets be the next to be worked by W pa Carried

Letter read from Mr Yenney asking Board of Comm to elect Committee to represent Wilkins Twp. to Meet with Local Boro's + Twp on present traffic Conditions in the Turtle Creek Valley - Mr Bossara appointed Mr Green + Mr Augustine to serve on this Committee. Secretary to notify Mr Yenney.

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Bossara who had vacated the Chair in favor of Mr Green Vice pres, that the Twp Special Police officers be required to post Cash bond of $100.00 each. Mr Green called for Aye + Nay Vote
Voting Aye Mr Bossara, Augustine Leax and McFarland
Nay Mr Green

Mr Bossara gave Mr Hensel police officer floor to answer suspension charges. He reported that Chairman of the police tried to interfere with an arrest. and asked board to take vote on his suspension

Mr Bossara at this time told police officers that their duty was to arrest any person or persons that was causing any ~~more~~ disturbance or breaking the Laws set up by State or Township regardless to political position

Mr Augustine said that he had never at any time made any statement to get Mr Hensel police officer off the job. other that he did instruct him that he was not to do any drinking while in uniform or he would suspend him, and also stated that he did not ~~to~~ interfere with arrest other than that Mr Seatz had came to him and said that he was struck by Officer Hensel

Moved by Mr Green second by Mr McFarland. that Mr Hensels suspension be lifted untill he was proven guilty. Carried.

Mr Miller asked if the Board would give Him permission to go ahead on Mc Masters ave paving. Approval of Board given Mr Miller.

Mr Augustine asked Board to help pay telephone bill $9.00 due to special calls for W.P.A. work. Mr Bassara instructed Mr Augustine that Board would not pay any of the Bill.

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax to adjourn. Carried

John G O'Brien
Secretary

Warrants Paid in Sept 1937

#1769.	G. GREEN	$25.00
1770	J. AUGUSTINE	25.00
1771	J. LEAX	25.00
1772	Wm Mc FARLAND.	25.00
1773	JNO G. O'BRIEN.	93.75
1774	THEO. H. SCHMIDT.	$125.00
1776	JULIUS. STRALEY.	62.40
1777	J. DAMICO	40.00
1778	A. Mc FARLAND	24.00
1779	J. SOLES	40.00
1780	JNO. DOMBROSKY	48.00
1781	DUQUESNE LIGHT Co	2.21
1782	PEOPLES. GAS. Co	2.00
1783	UNION. FILLING. STA	97.01
1784	R.C BAYNE.	183.00
1785	C.D. HOPKINS.	25.00
1786	PATTERSON BROS	1-50
1787	J.J KASSOUF.	$54.30
1788	T. CREEK. BANK & TRUST Co.	$34.40

1789	STAR. PRINTING.	4.35
1790	Void.	
1791	R.E. CHATLOS.	25.00
1792	R. SMITH	23.80
1793	J.P. VECHTER.	30.00
1794	C.C. HENSEL.	20.00
1795	A. PARK. DIBLER.	2.50
1796	DAISY. ROBB.	46.05
1797	DUQUESNE SLAG Co.	464.31
1798	B.K. ELLIOT.	2.00
1799	Mc CLINTOCK & WELSH. Co.	62.15
1800	T. CREEK. AUTO PARTS.	24.29
1801	Mc TINNEY. QUARRY.	42.50
1802	J.G. O'BRIEN	1.69
1803	J. DOMBROSKY.	28.00
1804	J. STRALEY.	46.80
1805	H. SHUMAR.	5.20

Jno G O'Brien
Secy

Oct 4th 1937

Franklin Fire House

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm. called to order by Mr Green Vice Pres at 8:15 PM

Roll Call.

Present Mr Green, Augustine Leax Mc Farland

absent Mr Bassara

Reading minutes of Meeting of Sept 20th. approved as read

Report of Committee

Road. Mr Augustine progress

Fire & Police - Mr Augustine reported the Police Officer Mr Hensel did not ask for anything but he paid costs & settled with Mr Read.

Finance Mr Leax. progress

Claims. Mr Leax none

Water & light Mr Mc Farland. progress

Reading of Bills

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax that all bills be paid when properly approved. carried

Mr Schmidt read letter recieved from Penn Water Co. asking the Board of Comm to ~~pay~~ make payment of the outstanding Water bill from money to be received from the Church Hill Boro settlement

Mr Schmidt asked Board to recess present meeting until Monday Oct 11th at which time he would have check from Church Hills Boro.

Mr Green at this time asked the Citizens as to whether or not they wished to speak

Mr Kelley asked the Board of Comm. if any action had been taken on petition that was presented by the Brown Ave citizens in regard to sewer & Road Condition

Mr Schmidt Solicitor advises that he had asked for application for state aid and that he expected to get these matters the next week

Mr Soubasso asked what action had been taken on petition presented by the citizens of the Brown Ave Road. Mr Schmidt advises him that it would be necessary to have release of damage signed by all property owners before any work would be started

Mr Morrow complained to Board about water from Harrison mine running down his property on George St and did the Mr Connelly & Hannibal agreed to put sewer pipe down just as soon as board would furnish pipe

Mr Augustine advised that pipe would be laid just as soon as Bd would furnish same

Mrs O'Brien ~~appealed~~ appealed to Board as to what could be done on sewer as Mr Masters ask said she had been notified by State Board of health to remedy condition within 30 days or they would issue out information against property owners. Mr Smith Board of Health Secretary said he would try & get extension from State

Mr Augustine said he would look into condition to see if any thing could be done

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax to recess meeting until Oct 11th carried

Oct 11th 1937.

Franklin Township

Continuation of recessed meeting of Oct 4th

Called to order by Mr Bossard pres at 8:15 PM

Roll Call. Present. Mr Bossard Green, Augustine Mc Farland & Leap

Resolution by Mr Augustine second by Mr Green that warrant be drawn for $2800.00 as partial payment of $7500.00 Claim on Hastings judgment. Funds money received from Church Hill Boro settlement Carried

Resolution by Mr Green Second by Mc Farland that a warrant be drawn for $1345.00 in favor of Penna Water Co. for partial payment on water bill to be paid from Church Hill Boro settlement Carried.

Mr Schmidt Solicitor asked Board to approve payment $350.00 as Compensation for special work done in the adjustment of Church Hill Boro Settlement. Moved by Mr Green second by Mr Mc Farland to pay same Carried

Mr Augustine asked Board to approve the removal of the moving of Water plug on Clingstad Ave. Moved by Mr ~~Augustine~~ Green second by Mr Mc Farland to move same in line with Engineer approval Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Green that Solicitor report at the next meeting on the floating of Bond to pay all back bills Carried

Moved by Mr Green second by Mr Augustine that Solicitor notify Mr Goodwin to collect back taxes from George & Eva Richards. Carried

Moved by Mr Green second by Mr Augustine to adjourn Carried

John G. O'Brien
Secy

1806	J. STRALEY.	$ 57.20
1807	J. SOLES.	40.00
1808	J.A WAGNER. & B.H GOODWIN.	141.00
1809	WAGNER REALTY.	5-64.00
1810	DAISY. P. OBB.	63.30
1811	P.C. BAYNE.	138.00
1812	E. ARTMAN VERNA ARTMAN. H.O. BENHAUSER & E. MENGER.	
1813	PENN WATER. CO.	2800.00
1814	THEO. H. SCHMIDT.	1345.00
1815	DUQUESNE LIGHT	354.63
1816	HUBTO. BATTLE SERVICE	5.80
1817	C.D HOPKINS.	1.70
1818	PENN WATER. CO.	25.00
1819	LYNWOOD GARAGE	6.00
1820	T. CREER. BANK & TRUST CO.	21.85
1821	Void	16.67
1822	Void	
1823	Wm. J. TIERNEY.	3.70
1824	W. L. PULLEN.	40.84
1825	A. L. TREVANIS & B.H GOODWIN.	326.50
1826	COMMONWEALTH OF PENNA.	30.00
1827	HARTSTEIN HWD CO.	215.77
1828	J. STRALEY.	57.20
1829	J. DOMBROSKY.	40.00
1830	J. SOLES.	25.00
1831	J. SOLES.	28.50
1832	J. STRALEY.	52.00

John G. O'Brien
Secy

Nov. 14th. 1927

Franklin Fire House

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm. of Wilkins Twp. Called to order at 8 P.M. by the Pres. Mr Bossara

Roll Call. present - Mr Bossara Mr Augustine & Mr Leax.
absent. Mr Mc. Farland. - Mr Green late

Reading of minutes of regular meeting of Oct 4th & recessed meeting of Oct 11th. approved as read by the Secretary

Reading of Bills.

Moved by. moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax. that all bills be paid when properly approved. Carried

Report of Committees

Road. Mr Augustine Progress
Police. Mr Augustine Progress
Finance. Mr Leax. Progress
Water. Mr Mc. Farland. absent.

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax. to award Disbursement on Buildings to Wagner Realty Co. $4,000.00 Amount for 3 years. Carried

Mr Schmidt. asked Board to hold special meeting of Finance Committee re floating of Bonds to cover the outstanding debts. Hartman judgment $625 to $4000 to note Forbes Creek Bank & Trust Co. $1058.24 Water bill. Board agreed to meet in Mr Schmidt office Nov. 15th.

Mr Augustine asked board to approve buying of 3 feet Cement pipe for Highland ave Mr Sabol asked Board to put ~~Sewer~~ sewer pipe on Dorothy St so he could get ~~to~~ garage Mr Bossara adjourned

Mr Sabol that Board could not make any decision until after Finance Committee meet

Mr Bossara asked citizens as to whether or not they wished to be heard

Mr Kelley of Brown ave said that the Road had been improved since last meeting and if they would spend a few more days. Road would be in fair condition. - Mr Straley Road Supervisor said it would require some more to put road in proper condition

Mr Lepert. asked what action had been taken on Brown ave petition Mr Schmidt said he was waiting for forms that was necessary to file Claim with state highway Dept - Mr Augustine said he had tried to get some action but could not get a definite answer

Mr Bossara instructed secretary Mr O'Brien to write Mr Triggs Wabash building as to the Condition of Brown ave road due to hauling of Brick building new road by Mr Williams Contractor

Mr. Watt asked Board if they could move fire siren from present location as it will freeze in Winter and will not sound the alarm. Mr Augustine to look into matter

Mr Harding complained of the condition of bridges & did that nothing was done and he had come up with Board at Previous. Mr Augustine reported that he had taken same up with Mr Triggs but got no satisfaction

~~Asst~~ Secretary to write Mr Middleager on Bridges on Board ave. Road.

Mr Austin Highland ave asked the Board. if they would lay sewer while Road was under Construction and that citizens would pay their share if the Board would pay balance - the Board agreed to meet citizens at Mr Austins home Monday eve. Nov 8th.

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax. to adjourn. Carried

John. J. O'Brien
Secretary

Nov 16th - 1937
Franklin Fire house

Special Meeting of the Board of Comm at the call of the President Mr Bossard on Franklin

Meeting called to order at 8 pm by Mr Green Vice Pres at 8 pm

Roll Call. Present Mr Green, Augustine Mr Leax
Absent - Mr. Bossard & Mr McC. Harland

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax that Mr Kassay. Revise delayed taxes under Curative act. and add 5% Int on all current taxes. at the same time in order to save Board expense of filing these liens every year. ~~the~~ ~~collector~~ Mr Goodwin to work in conjunction with Mr Kassay. Nothing to reverse under 10 ayes Mr augustine. Mr Leax.
Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax that a warrant be drawn in account for $500 to Mr Brasier. Phone and 250 to Mr Kassay.
Aye Mr augustine & Mr Leax.

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax that all surplus funds from any appropriation be transfered to Road appropriation Carried after entire appropriation were covered.

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax to adjourn
Carried

John J. O'Brien
Secy.

Warrants Paid in Nov. 1937

1833	McKINNEY QUARRY.	$ 71.75
1834	DAISY ROBB.	49.05
1835	R.C. BAYNE.	81.00
1836	T. CREEK BANK & TRUST Co.	17.22
1837	T. CREEK AUTO PARTS.	1.30
1838	STAR PRINTING	4.00
1839	JOE AUGUSTINE	4.40
1840	HARTSTEIN HDW. Co.	115.64
1841	ROCHES BROS.	23.24
1842	PENN WATER Co.	39.94
1843	TOPPERS Co.	321.75
1844	DUQUESNE SLAG C.	164.84
1845	UNION FILLING STA	137.96
1846	B.T. ELLIOT	3.29
1847	M. MILEWSKI	6.00
1848	McKINNEY QUARRY	52.00
1849	PEOPLES GAS	3.00
1850	DUQUESNE LIGHT Co	2.55
1851	J. STRALEY	10.00
1852	C. HOPKINS	25.00
1853	JAS. SOLES	44.00

1854 J. STRALEY.	~~$~~ 57.20
1855 J. J. MASSOLE.	~~$~~ 250.00
1856 W. H. FRASHER.	~~$~~ 500.00
1857 C. C. HENSEL.	20.00

Jno. G. O'Brien
Secy

Dec 6th 1937

Franklin Fire House

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm of Wilkins Twp. called to order by the Pres. Mr Bossara at 8 pm

Roll call. Present Mr Bossara Mr Augustine Mr Green & Mr Leax. absent Mr Mc Farland

Reading of the minutes of the regular meeting of Nov 1st and special meeting of Nov. 16th. approved as read by the Pres. Mr Bossara

Mr Bossara called on Mr Abel Special Engineer on survey project, he explained to Board what had been done since he had taken Mr Hopkins place and explained that ~~done~~ due to an error on monuments that is was necessary to back over work that already been done and that Wilkins & Penn Twp line could not yet be established Survey now finished - and that is would take approx 6 mo to finish project

Report of Committees
Road. Mr Augustine Progress
Fire & Police Mr Augustine "
Progress Mr Leax. Progress
Water & Light. Mr Mc Farland. absent

Mr Augustine reported that Fire siren could not be moved until the outside cable was built said that light Co would not charge for moving same and reconnecting.

Reading of Bills.
Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leax that all bills be paid when properly approved. Carried

Mr Kossany asked to take the floor by Mr Bossara to explain the releasing of outlawed and other liens running a period of 5 years - Mr Kossany then presented Board with a copy of all papers now served and explained that it would not be necessary to renew these Liens for 5 years and that it would save the Township and also the property owners. one dollar on each Lien.

Mr Kossany also asked the Board to appoint him making of Audit for the cost of $75.00 - Moved by Mr Green second by Mr Leax. that Mr Kossany make Audit.

Moved by Mr Green second by Mr Leax that warrant be drawn for $75.00 covering the Balance of Cost for filing & copying of Liens - Carried.

Mr Bossara ~~that~~ said applications would be received the Board to fill Vacant place ~~board of health~~ due to expiration of Mr Palmo Term.

Application for completion of Survey project. Received, moved by Mr Green second by Mr Augustine that Secretary sign approval and return Carried

Police Report from Mr Vechter read and received by the Board Secy to file.

Mr Augustine reported that Gas Co had opened Chloe St. and asked if Secretary had issued permit Mr O'Brien Secretary reported no permit had been issued. Mr Bassara instructed Mr Augustine to get in touch with Gas Co. and instruct them to put street back in 1st class Condition

Mr Augustine asked Board to allow him to change Hardware Co's. Moved by Mr Green seconded by Mr Leax. that Mr Augustine be given permission to change to any Hardware Co. that he could get Special price on material Carried

Mr Allis asked Board what should be done about grade on this street Water Co. would not put in Water until grade was established. Mr Schmidt advised if new grade was established the Water Co could go ahead and put down line.

Letter read from Dr Meloy re building plans & plans by his Mother of Special Concessions on taxes was allowed. Mr Schmidt advised Board that this should not very well be done as every one building would ask for Concession — letter tabled

Mr Augustine reported that he had talked to Mr Haines on the Greensburg Pike, and that Mr Haines advised that he could get Welkins Twp & County aid to improve this Road Mr Augustine then advised Mr Haines the Greensburg Pike did not belong to Township and would not attempt to make any repair

Mr Schmidt solicitor said that he had talked to Mr Laboon about the Greensburg Pike and Mr Laboon said County did not claim this highway.

Moved by Mr Green seconded by Mr Augustine to adjourn

John J. O'Brien
Secretary

WARRANTS PAID DEC 1937

1858	M. BASSARA	$ 25.00
1859	G. GREEN	25.00
1860	J.G. O'BRIEN	93.75
1861	J. AUGUSTINE.	25.00
1862	J. LEAX	25.00
1863	Wm Mc FARLAND.	25.00
1864	THEO. H. SCHMIDT.	125.00
1865	R CHATLOS.	25.00
1866.	R. SMITH.	24.10.
1867	J. P. VECHTER.	30.00
1868	C.C. HENSEL.	10.00
1869	J. STRALEY.	52.00
1870	J. SOLES.	38.54
1871	J.G. O'BRIEN.	10.00
1872	DUQUESNE LIGHT Co.	3.81
1873	PENN WATER. Co.	21-11
1874	FRED. C. ABEL.	1.85
1875	Mc KINNEY QUARRY.	49.00
1876	UNION FILLING STA.	32.54
1877	R.C. BAYNE.	90.00
1878	LYNGOOD GARAGE.	28.85
1879	DAISY. ROBB.	47.85
1880	REMINTING RAND. Co.	4.00
1881	J. J. KASSOUF.	754.00
1882	WAGNER REALTY. Co.	200.00

1883	T. Creek. Bank & Trust Co	16.67
1884	Printers. Supply.	77.40
1885	Star. Printing. Co.	5.25
1886.	J.G. O'Brien.	7.25
1887	McClintock & Welsch.	113.57
1888.	Penn Water & Co.	1772.41
1889	Wilkins Twp Fire Co #1	25.00
1890	" " " " " #3.	25.00
1891	Jas. Soles.	36.00
1892	J. Straley.	57.20.
1893	B.F. Elliot. Co.	.90
1894	T. Creek. Bank & Trust Co.	17.22
1895	Gold Hammer Hwd Co.	1.20
1896	Hartstein Hwd. Co.	18.05
1897	C. Hopkins.	25.00
1898	Hartstein Hwd. Co.	7.00
1899	Penn. Water. Co.	55.16
1900	J. Straley.	59.80
1901	J. Soles.	40.00

Jno. Gorman
Secy

Jan. 3rd. 1938

Wilkins Twp #1 - Fire House

Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners Wilkins Twp. Called to order by Mr Bassara Pres at 8 PM.

Present Mr Bassara Mr Augustine Mr Leap Mr Green absent: Mr. McFarland.

Reading of Minutes of meeting of Dec 6th. approved. as read by Mr Bassara Pres.

Report of Committee.

Road. Mr Augustine. Progress

Police. Fire Mr Augustine - progress reported that #3 Co needed two tires for Truck.

Reading of bills

moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Green that all bill be paid when properly approved.

Mr Bassara thanked the Board of Health & Mr Smith Building Inspector for their Cooperation for the past two years.

Moved by Mr Green second by Mr Augustine to adjourn the as Mr Green Plans for Xmas carried

- Mr. Bassara then acted as temporary Chairman as Mr Michael Reichl was removed as a member of the Board of Commissioners.

Board then went into election of Officers as Board reorganized.

Mr Bassara nominated for Pres. of Board by Mr Augustus 2nd by Mr Leax.

Mr Augustus moved that Nom be closed seconded by Mr Leax there being no other nominees. Secretary cast ballots for Mr Bassara and declared him elected.

Moved by Mr Neihl 2nd by Mr Augustus that Mr Jas Leax be nominated for Vice Pres. Carried

Moved by Mr Augustus 2nd by Mr Neihl that nominations for Vice Pres be closed. Their being no other nominees. Secretary cast ballot for Mr Leax. and Mr Bassara declared elected.

Moved by Mr Leax 2nd by Mr Augustus that Mr O'Brien be retained as Secretary for insuing year. there being no other applications Mr Bassara cast ballot for Mr O'Brien and declared him elected.

Secretary read Mr Thos. H Schmidt application for Solicitor for Twp for insuing Term. Moved by Mr Augustus 2nd by Mr Neihl that Mr Schmidt be elected for the Office of Solicitor there no other Nominees Mr Bassara cast ballot and declared Mr Schmidt elected

Mr Bassara Pres. appointed Committees as follows.

Road. Mr Augustus
Police & Fire. Mr Neihl.
Finance. Mr Leax
Claims & Property Mr Leax.
Water & Light— Mr Neihl appointed to serve in Mr Mc Farlands place until he recovers from present illness.

Secretary read Mr Baynes application for Engineer for insuing term. Moved by Mr Augustus 2nd by Mr Leax that Mr Bayne act as Engineer for insuing term. Carried

Secretary read applications for Road Supervisor - Mr Augustus asked Mr Bassara to postpone appointment until next regular meeting 9 Jan 1911

Application read from Mr Fisher to act as Special Officer to enforce Dog Law. -

Moved by Mr Neihl 2nd by Mr Leax that Mr Fisher be appointed. Carried

Secretary read. Application from Mr Robert Smith for Building inspector.

Moved by Mr Neihl 2nd by Mr Leax that Mr Smith be appointed as building inspector. Carried

The following Applications were received. for Special Police Officers.
Mr. Hensel. Mr Vechter and Mr Urban.

Moved by Mr Reid seconded by Mr Knox that Secret ballot be taken.

The following is result of ballot cast.
Mr Vechter //// Read (4 Votes)
" Urban //// " (4 Votes)
" Mr Hensel " (0. Votes)

Mr Bossana declared Mr Vechter & Mr Urban elected

Application for Board of Health read. Moved by Mr Lee seconded by Mr Leas that election be held over until next regular meeting of Jan 10th

Bids were opened for Insurance on 4 Fire Trucks & 1 Dump Truck as advertised in the Independent Dec 23rd.

The following bids were received.

Mr Roberts representing the American Casualty Co. bid as follows

4 Fire Trucks & 1 - International Truck
$10000 & $20000 Liability $850.00
$5000 Property Loss 400.00
Total $1250.00

Bid from Henry Rowman & Co representing The Hartford Indemnity Co. bid as follows.
Int. Truck. 10 and 20 thous Liability
$500 property damage. $100.60
Fair Insurance Commission $367.00
Total $. $1568.60

Bid from Wagner Realty Co. representing the Royal Indemnity Co. bid as follows.
$5 and 10 thous. Liability $26.88
$500 Property damage. 428.00
Total. $125 4 68

After some discussion all bids were given to Mr Schmidt to investigate and report to Board Thursday Eve Jan. 6th at which time Board the Notify. Agent of Company accepted.

Report of Mr Vechter Special police read by Secretary. accepted by Pres. Mr Bossana Secretary to file

Report of Building inspector Mr Smith read by Secretary. accepted by Mr Bossana after thanks Mr Smith Secretary to file

Report of Board of Health from Mr Dutch secretary - read. accepted by Mr Bossana unanimous vote of thanks - Secretary to file.

Moved by Mr Reid seconded by Mr Leas that all salaries & Employees remain the same as year of 1933 until budget was set Carried

Letter of Complaint from Stoney Creek Democratic Club: read by Secretary
Letter was in form of Complaint from Citizens of the Club living in Various parts of Township Complaining of Condition of Roads. asking Board of Towns to take some action.

Mr Bassara advised the Citizens that they would take care of Roads. first as soon as they could get to them.

Beds for Stone Received from the following for Stone

Proper Trust Co. 8 cts per ton

Welkensburg. real estate Co
10 cts per ton.

Mc. Kinney Quarry 10 cts per ton

Moved by Mr Neal seconded by Mr Leap to accept the above bids
Carried.

Moved by Mr Leax seconded by Mr Leax that the Board of Towns pay one half of Cost new adding Machine and School Board to pay one half. for use of Auditors
Cost of Machine $58.00 (Carried)

Petition from the Citizens of Mc. Masters and Complaining of the Condition of Mc. Masters and.

Mr Bassara advised the Citizens that Board would take action just as soon as it was possible

Mr Rice said that promise had been made to start the Street some time ago but has been put off for some reason and said that due to the deplorable Condition of the Street that Board should take action at once if possible.

Mr Cherry of the School Board said they were very anxious to see Mc. Masters and. Finished on account of the Children who have to travel Street to and from School, but said that from what he understood all property had not yet signed release of damages. against the Township

Mr Augustine asked Mr Bayne what had been done in regard to Brown ave., Mr Bayne said that he had not yet received reply.

Mr Bassara asked as to whether or not any citizen wished to be heard

Mr Allen asked the Board if it was possible to get Water for the people on 1st Street - said the property Owners would pay part of the Costs
Mr Bassara advised Mr Allen that it would be necessary to float and have all the citizens Vote on same

Mr Tilly said that new road in Brown ave Hollow. said no guard rails were up to protect pedestrians and Cars. also asked Board to consider appropriation of money for Lights in Township.

Mr Green said old route 7 & 1 was in worse condition than ever as guard rails were falling down and bank slipping.

Mrs Madsen reported she had fell in open drain on Neptune Ave and got hurt and destroyed her wearing apparel on Dec 16 29 said no warning light was placed there said she had notified Mr Augustus after the accident.

Mr Augustus said that he investigated this complaint and found that this drain had been filled but later sunk a few inches due to machines crossing same - Mr Bossara asked Mrs Madsen to present bill of damage to board.

Mr Jos Yost filed complaint with the Comm. on behalf of Fire Co # 1 asked that Secretary read duties of the Trustees of the Fire Co. after this had been done Mr Yost said that building was turned over to the Comm with the understanding that they would pay bill for lumber due from Carter Bros., and that Fire Co was to have charge of the building, he also stated that the Board of Comm. let the W.P.A. use this building without first asking the Trustees of the Fire Co if they were agreeable, said Board should cooperate with Fire Co.

Mr Bossara agrees with Mr Yost that this was true but that Board had acted without thinking of getting permission from the Fire Co but said this was not purposely done.

Mr Yost also complained of the equipment of the # 1 Fire Co. said they only had 3 pr of boots & 6 coats.

Mr Bossara asked Mr Neild Chairman of Fire & Police to investigate

Mr Kirkpatrick advised the Citizens that Mr Harold Gray should be contacted for permission to use this building

Moved by Mr Augustus second by Mr Leax that meeting recess until Jan 10 29 Carried

Jan 10th 1938
Wilkins Hyp. Fire Co #1

Continuation of the recessed meeting of Jan 3rd. Called to order by the Pres. Mr Bossara. at 8 o'clock P.M.

Roll Call
Present Mr Bossara Mr Leax
Mr Augustus Mr Neild
Absent Mr McFarland.

Moved by Mr Neild second by Mr Leax. that Contract for Insurance be given to Mr Wagner - for $1034 P& M on 10/20 Thos. Liability and $500 property damage. with the Gen Accident Fire & Ins Co- Carried

Moved by Mr Neild second by Mr Leax. that Mr Heath plan on member of the Board be Vacated due to him not attending meetings. Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax that Mr D. J. Otto Wells & Mr Alex Piemsky be appointed as members of the Board of Health. Mr Wells to serve 2 years & Mr Piemsky 1 year
Carried

Application for position as road supervisor read.
Mr Neil Weibl - Mr Bosshard and Yost & Mr Straley filed application

Moved by Mr Leax second by Mr Weibl that secret ballot be taken
(Carried)

Result of Ballot.
Mr M. Weibl rec'd 20 Votes
Mr Bosshard " " "
Mr A. Yost " " "
Mr Straley rec'd. 4. Votes.
Mr Bossard declared Mr Straley elected.

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax the Ordinance Officer and building inspector be combined. and that Mr Robt Smith serve in this capacity (Carried)

Mr Augustine asked Board for permission to remove all men from Mc Kinney Quarry.

Moved by Mr Weibl second by Mr Leax to remove men from Mc Kinney Quarry - Mr Augustine to take Carried
Care of same

Bill of $15.50 for damage to wearing Apparel & Doctor Bill presented by Mrs. Madigan - Moved by Mr Weibl second by Mr Augustine that bill be paid after ~~~~ investigation by Mr Leax
Carried

Mr Theo. H. Schmidt Twp Solicitor addressed the Board. & Comm that when Bond issue for payment of outstanding Bills went thru. all delinquent taxes would have to be used for sinking funds to pay same. and that Board could not operate during current year of 1938 - on Current Taxes - The Board & Comm. after some discussion decided to hold a mass meeting of all the citizens to discuss the probability of increasing the Millage Meeting to be held. Jan 18th. 1st Dist. at Belmore school & Jan 19th. 2nd Dist at Franklin School

Mr Allies advised Comm that his Father had an old barn to rent for approx $5 per mo if the Township was anxious for a place to store material

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax to adjourn. Carried

John J. O'Brien
Secy.

Warrants Paid in Jan 1938.

1902	J. STAGLEY.	$ 10.00
1903	P. C. BYRNE.	63.00
1904	DUQUESNE LIGHT CO.	1.84
1905	PEOPLES GAS. CO.	3.52
1906	Void.	
1907	JAS. SOLES.	37.50
1908.	J. STAGLEY.	52.00
1910	Void.	

John J. O'Brien
Secy.

Feb. 7th 1938
Wilkins Twp #1 Fire house

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm of Wilkins Twp. called to order by the Chas. Mr Bassara. at 8 pm

Roll call. Present Mr Bassara Mr Leax Mr Augustine Mr Neihl absent. Mr Mc Farland.

Reading of minutes of the regular meeting of Jan 3rd. and recessed meeting of Jan 10th - approved as read by Mr Bassara

Report of Committees

Police - Mr Neihl - asked secretary to read report, accepted and filed.

Fire - Mr Neihl. after investigation Mr Neihl reports that #3 Co needed two new tires for Truck and #1 Co needed. Coats + Boots Claims - Mr Leax. all claims pooled

Finances Mr Leax Progress

Water. Mr Neihl answering for Mr Mc Farland - Progress

Reading of Bills by the secretary Moved by. Mr Neihl second by Mr Leax that all bills be paid when properly approved

Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine
Second by Mr Leax that the
$4000.00 note held by Turtle Creek
Bank & Trust Co be renewed.
Carried

Mr Schmidt solicitor reported
that he had taken up with the Public
Service Comm. in regard to laying
9 Water line on 1st or Linhart St
in Linhart after Water Co said
it would cost $1500.00 to lay the line
with 8 taps on line, Water Co said
they would make refund for any
additional taps that were made after line
had been laid, Mr Schmidt further
reported that he had received reply
from public Service Comm. in regard
to bid protesting the right of the
Water Co. to collect 6% interest on
the outstanding water bill which
would amount to approx. $1500.00, the
Public Service Comm advises Mr Schmidt
that they had taken this matter up
with Water Co. informally. and would
advise at a later date

Mr Schmidt advises the Board
of Comm that under the new Law
that was recently passed, that
it would not be necessary for the
Treasurer to take out seperate Bonds
for Road & School Tax

Moved by Mr Leax seconded by
Mr Augustine that Secretary notify
Turtle Creek Bank & Trust to transfer
temporarily $1200.00 from general fund
to Sinking Fund in order to pay
off Bond that are due in April
Carried

Secretary raised question in
regards to Police fidelity Bond
Mr Augustine asked the President
Mr Bassara to postpone until
later

Moved by Mr Augustine
seconded by Mr Leax that Turtle Creek
Bank & Trust Co. act as depository
for Year of 1938
Carried

Secretary asked Mr Bassara
to hold meeting to set up budget
Board agree to meet at Mr Schmidt
Office Monday Eve Feb 14th

Mr Bassara then asked Citizens
as to whether or not they wished to
be heard.

Mr Lippert asked for
the floor to represent group of
Citizens that had made a survey
of outstanding taxes that were due
and he thought that if some effort
was made to collect these taxes that
the Board would have plenty of
money to operate, without raising
the millage, and asked the Board
at this time not to raise millage
as most of the Property Owners could
not pay any additional Taxes

Mr Bassara thanked Mr
Lippert for the interest he had
taken in trying to help the Board
solve their financial troubles

Mr Kelley again brought up
the condition of Old Route 741
and asked Board to go after the
State to repair this road.

Mr Bassara promised

that himself and some of the Board were going down to Mr Neidenberger's office Sat-Dec. 18th and see what they could do and report to Citizens at the next regular meeting- he also instructed the Secretary to write Mr Burke and have him send some one to take care of this at once

Mr Little asked Board to investigate the Condition Road at Meadow Road St. said it was almost impossible to get cars out when weather was wet. Mr Bassara asked Mr Augustine to investigate

Mr Hardie complained on Condition of Route 741- said wall had slipped and bursted gas line, and that Gas Co had asked him to pay a bill of $42.00- the cost of repairing the Line.

Mr Leppert asked Mr Bassara if the Board would arrange to have a joint meeting with the School Board & County Comm., in regard to collecting the back taxes due them, Mr Cherry member of the School Board was present and said he was sure the School Board would go along with the Commissioners

Moved by Mr Neikl second by Mr Leox. that the Board arrange to meet School Board and try and work out plan for collection of delinquent taxes Carried

Mrs Madigan asked the Board if they were going to do anything to have her property repaired that she claims was damaged by blasting in Sivaskis Stone Quarry by the W.P.a., Mr Thos Bechtold Solicitor of the Township advised that the Board of Comm was not responsible for any damage done by W.P.a.

Mr Chatlos asked Board to put a few loads of ashes on Mortimer Ave this that mail man could not travel this route unless same was repaired.

Mr Bassara asked Mr Augustine to look after this matter

Mr Bassara extended a Vote of Thanks to #1 Fire Co for the excellent Condition of the Fire House

Moved by Mr Neikl Second by Mr Leox. to adjourn Carried

John. L. O'Brien
Secretary

Warrants Paid in Feb.-1938

1	J. STRALEY.	57.20
2	JAS. SOLES.	40.00
3	DUQUESNE LIGHT Co.	5.92
4	J.J. PASSONE.	85.55
5	McCLINTOCK & WELSCH. Co.	375.52
6	RUTTER BROS.	2.53
7	UNION FILLING STA.	136.60.
8	TURTLE CREEK WELDING SHOP.	2.50
9	WILKINS BURG. REAL ESTATE Co.	16.00

10	KELLEYS GARAGE.	5.90
11	T. CREEK AUTO PARTS.	4.93.
12	GOLDHAMMER. SO.	103.10
13	MCKINNEY. QUARRY.	66.80
14	R.C. BAYNE.	132.00
15	FIREMANS. RELIEF ASSC.	65.52
16	LYNWOOD. GARAGE.	45.00
17	JESSIE M. COLBERT.	1.10
18	COMM. OF PENNA.	259.00
19	PEOPLES. GAS. CO.	3.60
20	ROCHES. BROS.	10.35
21	T. CREEK TRUST CO.	17.22
22	" " " "	11.00
23	STAR. PRINTING. CO.	19.80
24	STEVE & MILDRED MADSSAR.	15.52
25	A. L. RAMLAY.	10.50
26.	A. PARK. DIBLER.	1.20
27	B.H. GOODWIN.	53.94

John. G. O'Brien
Secy.

March 7th 1938
Wilkins Twp. Fire Co #1

Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Twp. Called to order at 8:15 PM by the Chrs. Mr Bassara.

Roll Call. Present Mr Bassara Mr Leap. Mr Augustine Mr Reichl absent. Mr Mc Harland

Reading of the minutes of the regular meeting of Feb-1

Mr Bassara at this time asked Mr Newman Supervisor of the WPA if he would take the floor and explain to the citizens the position of the WPA in regard to Wilkins Twp.

Mr Newman stated that no other municipality in Allegheny Co. had received as much aid as Wilkins Twp. and paid that the Comm and Citizens of Wilkins Twp. passed up $286.000 that is yet to be spent for the $700.00 & that the Twp had to raise that the were certainly due for a lot of criticism. Criticism, also said that more and per person than any other other Twp. Wilkins had rec'd $12.00 per man against $4.96 per man that other Twp. - he also stated that he would give Twp all the aid he could possibly give them, he also stated that if project was suspended it would be necessary

for the Twp would have to agree to spend 25% to get the project reopened at a later date, and paid the citizens of the Twp. and help them raise necessary moneys to finance project. Mr Bossen asked Mr Newman if he would be asked to answer any questions that the citizens may wish to ask. Mr Newman declined to answer any questions.

Mr Bossen extend Mr Newman a vote of thanks in behalf of the Board. for coming out to Meeting -

Report of Committees
Road. Mr Augustine Progress
Fire & Police - Mr Neibl. Progress
Water. Mr Neibl answering for Mr McFarland asked the question as to whether or not - Bond #30 500 00 held by water Co was binding. Mr Schmidt answering said he had same agreement and that same was a legal & binding contract, but that he was going to go over same just as soon as the question of payment of interest outstanding Water bill was settled

Mr Schmidt presented Bond for year of 1931. moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Leap that premium of $10 00 be paid and Bond filed. Carried

Reading of bills by the Secretary moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Neibl that all bills be paid when properly approved Carried

Bill for $5 00 from Bruhn supply Co for lubricant - moved by Mr Neibl second by Mr Leap to pay Carried

Bill for $73 00 Cohen Co for Boots & Coats for #1 Fire Co. moved by Mr Leap second by Mr Augustine to pay Carried

Bill for $110 00 Hunter Co for two Tires for #3 Fire Co Truck. moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Neibl to pay Carried

Bill for $24 00 Mr R C Bayne Eng services for month of Feb. 1931 moved by Mr Neibl second by Mr Augustine to pay Carried

Bill for $3 25 received from Mr Chattas for tube & cost of burning dog Mr Leap said he was not in favor of paying Mr Neibl suggested that Mr Chattas adjust bill before same was paid Mr Chattas was present and said to forget it & Board did not owe it to pay.

Mr Schmidt called attention of the Board on Treasurer Bond said total of $2500 00 for School & Twp was all that was necessary Mr Cherry Sec of School Board said that School Board had agreed to $1700 00 Bond for School - $800 00 Bond for Road moved by Mr Neibl second by Mr Leap to approve $800 00 Bond for Road Twp Carried

Mr Bassard at this time asked the Citizens as to whether or not they wished to be heard.

Mr Johnson talked on the raising of Millage and said that as far as he was concerned he agreed to raise of Millage if this was solution for going on with W P A Work.

Mr Gebhart said he thought that the question of raising Millage was in order at this time for consideration

Mr Allee again raised the question on Water line on Linhart St. Said 3 out of 8 had agreed to pay part of installation charges if W P A could dig ditch - Mr Bassard told Mr Allee to get all property to come to same agreement and report back at later meeting

Mr Carods said he had to lay own Water line and pay for same and did not see why they should pay for laying of line on Linhart St.

Mr James Walker bitterly opposed raising of Millage and said that if Millage was raised that they would get no more taxes from him

Mr Jackson Clingston Sr said he was in favor of raising the Millage if this would be solution of getting Wilkins Twp out of the mud

Mr Green Brown Sr said that matter of the conditions of Brown Ave road should be put in hands of attorney to bring action, he also stated that he did not think that Mr Kerman was sincere in any statement he made, said that $348000.00 was spent for 4 mile of road. and that he did not think the balance of $286000.00 would not cover 5 mile of road now under construction

Mr Hardie stated that he had to pay for $6042.00 for cost of repairing broken line caused by slip in road

Mr Lippert again gave the citizens the findings of the committee on outstanding taxes. and was very bitterly opposed to raising Millage

Mr James Harrison said he was very much in favor of raising taxes in order to help the Commissioners out of their present difficulties

Mr Johnson asked the Board to recess meeting at this time to get voice of citizens on Millage raise question - Moved by Mr Augustine second that meeting recess untill citizens come to some understanding Carried

Agreement of the Board that budget and Finance meeting be held Monday March 14th. at Mr Schmidts office.

Moved by Mr Neeld Second
by Mr Leach to adjourn
Carried

John G. O'Brien
Secy.

Warrant paid in March. 1938

April 4th 1938

Wilkins Twp. Fire Co #1

Regular meeting of the Board of Town of Wilkins Twp. Called to order by the Pres. Mr Bassara at 8 pm

Roll Call

Present. Mr Bassara. Leax & Mr Neikl

absent. Mr Augustine & Mr. Farland

Reading of minutes of the regular meeting of Board. 7th. Approved as Corrected by Mr Schmidt solicitor that Bond for Treas. be set at $25000.00

Report of Committees

Road. Mr Augustine absent.

Fire & Police. Mr Neikl Progress

Finance Mr Leax Progress

Claims Mr Leax none

Water & Light. Mr Neikl answering for Mr Mc. Farland. reported progress.

Police report read by Secretary

Moved by Mr Neikl seed by Mr Leax to receive and file Carried

Reading of bills by Secretary

Moved by Mr Leax second by Mr Neikl that all bills be paid when properly approved. Carried

Moved by Mr Leax second by Mr Neikl that Auditors be paid on bill turned in at $60.00 each Carried.

Moved by Mr Neikl second by Mr Leax that bill for Twp truck repairs be paid (Carried)

Resolution moved by Mr Neikl seconded by Mr Leax. that Commonwealth Trust Co of Phila Pa. Be and they are hereby authorized and directed to deliver unto Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co $16500.00 par Value of such security as said Commonwealth Trust Co now holds, securing the funds on deposit in Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co to credit of said Wilkins Township. (Carried)

Reading of Schedule C. known as budget for year of 1938. in Wilkins Twp moved by Mr Neikl second by Mr Leax that Schedule be adopted. (Carried)

Moved by Mr Neikl seconded by Mr Leax. that Secretary notify Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co to transfer $1200.00 from sinking fund to General Fund. to replace that amount transfered from General fund to sinking fund Carried

Mr Schmidt asked Board to pass resolution to send him to Harrisburg to try and induce State Teachers Retirement fund to buy the $30000.00 Worth of Bonds offered for sale by Wilkins Twp

Moved by Mr Leax second by Mr Neikl that Mr Schmidt go to Harrisburg. to see Bonds Carried

Moved by Mr Neikl second by Mr Leax to pay refund to Home Loan Corp. 4.98 occupation taxes Carried

Mr Bossara asked the Citizens at this time as to whether or not they wished to be heard.

Mr Watt asked Mr Schmidt the Solicitor if it was legal to Lien acc. taxes with property Tax. Mr Schmidt advised that when Sheriff Sale the occupation tax was liable to the owner of property

Mr Little complained that on Coal Street two sewers and water was going in private water line and washing dirt from top of pipes - Mr Bossara instructed Mr Straley to remove one of these sewers.

Summons received to answer Penn Water Co. on payment of Water bill in Common Pleas Court - Moved by Mr Neikirk Second by Mr Leax that Solicitor take Care of this matter Carried

Mr Hasbrough asked the Board to have road scraped in the New Bishop plan as it was formerly Shops - Mr Bossara asked Mr Neikirk to take Care of this matter

Mr Evans Complained about Speeding on Harrison Road. Mr Vechter Police Officer was present and said he could not make any arrest until Speed signs were posted

Moved by Mr Neikirk Seconded by Mr Leax to have Mr Straley take down present speed signs and have same changed to read - Speed limit 30 miles per hour Carried

Moved by Mr Leax Second by Mr Neikirk to recess meeting until April 18th at which time bids will be opened for the sale of $30000.00 worth of Bonds. Carried

April 18th 1938

Wilkins Twp Fire Co #1

Continuation of recessed meeting of April 4th. Called to Order by the Chairman Mr Bossara at 8 PM

Roll Call

Present Mr Bossara - Mr Leax Mr Neikirk

Absent Mr Augustine & Mr McFarland

Mr Bossara pres. asked if any more Bids were in the hands that were not yet presented to the Board., there being none Mr Bossara opened meeting

Moved by Mr Neikirk Second by Mr. Leax. that Bids be opened for Sale of Bonds.

Bids received as follows.

SINGER. DEANE & SCRIBNER	3 % int.	$ 243.50 Prem
E.H. ROLLINS & SONS.	3 1/4 %	$ 230.79
S.K. CUNNINGHAM & SONS.	3 1/4 %	$ 205.50
CHANDLER & Co. INC.	3 1/4 %	$ 155.70
JOHNSON & McLEAN	3 3/4 %	213.00
LEACH. BROS. INC.	4 %	$ 105.00

Resolution read by Mr Schmidt Solicitor as follows.

Whereas, pursuant to advertisement given according to law, the following bids have been received for the purchase of the issue of Bonds of the Township of Wilkins ~~Township of Wilkins~~ County of Allegheny, Pennsylvania.

in the sum of $30000.00, dated May 1st 1938 and known as Operating Revenue Bonds, Series of 1938.

NAME OF BIDDER	INT RATE	PREMIUM
BINGER. DEANE & SCRIBNER	3%	$ 243.50
E. H. ROLLINS & SONS.	3¼%	$ 230.79
S. T. CUNNINGHAM & Co.	3½%	$ 205.50
CHANDLER & Co INC.	3½%	$ 155.70
JOHNSON & McLEAN	3¾%	$ 213.00
LEACH BROS. INC.	4%	$ $105.00

And whereas it appears that Binger Deane & Scribner with its bid par, accrued interest and a premium of $243.50 for 3% bonds is the highest responsible bidder,

Now Therefore Be it Resolved, that the said bonds to bear interest 3% be awarded to Binger Deane & Scribner in accordance with its aforesaid bid, and the proper Officers of the Township are Authorized and empowered to deliver the said Bonds to the purchaser upon receipt of the Purchase price as specified in said bid.

Be it further resolved, that the certified checks accompanying the bids of the unsuccessful bidders be returned to them by the Secretary of the Township.

Certificate

I John G O'Brien, Secretary of the Township of Wilkins Allegheny County Penna. do hereby Certify that the foregoing and attached is a true Copy of resolution which was duly adopted at the regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors held on the 18th day of April 1938, at which quorum was present, and said resolution is duly recorded upon record of Board of Supervisors.

John G O'Brien
Secretary

Moved by Mr Neidl second by Mr Leax that foregoing resolution be adopted and that $30000.00 worth of Bonds be sold to Binger Deane & Scribner

Carried

Moved by Mr Neidl seconded by Mr Leax that Ordinance #126 be read for 1st time -

Carried

Ordinance read for 1st time by Mr Schmidt Solicitor -

Moved by Mr Leax second by Mr Neidl to adopt Ordinance #126 as read for 1st time

Carried

Moved by Mr Neidl second by Mr Leax to read Ordinance #126 for the 2nd time. Carried

Ordinance #126 read for the second time by Mr Schmidt Solicitor

Moved by Mr Neidl second by Mr Leax that Ordinance #126 be adopted as read 2nd time

Carried

Moved by Mr Neidl second by Mr Leax that Board of Commissioners waive all rules of Order and that Ordinance #126 be read for 3rd time Carried

Ordinance #126. read for 3rd time by Mr Schmidt Solicitor

Moved by Mr Neikl seconded by Mr Leax that Ordinance #126 be passed and adopted as 3rd reading
Voting aye. Mr Bowers. Neikl + McKeon. Carried

Bids opened for making Bonds

Security Bank note Co. $55.00
F. English Lithographing Co. $48.00

Moved by Mr Neikl seconded by Mr Leax that F. English Co. be given Contract for making Bonds
Carried

Mr Schmidt then made report on trip to Harrisburg in regards to sale of Bonds. reported that State Teachers retirement Board was not very anxious to buy bonds as they had purchased $40000.00 worth of State Bonds at 4% interest. He also reported that he had talked to Mr Wayne Meyers. State Highway Dept in regard to condition of some of the roads in Wilkins Twp. such as route 741, 743 and that any damage suits that may be involved. ~~not~~ will be up to the State Highway Dept, and also informed State Highway Dept that we had written several times to Pittsburgh Office and that we could not even get reply from this Office. Mr Meyers said he would contact Pittsburgh Office, and have them get in touch with Comm of Wilkins Twp.

OFFICIAL. TOWNSHIP OF WILKINS. ORD. #126

An ordinance increasing the Bonded indebtedness of the Township of Wilkins, County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Penna. in the amount of Thirty Thousand ($30.000.00) Dollars by the issue of Bonds with Semi-annual Coupons attached, the whole of said increase to provide funds for the purpose of paying Operating expenses of said Township; fixing the Form, Number, Date, Interest Maturity, Etc thereof, authorizing the execution and sale thereof, Levying a Tax to pay the Debt, Interest and State Tax upon said Bonds making an appropriation pending Collection of said Tax, Setting aside uncollected Taxes as a Trust Fund for the Redemption of said Bonds, and Authorizing and Directing the filing of Statement as required by Law and Rescinding Conflicting Ordinances,

Whereas in Order to meet the emergency occasioned by the extraordinary decrease in Tax Collection due to business depression and wide-spread unemployment it is necessary to increase the bonded indebtedness of the Township of Wilkins Allegheny County, Penna in the amount of Thirty Thousand ($30000.00) Dollars for the purpose of the payment of the Operating Expenses of the Township and,

Whereas by act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Penna, approved the 18th Day of May 1933. P.L 813 Townships are authorized to issue and sell, at not less than par, bonds interest at a

not exceeding six per centum per annum, payable in not more than (10) years from the date of said bonds in an amount not exceeding Eighty per centum of the amount of uncollected taxes due on real estate at the date of the adoption of the Ordinance authorizing such bonds for the purpose of payment of the operating expenses of the Township, and

Whereas, there are now due the said Township of Wilkins delinquent uncollected taxes on real estate in the sum of $51847.65, and the Township has not borrowed any amount under the authority of said Act

Now, Therefore be it Ordained and Enacted by the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Wilkins, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by and with the authority of the same

Section #1

That the bonded indebtedness of the Township of Wilkins, County of Allegheny Commonwealth of Penna be and same is hereby increased by the amount of Thirty thousand ($30000.00) Dollars, for the purpose of payment of the operating expenses of the Township.

Section #2. That the said indebtedness shall be evidenced by Coupon bonds to the number of Thirty (30) numbered from one (1) to (30) Thirty inclusive, designated "Operating Revenue Bonds, Series (1938) for the principal sum of One thousand ($1,000.00) Dollars each, dated and bearing interest from May 1st 1938, at the rate of (3%) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of May and November in each year

during term of said bonds, which shall mature on the following dates

BONDS #1 to 3	INCLUSIVE	ON MAY 1st	1939
" #4 to 6	"	" " "	1940
" #7 to 9	"	" " "	1941
" #10 to 12	"	" " "	1942
" #13 to 15	"	" " "	1943
" #16 to 18	"	" " "	1944
" #19 to 21	"	" " "	1945
" #22 to 24	"	" " "	1946
" #25 to 27	"	" " "	1947
" #28 to 30	"	" " "	1948

Provided, however, that the Township of Wilkins shall have the right to redeem at par any or all of Bonds #16 to 30 of this issue before the date fixed therefor on the first day of May 1943, or on any subsequent interest paying date beginning with these last falling due on giving thirty days prior written notice to Registered holders of the bonds selected for redemption addressed to the last known address, and on publication of Notice in a newspaper of general circulation published in the City of Pittsburgh, Penna, once a week for two successive weeks, the last publication being not more than thirty days, nor less than fifteen days prior to the date of redemption.

Section #3. The forms of said bonds and Coupon shall be substantially as follows.

United States of America Comm of Penna,

County of Allegheny.

Township of Wilkins

Operating Revenue Bonds
Series of 1938

No — $1,000.00

Know all Men By These Presents that the Township of Wilkins, County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Penna, a Municipal Corporation existing by and under the laws of said Commonwealth, for Value received, hereby acknowledges itself indebted and promises to pay to the bearer, or if registered to the registered owner hereof, the just sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1000.00) on the first day of May, 19 19 — unless called for prior redemption as hereinafter provided, with interest thereon at the rate of (3%) three per centum, payable semi-annually on the first day of the month of May and November in each year on presentation and surrender of the interest Coupons hereto attached as they severally become due, without deduction for any tax (except gift) succession or inheritance taxes) which may be levied or assessed thereon or on this bond or on the fees secured hereby, pursuant to any present or future law of the Commonwealth of Penna, all of which taxes the Township of Wilkins hereby assumes and agrees to pay, as same may be, from time to time assessed thereon, making this bond free of tax to the holder hereof in Pennsylvania.

Both principal and interest and payable in lawful money of the United States at the Turtle Creek Bank and Trust Company, Turtle Creek, Penna.

The Township of Wilkins has reserved the option to redeem at

par ~~the~~ any or all bonds nos. 16 to 30 of this issue before the date fixed thereafter on the first day of May, 1943 or on any subsequent interest paying date beginning with these last falling due, on giving thirty days' prior written notice to registered holders of the bonds selected for redemption, addressed to the last known address, and on publication of a notice in a newspaper of general circulation published in the City of Pittsburgh Penna, once a week for two successive weeks, the last publication being not more than thirty days nor less than fifteen days prior to the date of redemption.

This bond is one of a series of Thirty (30) bonds of like date, amount and tenor, except as they differ in date of maturity, numbered consecutively from one (1) to Thirty (30) inclusive, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of Thirty thousand ($30000.00) Dollars, issued in accordance with the act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Penna approved the twenty-third of April 1874, P.L. 65 and the several amendments thereof and supplements thereto and particularly in accordance with an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Penna. approved the 18th day of May, 1933 P.L. 813 and by virtue of an ordinance of the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Wilkins and a sworn statement of the principal officers thereof as appears of record in office of the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions in and for the County of Allegheny

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania ss
Possess. 1938

It is hereby certified that all acts, Conditions and things required to be or to be done, happen and be performed precedent to and in the issue of this bond or in the creation of the debt of which it is evidence, have been done, happened, and been performed in regular and due form and manner as required by law, and that this bond, together with all other indebtedness of said Township of Wilkins is not in excess of any Constitutional or Statutory limitations and for the prompt and full payment of all the obligations of this bond the entire property, Faith, Credit, taxing power and resources of said Township of Wilkins and particularly uncollected taxes in the sum of $51.847.65 due on real estate, set aside in Emergency Trust Fund #1 of said Township, are hereby irrevocably pledged.

This bond shall pass by delivery ~~title~~ or it may be registered upon books of the ~~Secretary~~ of said Township, after such registrations of ownership, which shall be certified hereon by the said Secretary, no transfer except upon the books of said, Secretary shall be valid unless the last transfer so registered shall have been to bearer and the transferability by delivery thereby restored, but it shall continue subject to successive registration and transfer to bearer as aforesaid, at the option of the holder. The transferability of the coupons by delivery shall not be affected by registrations of this bond.

It is hereby certified that an annual tax sufficient for the payment at maturity of the principal of the Series of bonds of which this is a part, together with the interest and state tax thereon in accordance with the terms and conditions thereof has been properly levied and assessed, and that said tax is not in excess of any legal limitations

In witness Whereof, the Township of Wilkins has caused this bond to be properly executed by its President of the Board of Commissioners and the Common and corporate seal of said Township of Wilkins to be hereto affixed, attested by the Secretary of the Board of Commissioners of the said Township and has also caused the coupons hereto attached to be authenticated with the facsimile signature of its Secretary as of date the first day of May - 1938.

Township of Wilkins
By Mr Bossard
Pres of the Board of
Commissioners

attest
John J O'Brien
Secretary of the Board
of Commissioners

Form of Coupon

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On the first day of - 19 -
unless the appurtenant bond shall have called for prior redemption, the Township of Wilkins, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, will pay the bearer

at the Turtle Creek Bank and Trust Company, Turtle Creek, Pennsylvania Dollars, free of tax, being six months, interest on its Operating Revenue Bonds, Series of 1938, dated the first day of May 1938. Numbered ——

no.

Secretary

United States of America
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
Township of Wilkins

$1,000.

Operating Revenue Bond
Series of 1938

Due May first 19—
Interest payable on the first Days
Of May & November
At the Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co
Turtle Creek, Pennsylvania

Nothing written here except by the Secretary

DATE OF REGISTRY. IN WHOSE NAME REGISTERED. SECRETARY

Section #4. The President of the Board of Commissioners is hereby authorized and directed to execute said bonds on behalf of said Township and to affix thereto the common and corporate seal, attested by the Secretary, and to cause the coupons to be authenticated with the fac-simile signature of the Secretary of said Township by lithograph or otherwise, and the President of the Board of

Township Commissioners is hereby authorized and directed to sell said bonds by and with the approval of the Board of Commissioners of the said Township, and the Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to deliver said bonds to the purchaser and to receive payment therefor on behalf of the said Township of Wilkins provided such bonds shall not be sold for less than their par value with accrued interest to the date of their delivery and payment

Section #5 There is due the said Township of Wilkins at total of $85,847.65 Collectable taxes on real estate for the year 1937 and prior years, all of which are hereby set apart in a trust fund to be known as Emergency Trust Fund #1 for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest and taxes as and therein. The said recited $85,847.65 uncollected taxes due on real estate, consist of all of the uncollected taxes due on the Tax duplicates for the years 1920 to 1937 inclusive

Section #6. There is hereby levied upon all persons and property subject to taxation for municipal purpose within the said Township an annual tax called the, Emergency Sinking Fund Tax No #1" in each of the following fiscal years for many mills as will yield the following amounts to wit

FOR YEAR OF	1939.	$4530.00
" "	1940	$3918.00
" "	1941	$3816.00
" "	1942	$3714.00

For the year	1943.	$ 3612.00
" "	1944	$ 3510.00
" "	1945	$ 3408.00
" "	1946	$ 3306.00
" "	1947	$ 3204.00
" "	1948	$ 3102.00

the collection of which shall commence with the fiscal year 1939 being the first fiscal year following the issue of said bonds, which tax is sufficient for and shall be applied exclusively to the payment from time to time of interest and State tax on said bonds when due and to the payment of the principal of said bonds at maturity, provided that the amount of said uncollected taxes set apart in Section 5 hereof, received and deposited in the Emergency Sinking Fund #1 in any year, may be deducted from the amount of the annual tax levied for the year following.

Section 7. There is hereby established a sinking fund for the payment of the bonds hereby authorized, said fund to be known as "Emergency Sinking Fund #1", all moneys realized from the tax levied by Section #6 hereof, and any and all paid uncollected pledged herein, shall be paid into the sinking fund hereby created as collected and shall be applied exclusively to the payment of the principal of said bonds at maturity, and interest and State tax thereon meanwhile, to which purpose they are hereby irrevocably pledged.

Section 8. There is hereby appropriated from the general funds of the Township of Wilkins aforesaid the sum of

$ 102000 for the purpose of meeting requirements of this issue of bonds for interest and tax pending the commencement of the collection of the tax levied for this purpose.

Section #9 The principal officers of said Township are hereby authorized and directed to file with the Clerk of the Courts of Quarter Sessions in and for the County of Allegheny Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the proper statement regarding this increase of indebtedness and to perform all other acts proper in connection therewith, in accordance with the act of assembly approved the 20th day of April 1874. P.L.65 and the Amendments thereof and Supplements thereto.

Section #10 That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance

Ordained and Enacted into an Ordinance this 18th day of April 1938

Board of Commissioners of
Wilkins Township

By. Michael Bazarnik
President

attest
John G. Brun
Secretary

Mr Neihl appointed Contact man
& Road Chairman. entell Mr augustus
is well enough to take up his duties
by Mr Bassara

Moved by Mr Leas seconded
by Mr Neihl to adjourn Carried.

John J O'Brien
Secretary

May. 2nd 1938

Wilkins Twp Hall So #1.
Regular meeting of the Board of Comm
of Wilkins Twp. called to order by Pres
Mr Bassara. at 8:00 PM.
Roll Call. Present. Mr Bassara
Mr Leas & Mr Neihl.
absent. Mr Augustus & Mr Mc Farland

Reading of Minutes of regular meeting
of April 4th and Special Meeting of
April 18th. approved as read by
Pres Mr Bassara

Report of Committee
Fire & Police. Mr Neihl. no progress
Water & Light answering for Mr Mc Farland
Progress
Road Mr Neihl. answering for
Mr Augustus — Progress
Finance. Mr Leas Progress
Claims. Mr Leas none.

Reading of Bills by the Secretary
Moved by Mr Neihl second by
Mr Leas that all bills be paid
when properly approved. Carried

Ordinance #127 Levies as
budget for Year of 1938. read by
Mr Schmidt. Secretary for 1st time
Moved by Mr Neihl second by
Mr Leas that Ordinance #127
be accepted at 1st reading
Carried

Reading of Ordinance #127 by
Mr Schmidt Secretary for 2nd time —
Moved by Mr Neihl second by Mr Leas
second by Mr Neihl that Ordinance #127
be accepted at second reading. Carried

Ordinance #127 read for 3rd time by Mr Schmidt solicitor

Moved by Mr Leox second by Mr Neckl that Board of Commissioners waive all rules of order and that Ordinance #127 be accepted as read for the 3rd time Carried
Voting aye Mr Bossara Mr Leox & Mr Neckl

Moved by Mr Neckl second by Mr Leox second by Mr Neckl that Secretary draw warrant for 200.00 for defraying expenses of Commissioner attending State Convention of Township Commissioners at Wilkes Barre May 19th 20th 21st Carried

Reading of Police report. Moved by Mr Neckl second by Mr Leox that report be accepted & filed. Carried

Mr Bossara asked the citizens at this time as to whether not they wishes to be heard.

Mrs Coutts McMasters Av complained on the condition of McMasters and said that if the Commissioners did not take action that she would take action herself.

Mr Bossara advised Mrs Coutts that McMasters Ave was on the ~~repair~~ program of W.P.A to be repaired just as soon as road now under construction are finished

Mr Reuber Pres of the Board of Health again raised the question of the disposal of dead animals. said he did not think it was fair to expect the Officer of the Board of Health to dispose of the dead animals, and went into further discussion

of ~~how~~ the past Board paid Mr Weber $1.00 for transportation & .25 for destruction of same.

Mr Bossara at this time took exception of this statement and said that this Board of Comm. was now running the affairs of the Township and they would decide what was to paid and that Board of Health would have to abide by same or quit and he would appoint Board that would go along with the Board of Comm.
After some further discussion it was decided that Mr Green would be notified of any dead animals and it was understood they would call for same and dispose of same for .25¢

Mr Whitford of [illegible] Township was in the audience and Mr Bossara asks him to say a few words to our citizens, Mr Whitford did not speak on any subject other than the Cooperation of the Board and the Fire Co.

Moved by Mr Leox second by Mr Neckl to adjourn
Carried

John G O'Brien
Secy.

May 5th 1938

Wilkins Township Fire Co #1

Special Meeting of the Board of Comm at the call of the Pres. Mr Bossara
Called to order by the Pres. Mr Bossara at 7:15

Roll. Call. Present - Mr Bassara
Mr Neihl & Mr Leax
Absent - Mr Augustine & Mr Mc Harland

Bill for $42.00 Alvin E Dillman Clerk
& Roberts. for services rendered. on
Bonded indebtedness - moved by Mr Neihl
Second by Mr Leax. that bill be paid
Carried.

Bill for $48.00 from. F. Englert Lithographing
Co. for making Bonds. moved by
Mr Neihl second by Mr Leax to pay
Carried

Bill for $29.25 from Attaburgh Legal
Journal. for advertising proposals for
Sale of Bonds. Moved by Mr Leax
Second by Mr Neihl to pay
Carried

Bill for $125.00 from. Burgwin Scully and
Churchill for examination of Statement of the
Principal Officers, Ordinance and other
proceedings in Bond issue of Wilkins Twp.
for $30,000.00 3% Operating Revenue Bonds
Series of 1938. Without Election, moved by
Mr Neihl Second by Mr Leax to pay
Carried

Bill for $6601.35 for Artman Judgment
moved by Mr Leax Second by Mr Neihl
to pay
Carried

Bill for $4030.00 Turtle Creek Bank &
Trust Co - Certificate of Indebtedness
moved by Mr Neihl Second by Mr Leax
to pay
Carried

Bill for $14164.44 Penn Water Co.
moved by Mr Neihl Second by Mr Leax
that this amount was to for payment
in full and if not accepted by Water
Sol Solicitor was not to pay unless
interest was cancelled.
Carried

Bill for $396.00 Mr Schmitt for
Legal Services rendered. in 30 Bond
Bond issue. - moved by Mr Neihl
Second by Mr Leax to pay
Carried

moved by Mr Neihl Second by Mr
Leax that Warrant for $302.50 be drawn
in favor of Mr B.H. Goodwin Treas as
Sinking Fund in deposit of Bond issue
Carried

Moved by Mr Neihl Second by
Mr Leax to adjourn

John G. O'Brien
Secy.

June. 6th 1938

Wilkins. Township Fire Co #1

Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners. called to order by the Pres. Mr Bassara. 8 pm

Roll Call. Present. Mr Bassara Mr Leax. - Mr Augustine & Mr Neihl absent. Mr McFarland

Reading of minutes of regular meeting of May 2nd. Special meeting of May. 5th. - approved as read Mr Bassara.

Report of Committee

Road. Mr Neihl answering for Mr Augustine Progress
Water & Light. Mr Neihl answering for Mr McFarland.
Fire & Police Mr Neihl - Progress. - asked Secretary to read Police report, report read and accepted by Mr Bassara Pres
Finance. Mr Leax Progress
Claims - one. Mr Leax to investigate and report to Board at next Meeting

Reading of Bills by Secretary
Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr Neihl that all bills be paid when properly approved. Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr Leax. that motion of meeting be rescinded. and bears that Penn Water Co be paid in full under protest of interest charged. Carried.

Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr Leax. that bill for $31.90 for stone from Mrs Robb. be paid Carried.

Moved by Mr Neibl seconded by Mr Augustine that bill for $5.90 for Mr Feeney. for taxi stop watched be paid Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leas that bill for $10.25 - Keppers Co. for Tar-Mac be paid. Carried.

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr. Neibl that bill for $ 235.41 - McClintock & Welsh Lumber Co be paid. (Carried.)

Moved by Mr Leas seconded by Mr Neibl that bill for $109.90 - Bell Bank Labor be Paid. Carried

Moved by Mr Leas seconded by Mr Neibl that Mrs Goodwin Treasurer be exonerating for the uncollected occupation taxes for Year of 1937 amounting to $14.82.25 - (Carried)

Letter of thanks received from the Secty of the Democrat Club to the Board for their faithful services rendered to the citizens of the Township. accepted with thanks & filed - for Mr Bossara pres.

a letter of thanks and appreciation for the Wonderful Improvement of Powell St by a number of the citizens of this street to the Board of Comm. for this splendid street read by Secretary - in which they ask the citizens to give the Board of Comm all the help possible towards the improvements on the other streets now under construction Mr Bossara accepts this letter with thanks to the citizens

Mr J.A. Ciriello attorney for Mr Mowrer of George street asked the Board of Commissioners the change grade on this street to avert damages to the property of Mr Mowrer - Mr Neibl & Augustine talk to the P.U.C. officials and try and have this taken care of.

Mr Bossara on Alpine st. said this was dead end street and very dangerous and some kind of a step should be erected here.

Mr Bossara asked secretary to write Mr Mc. Quade Public Safety of Pittsburgh for deputy chief for having Burg Police Radio Connected with - W.P.D.U. of Pittsburgh

Mr Stanley - advised that Mr Reise place was almost filled with gas and should have some dirt fill to cover same.

Mr Borkowitz asked Commissioners what could be done as to the condition of steps at his property. Mr Augustine advised that W.P.A. only put in temporary steps and it was up to property owners was supposed to complete same - Mr Bossara to look into this matter

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Neibl that Secretary write Penna Water Co and give Mr Parado permission to open Harrison st - to lay water line to his property (Carried)

Mr C Chatten asked Commissioners what could be done to repair street that connects Mortimer St at Dr Mulays property - Mr Bassara asked Secretary to write Dr Mulay in regard to this street.

Mr Watt raised question on Ordinance if there was any specific instructions written in to take care of the roads that were taken up to lay Water and Gas. Lines as to what condition they were to be left in

Mr Bassara asked if was necessary to have Doctor's examination in case of Mumps. Mr C Chatten said this was not necessary.

Moved by Mr Augustine Seconded by Mr Lees to adjourn Carried

John. G O'Brien
Secy

Resolution by Mr Lees seconded by Mr Augustine that the proper Officers be empowered to execute certificate of indebtedness to Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co. in the amount of $10,000.00 with interest at the rate of 4% per. said certificate to be payable on or before the 1st day of October 1938.

Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Lees to adjourn. Carried

John. G O'Brien
Secy.

June 27th 1938
Wilkins Township Hall Pa. #1

Special meeting of the Board of Commissioners at the Call of the Pres Mr Bassara.

Resolution by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Neil that Wilkins Township file application for County aid.

Carried.

July 11th-1938

Franklin Twp Co.

Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Twp. Called to order by the President Mr Bassara. at 8 pm

Roll Call. - Present Messrs Bassara, Leax. Augustine and Mr Neild.
Absent. Mr Mc Farland.

Reading of minutes of the regular June 6th and Special meeting of June 27th approved as read by the President Mr Bassara

Report of Committees
Road. Mr Augustine - Progress
Fire & Police - Mr Neild. Progress asked Secretary to read Police report. report read by the Secretary and accepted by the Pres. Mr Bassara with thanks to the Police.
Claims - Mr Leax - one claim not yet settled
Finance. Mr Leax - Progress.

Reading of bills by Secretary
Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Neild - that all bills be paid when properly Approved
Carried.
Moved by Mr augustine seconded by Mr Leax that bill for $126.00 - Mr Bayer for Eng services for May & June. be paid.
Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Neil that bill for $124.05 for stone from Harrison Quarry for Months April May and June be paid
Carried

Bill for $64.95 Tri Boro Supply
Moved by Augustine seconded by Mr Neil to pay
Carried

Bill for $403.75 Mc Clintock & Welch Limited Co. Moved by Mr Leax seconded by Mr Neil to pay
Carried

Mr Schmidt Solicitor addressed the Board in regard to his talk with the Public Service Commn as to whether or not the Peninsula Water Co had the right to charge interest on delinquent Water bill and said that there was no law whereby they could charge interest and said he expected more information in regard to this matter later

Moved by Mr Neil seconded by Mr Augustine that bids be opened on Truck as advertised
Carried

Bids received as follows
Bradley Motor Co. on 1½ Ton Dodge Truck. Equipped with 32x6 10 ply front & rear Tires. Model R.F. 31. $967.50 less $175.00 credit on 1934 international Chassis. $732.50 Balance

also Bid on Model R.F. 36 Heavy duty Chassis $960.50 less $175.00 Credit on international 1934 Chassis $785.50 Bal.

Bid from International Harvester Co on 1½ Ton Model D. 30. International Truck equipped with 32x6-10 ply Tires with accessories total 991.06 - less $366.56 for International Chassis on Balance $625.00

also Bid $60.00 for Dump Body and hoist to fit Chassis

Moved by Mr Neil seconded by Mr Augustine that as International Harvester Co being low bidder that International be purchased
Voting aye Mr Bossard Leax Augustine Neil -
Carried

Letter read by Secretary received by Mr Hunter Farmer in Complaint of Boys looking at the boundary line of Boro & Township throwing rocks etc golf balls. Said they used very bad language and were destroying signs erected by the Township in this locality - reports to Police by Mr Bossard with the instruction to break up this habit.

Mr Schmidt Solicitor at this time advised the Board that it was his understanding that Mr Mc Harland was no longer a resident of Wilkins Twp. and that Board should not draw any more Warrants for his salary - Mr Bossard appointed Committee composed of Mr Leax Augustine and Neil to investigate and report at next Meeting

Mr Barker presented bill that the Dixie F.D. had paid and asked Board to reimburse Company for the amount paid. after some discussion with Mr Barker due to some of the bills being as far back as 1934 - Mr Bossara asked Mr Barker to change the amount due in 1936 up - also instructed Secretary to write Secretary of Dixie F.D. that they were not to buy any material unless approved by Chairman of Dixie Co Mr Neehl, and that Hosing was to be purchased from Hartstown Co

Moved by Mr Neehl seconded by Mr Augustine that a donation of $50.00 be made to each Fire Co. to help defray expenses for attending Convention. Carried.

Mr Bossara asked Mr Neehl to get price on replacing rain spouts on #2 Fire Co - and report at next meeting.

Mr Gray asked Board what was done in regard to Mc. Masters ave. Mr Bossara asked Mr Augustine to get in touch with Mr Bayne Engineer and arrange to meet citizens of Mc. Masters ave. Friday eve. July 15th. Mr Gray left thanked Mr Bossara and said he would have property owners to gether to meet the Board

Mr Blair complained about water from Dorothy St. and was running over his property - Mr Bossara instructed Mr Straley to take care of this matter

Mr Cusic asked Board if they could get grade on Orchard St so he could get Water laid to his property. Mr Bossara asked Mr Neehl and Mr Augustine to investigate

Mrs. Chatlos complained on condition of Mortimer ave - Mr Bossara instructs Mr Straley to take care of the complaint Mr Neehl & Mr Augustine to investigate

Moved by Mr Lear seconded by Mr Augustine to adjourn.

John H. O'Brien
Secy.

July 15th 1938

Franklin Fire Co.

Special meeting at the call of the President. Mr Bossara to take up. insurance on new Truck. and any other business that may come up.

Mr Wagner of Wagner Realty Co advises that a Bond of $36.00 would be necessary to cover Collision & Fire Insurance - Moved by Mr Neehl seconded by Mr Augustine that Insurance be bought. Carried

Mr Campbell Survey Engineer Project #301 - said that Mr Abel Burke that previously worked on this project had turned over papers to him but that no line had been established between Wilkes & Penn Township

Mr Bassara raised question as to whether or not Mr Campbell would hold good in Court if any claims should come up. After some discussion Mr Bassara decided that Mr Wayne should act as supervision to Mr Campbell and approve monthly reports and approve if any materials used.

Mr Augustine on Project asked Mr Campbell if he thought he would finish in 5 Month - Mr Campbell said that 10 men were to be detailed to this project and that they should finish in time allotted.

Mr Campbell raised question on rental of instruments said it would cost about $25.00 per Month and said that it may be possible to borrow a Theolite on Transit from the Geological Survey from Washington - Mr Augustine to see Mr Quinn and have him try and get these instruments

Mr Augustine at this time made the Motion that as Mr Mc Farland had been moved from the Township 30 days that the Board go into this appointment of a Commissioner to replace Mr Mc Farland by any applications had been received by the Secretary to read same - Motion seconded by Mr Neild - Aye - Nay Vote called by Mr Bassara
Voting aye Mr Bassara Augustine Neild
Voting Nay Mr Lear.

application read from Mr Joe Danis and letter of recommendation from Station Agent to appoint Mr Louis Maggini.

Mr Neild moves that secret ballot be taken - Mr Augustine suggested that Vote be open - Mr Neild then moved that Joseph Danis be appointed to fill unexpired term of Mr Mc Farland seconded by Mr Augustine - Mr Bassara called for Aye & Nay Vote.
Voting aye Mr Bassara Augustine & Neild
Voting Nay Mr Lear

Moved by Mr Neild seconded by Mr Lear to adjourn.

Carried.

John J. O'Brien
Secy.

Aug 1st 1938
Franklin Fire House

Regular meeting of the Board of Council of Wilkens Twp. called to Order by the Pres. Mr Bassara 8 PM

Roll Call. Present Mr Bassara, Lenx. Augustine Neibl & Damico

Reading of minutes of Regular Meeting of July 11th and Special Meeting of July 15th. approved as read by the Pres. Bassara

Report of Committees.
Road. Mr Augustine - asked what new streets should be started Mr Masters and Patterson & Rebecca were decided. on Secretary to notify W.P.a
Fire & Police - Mr Neibl asked secretary to read police report, report read by the Secretary and accepted with thanks to the police by Mr Bassara
Finance - Mr Lenx Progress
Claims. Mr Lenx. on Claims

Reading of Bills by the Secretary Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Lenx that all bills be paid when properly approved Carried

Bill from Franklin Fire Co for $95.00 covering a period of 3 years which had been paid by the Fire Co Moved by Mr augustine seconded by Mr Neibl to pay Carried

Bill from Mr Kassary for $5.30 for Filing of 1937 Levi Taxes - Moved by Mr Neckl seconded by Mr Augustine to pay.
Carried

Bill for $189.00 from Mr Bayne for Eng services in July. Moved by Mr Leox seconded by Mr Augustine to pay.
'Carried'

Water bill from Water Co for $1797.62. Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Neckl - to pay less interest charges
(Carried)

Mr Augustine reported that he had talked to Mr Quinn on instrument for use on survey project, and Mr Quinn would get this instrument as soon as one could be located - Mr Bayne said he would let Mr Augustine know as soon as one was received.

Moved by Mr Neckl seconded by Mr Dances that Mr Augustine be appointed to serve as representative for Wilkins Twp in Ne Bois & Twp. project on storm sewer in Chalfont - North Braddock & Wilkins Twp.
Carried

Mrs Prekoda complained on condition of Dorothy St. and wanted to know when this condition was going to be taken care of. Mr Bossara advised that this was either up to State or County - Mr Schmidt was asked by Mr Bossara to try and find out if anything or agreement had been reached by County or State as to who was going to take care of this highway.

Mr Cherry on Highland said this street and should be rolled. While waiting on chips, Mr Augustine advised that if roller was used it would be necessary to clean out mud before chips were spread.

Mr Kelley on Brown ave Road asked what was being done. Mr Augustine advised that Mr Trimble was after up a funds from state to take care of this road.

Mr Leppert reported that the slide on Brown ave was very bad and that no red lights were displayed at night.

Mr Kelley asked what could be done on play ground. Mr Bossara said the Board would give the citizens all the support possible.

Mr Palerino on Lenhart st. said ashes should be put on this street Mr Augustine to take care of same.

Moved by Mr Neckl seconded by Mr Leox to adjourn.
Carried

John G O'Brien
Secretary

Sept. 12. 1938

Franklin Fire Hall

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm. called to order by the Pres Mr Bossara at 8:00 pm

Roll Call. Present. Mr Bossara Leon. Augustine & Neikl.

Reading of minutes of regular meeting of August 1st.

Approved as read. by Mr Bossara

Resolution by Mr Augustine second by Mr Neikl to declare Office of Mr Mc. Farland. as Commissioner of Wilkins Twp. Vacant. due to him moving out of Wilkins Twp June 24th. 1938. Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Neikl to rescind motion made on July 15th. appointing Mr Joseph Dances Commissioner of Wilkins Twp. due to Vacancy. thru. Mr Mc. Farland moved from the Township Carried

Moved by Mr Neikl seconded by Mr Augustine that Mr Joseph Dance be appointed to serve unexpired term of Mr Mc. Farlands as Commissioner due to Mr Mc. Farland moving from Township June 24th 1938 Carried

Report of Committees

Road. Mr Augustus Progress

Finance Mr Leax. "

Claims. Mr Leax. one claim

Water & Light. Mr Neeb Progress

Fire & Police. Mr Neeb asked Secretary to read Police report, report read and accepted by the President. Mr Bossard with thanks, to police.

Reading of Bills.

Moved by Mr Augustus seconded by Mr Leax that all bills be paid when properly approved. Carried.

Letter from Mr Ryan secy to the Board of County Comm. advising the Board of Comm of Wilkins Twp. that County has approved Aid to the Amount of $1/500^{00}$ to be applied to Clayton Negley ave.

Moved by Mr Augustus seconded by Mr Dawes. that grant be accepted. with thanks to Board of County Comm of Allegheny Co. Carried

Letter received from South Slavic Workers Home. asking Board of Comm. to set a date to meet Officers of the Home. in regards to Wall. that they would like to have built by W Pa to protect their propery. where W Pa were putting storm sewer, Mr Bossard advised Secretary of the Home that Board would meet their officers. Sat. Sept 17th at 10 am

Letter received from. Mr Ruby. asking Board of Comm. to send representative to Harrisburg. to meet work. Water Power Resources Board. in regard to flood control in Turtle Creek Valley. moved by Mr Neeb seconded by Mr Leax to table Carried

Letter received from. Mr Mello Secy of the Board of Health in regard to Spring on Highland ave being Condemned by Health Dept of Harrisburg, Mr Bossard asked Mr Bradley to see that Spring was boarded up.

Petition received from the Property of Rebecca, Semmens and Thompson St. asking Board what could be done to have these streets finished, These Property Owners. Complained that other Streets not as important as the above had already been Completed, and were under the impression that they were not getting a fair deal as this was one of the Oldest and most thickly populated part of the Township, after some discussion on this matter Mr Bossard advised the citizens that they Could not possibly get started on these streets before Spring.

Mr Brock. Complained on the Condition of Dorothy St. wanted to know when better would be taken on this street. Mr Bossard said that nothing Could be done before spring

Mr Maggrie said Comm should buy Roller and Scrap and roll some of these streets until they Could be permanently improved.

Mr Coyne at this time suggests that each person should be limited time to talk. Mr Bossara accepts this as a good suggestion.

Mr. Copeland that water was running thru his property at Elm St. Mr Bossara asked Road Committee to inspect this condition and have same taken care of.

Mr Saunders said he thought Rebecca ave should have been finished from Rebecca St. due to Glendale school being located on this street. Mr Augustine advised that it was not practical to work a street down the hill.

Mr Coyne representing a group of Parent teachers assc, said that if it was impossible to get Mr Masters ave finished before spring, the would like to see the Board of Comm. rebuild steps that were located between the Mc Auley property and the Old School house on Center ave as this would keep children from lower district walking up. three mond.

Mr Bossara instructed the Citizens that he had given orders to the Police to arrest any one loitering in the Fire houses as there has been nothing stolen from both Fire Co. and he was going to have this broken up and if arrests were made he did not want people coming to him to get them keep out of any trouble that they may get into around Fire Houses.

Mr Bossara asked Mr Campbell if he could give the Board any information as to how the Survey project was coming. Mr Campbell advised that although line was not yet definitely established he was positive that several properties that were paying taxes to Penn Twp. were in Wilkins Twp.

Resolution by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax that as soon as line was established, that Solicitor take steps to collect these taxes from properties now paying taxes to Penn Twp. Carried

Mr Bayer asked when the Board was going to get Transits from Washington Boro if so he was using want bec he would like to take one now being used by Twp. Mr Augustine to again contact Mr Guinn

Mr Bossara asked Mr Bayer what was done to establish grade on Locust St so water Co. could put in water line. Mr Bayer & Mr Campbell to get together on this matter about Sept 15th

Mr Bossara asked secretary to write the Treasurer to file monthly report of all money collected.

Mr Stein - asked for the floor and accused the Board of railroading bill thru and said he did not think they conducted a meeting properly and that they should instruct the people in regard to Township laws.

Mrs. Prebble. Complainant in the
Condition of Power. Board of Health to take
Care of this matter

Moved by Mr Augustus Seconded
by Mr Leary. to adjourn
Carried

John. J. O'Brien
Secy.

Oct 3rd 1938

Franklin Fire House

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm. of Wilkins Township, called to order by the Pres. Mr Bassara at 7:45 pm

Roll Call present, Messrs. Bassara Leap, Augustine, Neihl & Damico

Reading of the minutes of the regular meeting of Sept. 12th by the Secretary,

approved as read by the Pres. Mr Bassara

Report of Committees

Road. Mr Augustine - Progress

Fire & Police Mr Neihl - Progress.

asked Secretary to read Police Report report read and accepted by the Pres with thanks to Police

Water & Light - Mr Damico Progress

Claims. Mr Leap - none.

Reading of Bills by Secretary

moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leap that all bills be paid when properly approved

Carried

Mr Augustine reported that Mr Damico was unable to locate any survey instruments that could be loaned to Township, Mr Bassara asked Mr Bayne what charge he would make to Township for rental of his instruments, Mr Bayne agreed to rent his instruments for $20.00 per month

Mr Augustine reported that he had investigated the request of the Citizens in regard to steps from Lemmer Ave to Mr Mastrovlake, and reported that it would cost about $500.00 to erect these steps.

Mr Bayne reported that line of grade was established on Orchard St. for the Penna Water Co.

Mr Bassara, asked if the Citizens wished to be heard

Mr Brosh reported that sewer on Dorothy St. was in a very bad condition, Mr Wills Board of Health and the Boss of Comm would investigate condition on Oct. 6th.

Mr Campbell in survey project reported that line between Penn and Wilkins Twp. was now just about established, and that they were now working from Church Hill toward Forest Hills Boro.

Mr Bassara asked Mr Schmidt to try and arrange for a meeting with Penn Twp and Church Hills Boro.

Mr Vechter asked about the Ordinance on the Vehicle laws were going to be brought up to date, Mr Bassara asked Police and Squires to meet with Boss at the Solicitors Office Oct. 11th.

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax to adjourn

Carried

John J O'Brien
Secy.

Nov 7th 1938

Franklin Fire Co.

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm. of Wilkins Township

Called to order by the Pres. Mr Bassara at 7:30 pm

Roll Call

Present Mr Bassara, Leax Augustine, Damico

absent Mr Neihl

Minutes of meeting of Oct 3rd read by the Secretary, and approved as read by Mr Bassara

Report of Committees

Road - Mr Augustine Progress

Fire & Police - Mr Neihl absent

Police report read by the Secretary accepted with thanks to Police by Mr Bassara

Water & Light Mr Damico Prog.

Finance Mr Leax - Progress

Claims - Mr Leax - None

Mr Augustine asked Secretary to write State Hwy Dept in regard to ~~Water~~ Fire Hydrants which have been left in a very dangerous position since Lafayette ave Ext has been widened,

Mr Bassara instructed Secretary to write State Hwy Dept

Reading of Bills by the Secretary.

Moved by Mr Leax Second by Mr Augustine to pay all bills when properly approved Carried

Mr Schmidt informed the Board of Comm. that he had talked to Mr Wm. Stroble in regard to a meeting with Wilkens Bros Comm. said that arrangements for a meeting would be made as soon as the Election was over

Mr Augustine to get Mr Bayne to get grade on Orchard Street and the line of Dr Meeley property for Mr Schmidt Solicitor to draw up Ordinance for same.

Mr Provick complained about Street at his property. Wanted gas car in garage. Mr Bassara and Board to investigate on Nov. 5th.

Mr John Shoulder complained that water was running on his Watkins Property, said that Curb should be put in road at this point. Board & Commissioners to investigate

Moved by Mr Leax Second by Mr Bassara that Meeting adjourn. Carried

John G O'Brien
Secretary

Dec 5th - 1938.

Franklin Fire Co

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm of Wilkins Twp. called to order by the Chairman Mr Bassara at 7:45 PM.

Roll call - Present. Mr Bassara Leap, Augustine Neikl, Dennis.

Reading of the minutes of the regular meeting of Nov. 7th - being no Corrections same approved as read by Mr Bassara

Report of Committees

Police - Fire - Mr Neikl. Progress - Mr Neikl asked Secretary to read police report same read by the Secretary and accepted with thanks to Police by Mr Bassara.

Finance - Mr Leap. progress

Road - Mr Augustine Progress

Claims. Mr Leap - are pay Flaherty Real Estate Co - Mr Schmidt Solicitor to take care of same

Reading of Bills by the Secretary

Moved by Mr Augustine Second by Mr Neikl that all bills be paid when properly approved.

Carried.

Mr Schmidt Solicitor advised the Board of Comm not to accept the abandonment of Brown ave from the State Highway Dept until same was put in good Condition Mr Schmidt has taken matter up with Official in Pittsburgh Highway Dept. and did not yet have reply

Mr Schmidt advised Board of Comm. that he had received description of the DeMeley property and was going to draw up deed. and advised Mr Meley that taxes would have to be paid.

Resolution by Mr Augustine that Ordinance #128. be read for 1st time second by Mr Neikl.

Ordinance #128.

An Ordinance establishing the Center line grade of Orchard St. from the Southerly line of Road Alley Southwardly 360 ft. in Wilkins Twp, Allegheny County Penna.

Section #1

Be it ordained and enacted by the Township Commissioners of Wilkins Twp. Allegheny County, Penna. in meeting assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same that the center line grade of Orchard St. from the Southerly line of Road alley Southerly 360 ft. be as follows Beginning at the Southerly line of Road alley at an elevation of 1024.72 feet above Sandy Hook datum, thence by a descending grade of 1.70% for a distance of 116 ft. to an elevation of 1042.85 ft. thence by a concave vertical curve for a distance of 100 ft. to an elevation of 1037.50 ft. thence by a descending grade of 9.00% for a distance of 150 ft. to an elevation of 1024.00 ft.

Section # 2.

That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing be, and same is hereby repealed.

Passed by the Board of Township Commissioners this 5th day of December 1938.

John L O'Brien Mr Bassara
Secretary Pres

Resolution by Mr Augustine, second by Mr Neikirk that Ordinance #128 be read for 2nd time

Carried.

Ordinance #128 read for 2nd time by the Solicitor Mr Schmidt.

Moved by Mr Augustine, second by Mr Leas that Ordinance #128 be accepted as read for 2nd time

Carried.

Resolution by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leas that all rules be suspended - and that Ordinance be read for third time

Aye & Nay Vote called for by the Pres. Mr Bassara

Voting aye Mr Bassara Leas Augustine, Neikirk & Mr Damico

Ordinance #128 read for the 3rd time by Mr Schmidt Solicitor

Moved by Mr Neikirk second by Mr Augustine that Ordinance #128 be accept as read for 3rd time

Carried.

Moved by Mr Leas, second by Mr Damico, that Special Finance Meeting be held Dec 28th 1938

Carried.

Moved by Mr Augustine second by Mr Damico that Regular meeting be held Jan 3rd 39 as to receive bids on Truck Insurance

Carried

Mr Tate Eng. presented Blue print re Dowling plan to Board - Mr Bassara asked Mr Tate to contact our ~~Solicitor~~ Engineer Mr Bagnes and go over same with him and Board could act according to Mr Bagnes instructions

Mr Howells asked Board if any thing could be done about the abandoned State hwy. near his property Mr Schmidt said he would try and contact highways Dept

Mr Smith complained of the Condition of Mc Masters ave Paid Cars were unable to get thru Mr Bassara - said that he would have - some one look after this matter

Mr Johnson introduced a Mr Depietro - whom asked Board what could be done to force State or County to repair the Greensburg pike - Mr Schmidt advised him that the Board had him take up this matter with highways Dept Several times but we were unable to do any thing to get State or County to repair this highway and advised him that the only way quick action would be taken was for Citizens to enter suit against State and County

Moved by Mr Damico seconded by Mr Neikirk to pay $3.55 to Mr Augustine for express telephone bill due to NPA calls

Carried

Moved by Mr Neibl seconded by Mr Davies to adjourn
Carried
John. G. Brace
Secy

Dec 28th 1938

By Franklin Twp
Special Ordinance meeting at the Call of the Pres. Mr Bassano
Called to order by the Pres Mr Bassano
at 7.30 pm.

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Neibl that Certificate of Indebtedness for $10000.00 to the Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co be renewed.
Carried

Resolution by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax that the Commonwealth Trust Co of Pittsburgh Pa. Be and they are hereby authorized and directed to deliver to the Turtle Bank & Trust Co $10000.00 par Value of such securities as the Commonwealth Trust Co. now holds securing the Funds on Deposit in the Turtle Bank & Trust Co. to the credit of said Wilkins Township.
Carried.

Moved by Mr Leax seconded by Mr Neibl that $150.00 from App 13-B to appropation 41 C-1
Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax that $50.00 be transfered from appropation 22E5 to 41.C1
Carried
Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax that $75.00 be transfered from appropation 22F1 to 41.C1
Carried.
Moved by Mr Neibl seconded by Mr Leax that $25.00 be transfered from appropation 11-91 to 41 C-1
Carried.

Moved by Mr Neibl seconded by Mr. Leax to adjourn
Carried
John G Brace
Secy.

Jan - 3rd - 1939

Wilkins Twp #1 - Fire Co

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm - Wilkins Twp, called to order by the Chairman Mr Bassara at 8 PM

Roll Call - Present - Mr Bassara Mr Leax - Mr Augustine - Mr Damico Late Mr Neidl.

Reading of the minutes of the regular meeting of Dec 5th and special meeting of Dec 28th approved as read by - Mr Bassara

Report of Committees

Road - Mr Augustine - Progress

Fire & Police - Mr Neidl - absent - Police report read by the Secretary - accepted by Mr Bassara with thanks to police.

Finance - Mr Leax progress

Claims - Mr Leax none

Water & Light - Mr Damico - Progress

Reading of Bills by Secy moved by Mr Augustine and by that all bills be paid when properly approved. Carried

Mr Schmidt advised Board of Comm that he now had deed for Anna Meley property - and advised that the purchase price $150.00 should be made out to Anna Meley & Mr Goodwin Treasurer to be used as payment of back taxes,

Mr Schmidt solicitor advised Board that he had written Harrisburg re Brown Ave road but has not as yet got answer.

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leap to open bid for Insurance on Trucks. Carried

The following bids were received

Wagner Realty Co. - With General accident Fire and Life Ins. Corp. total prem $689.45

Penna Indemnity Corp - total prem. 1198.82

Globe Indemnity Co New York total prem. $1164.57

Fidelity & Casualty Co of New York. Prem. 1027.56

Continental Casualty Co of Chicago. Prem. $926.44 1063.57

American Casualty Co. Prem $1022.40

Henry Conversa. no Co Mentioned Prem $1164.57

Moved by Mr Leap seconded by Mr Damico that all bids be turned over to Solicitor for examination of there standing and that Special Meeting be held Jan 5th 1939 - to decide on successful bidder Carried

Moved by Mr Leap seconded by Mr Augustine that $3.25 be paid Dr E J Meley for recording 2 deeds on Roadway. Carried

Moved by Mr Damico seconded by Mr Merkel that application for Board of Health Member be received at the next regular meeting - Carried

Moved by Mr Leap seconded by Mr Augustine to adjourn Carried

John. G. O'Brien
Secy

Jan 5th - 1939

Wilkins Twp Fire Co #1

Special meeting of the Board of Comm of Wilkins Twp. at the call of the Pres. Mr Bassara to award bid for - Insurance of Fire Trucks Called to order by the President Mr Bassara - at 8 PM

Roll Call - Mr Bassara Leap - Augustine Merkel & Damico.

Bids re Insurance as follow

Penna. Indemnity	$1198.82
Henry Conversa	$1164.57
Globe Indemnity	$1164.57
Fidelity Casualty Co.	$1027.56
American Casualty Co.	$926.44
General accident	$689.45

Mr Schmidt Solicitor advised Board that the lowest bidder General accident Co - for prem of $689.45 - was a very reliable & strong Co.

Moved by Mr Neibl seconded
by Mr Leax that Insurance be
awarded to Mr Wagner representing
General accident P.o. for premium
of $6.89.45
Ayes & Nays Vote called for by the
Pres. Mr Bossara.
Voting Ayes - Mr Leax. Neibl.
Nays - Mr Augustine, Mr Dawnis and
Mr Bossara.

after some discussion
by Mr Bossaka as to whether or not
a Foreign Insurance Co should be
given Insurance, a recess was called
by Mr Bossara for Board to get
together to decide to whom they would
award Insurance.

after short recess Mr
Bossara asked there was a motion
for Insurance award.

Moved by Mr Neibl seconded
by Mr Dawnis that award for Insurance
be given to Mr Wagner of the General
accident for total bus of $6.89.45

Ayes & Nays Vote called for by the Pres
Mr Bossara
Voting Ayes - Mr Neibl, Leax & Dawnis
Nays Mr Augustine, Mr Bossara

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded
by Mr Dawnis that bill of $181.00 by
Mr Wagner for Eng Services be paid
Carried

Moved by Mr Neibl seconded
by Mr Leax to adjourn
Carried

John G. Bossara
Chairman

Feb. 6th 1939
Wilkins Twp. Fire Co #1

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm. of Wilkins Twp called to order by the Vice Pres Mr Leax at - 8 - P.M.

Roll Call
Present. Mr Leax. Augustine, Damico
Absent. Mr Bassara & Mr Nichol

Reading of minutes of regular meeting of Jan 3rd & and Special Meeting of Jan 5th there being no corrections - minutes approved as read by Mr Leax.

Report of Committees
Road. Mr Augustine Progress
Fire & Police. Mr Neill absent
Police report read by the Secretary accepted by Mr Leax with thanks to Police
Finance Mr Leax Progress
Claims. Mr Leax none
Water & Light Mr Damico progress

Reading of bills by the Secretary moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Damico that all bill be paid when properly approved. Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Damico that Warrant be drawn for Mrs H. Henderson R. Mathews Jr 4th each for watching at Fire on Pine St. Carried

Mr Schmidt Solicitor advised that County Commissioners will petition Grand Jury to have the Greensburg pike as County Road.

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Damico that Ordinance #129 - re Grade of Streets be read for 1st time. Carried

Ordinance #129 read for 1st time by Solicitor - Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Damico that Ordinance be accepted as read Carried

Moved that Ordinance #129 be read for second time by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Damico Carried

Ordinance #129 read for 2nd time by Mr Schmidt.

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Damico that Ordinance be read for second time Carried

Mr Allis asked board to redistrict Township Mr Schmidt - to get up petition for Dog Payers to sign.

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Damico to adjourn Carried

John G. Brown
Secy

March 6th 1939.
Wilkens. Drop Fire House #1.

Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners. Called to order by the Pres. Mr Bassara. 8 pm

Roll call. Present. Mr Bassara Mr Leax Augustine Neild & Damico

Reading of Minutes of regular Meeting of Feb. 6th being no corrections approved as read by Mr Bassara

Reading of Bills by Secretary Moved by Mr Augustine Seconded by Mr Neild that all bills be paid when properly approved Carried.

Report of Committee.
Road. Mr Augustine reported that Sewer on Mc Masters were in very bad shape and that men would have to be put to work to take care of this Condition at once. Mr Bassara instructed Mr Straley to get men and take care of this.
Fire + Police - Mr Neild Progress.
asked Secretary to read police report, report read by Secretary and accepted with thanks by Mr Bassara
Claims - Mr Leax None
Finance. Mr Leax. Called meeting for 7:30 pm. March 9th. to set budget.
Water + Light - Mr Damico Progress.

Mr Damico asked Board to approve the mapping of Stave the full width of the road, instead of the Different edges. Mr Bassara instructed Secy to write letter to Mr Shope to that effect

Mr Bossara asked the Board of Comm. if they would agree to furnish stone at Fieldcrest School, Board agreed that there was one.

Mr Planter complained of condition of steps on Dorothy St, Board to look into the matter.

Mr. Denlis Guarey asked Board what could be done to remedy condition at his property said porch was slipping due to road improvement, Mr Bossara to take Engineer to examine

Mr Smith Secy of the Board of Health was asked to make monthly report to the Board of Comm.

Mr Shaffer #3 Fire Co asked the Board to furnish private lines for the Fire Co due to the new Dial phones used there. Telephone Co would not put these emergency Calls on party lines, Nothing was settled on this matter

Mr Schmidt Solicitor advised Board that an Ordinance was being passed, that the County would take over the Greensburg pike.

Mr Bossara asks Mr Schmidt to make arrangements for a meeting with Penn Township in regard to the Boundary lines which have now been drawn up by Special Survey.

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Downes that Ordinance #129 be read for 3rd. Carried

Ordinance #129. read for 3rd time

an Ordinance establishing the Center line grade of Dowling Ave from Elizabeth St Northwardly 385 feet

Sec #1 - Be it ordained and enacted by the Township Comm of Wilkins Twp. Allegheny County, Penna, that the center line grade of Dowling Ave. from Elizabeth Ave Northwardly 385 feet. be. and. is hereby fixed as follows, Beginning at the center line of Elizabeth St at an elevation of 1182.80 feet above Sandy Hook Datum; thence by a descending grade of 1.00% for a distance of 105 feet, to an elevation 1181.75 feet: thence by a Parabolic Curve for a distance of 80 feet: to an elevation of 1177.19 feet. thence by a descending grade of 10.40% for a distance of 80 feet to an elevation 1168.83 ft, thence by a Parabolic curve for a distance of 80 feet to an elevation of 1163.31 feet; thence by a descending grade of 3.50% for a distance of 40 feet to an elevation of 1161.91 feet

Sec #2 Any Ordinance, Ordinances, or parts of Ordinance, Conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, is and the same is hereby repealed, in so far as the same Conflicts with this Ordinance

Ordained and enacted into a law this 6th day of March, 1939

Board of Comm
Wilkins Township
Pres. Mr Bossara

Attest
John J O'Brien
Secy.

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Downes that Ordinance 129 be accepted as read for 3rd time
Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Kuhl that Mr Donnelly be appointed to Board of Health for term of 5 years. Carried.

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Dennis that Paint be furnish for #3 Fire Co. and that Matched be furnished for building of Pumphouse Carried

Moved by Mr Dennis seconded by Mr Leax to adjourn Carried

John J. O'Brien
Secy

WARRANTS ISSUED. MARCH 4 1934

WARR#		$
#27	J.C. BANK & TRUST Co	31.11
28	PENN'A. WATER. Co.	3.00
29	DUQUESNE LIGHT. Co.	5.75
30	THEO. H. SCHMIDT.	125.00
31	VOID	
32	JOHN. G. O'BRIEN.	62.50
33	MICHAEL. NEIHL.	25.00
34	JOHN. VECHTER.	30.00
35	JOSEPH. URBAN	30.00
36	ROBERT. SMITH.	13.75
37	JULIUS. STRALEY.	48.00
38	JOHN. G. O'BRIEN	4.90
39	WM. SADLER.	20.00
40	JNO. VECHTER & JOS. URBAN	12.50
41	ANNIE. E. HARRISON.	83.80
42	WILKINS. TWP #1 - FIRE CO	5.50
43	SYMONS, FLAHERTY & SONS.	5.00
44	STAR. PRINTING. CO	27.80
45	D. J. AIELLO.	6.75
46	RUDOLPH CHATHOS.	25.00
47	JOS. AUGUSTINE	1.50
48	ROBERT. PATTERSON	1.00

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49	JOHN. LEAX.	25.00
50	PEOPLES. GAS. Co.	5.20
51	RONALD. REED.	20.00
52	WM. BOWMAN.	20.00
53	JULIUS. STRALEY.	59.80
54	JOS. AUGUSTINE	10.00
55	CHAS. WILKINSON.	16.00
56	JAMES. SOLES.	16.00
57	THOS. LEAX.	16.00
58	CHAS. GILES.	20.00
59	FRANK. PIGLNTTINE.	16.00
60	JULIUS. STRALEY	62.40
61	VOID	

April 3rd. 1939

Wilkins Twp Fire Co #1

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm of Wilkins Twp. Called to order by the Pres Mr Bassora at 8 P.M.

Roll Call

Present. Mr Bassora, Leax & Damico

absent. Mr Augustine & Neibl

Reading of minutes of March 6th by the Secretary - no corrections appeared as read by Mr Bassora

Reading of Bills -

Moved by Leax seconded by Mr Damico that all bills be paid when properly approved Carried

Report of Committees

Road. Mr Augustine absent

Water & Light. Mr Damico - Progress

Finance. Mr Leax progress

Claims Mr Leax None

Fire & Police - Mr Neibl absent.

Mr Bassora asked Secretary to read report of Police and accepted same with thanks to police

Moved by Mr Damico seconded by Mr Leax that bill for Auditors for 1938 Audit be paid Carried

Resolution by Mr Leax seconded by Mr Damico that note for $10.000.00 be renewed for 6 months with Wilkins Bank & Trust Co Carried

Moved by Mr Leax seconded by Mr Damico to adjourn Carried

John J. O'Brien
Secretary.

WARRANTS ISSUED IN APRIL - 1939

62	JOSEPH DAMICO	25.00
63	A.A JACKSON.	4.00
64	AUGUST DUTCHOT.	20.00
65	JAMES. WATT.	61.50
66	JOS. TOMASIC.	50.00
67	THOS KIRKPATRICK	60.00
68	PENN'A. WATER & CO.	895.76
69	PENN'A. WATER. CO	3.00
70	DUQUESNE LIGHT. CO.	3.10
71	WILKINS. TWP. FIRE CO. #3.	15.40
72	McCLINTOCK & WELSH & CO.	7.85
73	TURTLE WELDING SHOP.	7.75
74	B.H. GOODWIN.	15.08
75	T.C. BANK & TRUST. CO.	34.44
76	STAR PRINTING CO.	27.95
77	HENRY. HAGBLOM.	17.25
78	MICHEAL. HUBERT.	30.00
79	PEOPLE. NATURAL. GAS. CO	4.60
80	DUQESNE LIGHT. CO.	3.90
81	POPPERS. CO	509.20
82	DUQESNE LIGHT CO	219.15
83	THOS. MARTIN	10.00
84	ARTHUR. STEWART.	6.00
85	HENRY. HAGBLOM.	8.25
86	JULIUS. STRALEY.	57.20
87	A.A. JACKSON.	4.00
88	LOUIS. DINZEO.	2.00
89	NICK. EUTHIS.	2.00
90	HENRY. STRALEY.	20.00
91	A.J JOST.	13.20
92	PETE. UGGHULA.	4.00
93	NICK EUTHIS.	4.00
94	SAM. DOLFINO.	4.00
95	JOHN. UGGIANO.	4.00
96	ARTHUR. STEWART.	4.00
97	TONY. D. THOMAS.	4.00
98	PETER. LAURITO.	4.00
99	AUGUST. DAMICO	4.00
100	PETER. MARANO.	4.00
101	LOUIS. DINZEO.	4.00
102	DAVID. MULLIGAN	4.00
103	T.C. BANK & TRUST CO	32.53
	PENN. STATE ASSC	10.00

May 1st 1939.

Wilkins Township Fire Co #1

Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township. Called to order by the Pres. Mr Bassara.

Roll Call. Present Mr Bassara Leax. Dannics and Neibl. Late. Mr Augustine

Reading of the minutes of Regular meeting of April 3rd. by the Secretary no corrections approved as read by the Pres. Mr Bassara

Reading of Bills by the Secretary

Moved by Neibl seconded by Mr Leax that all bills be paid when properly approved. Carried

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr. Neibl that Warrant be drawn in favor of Mr Fleisher prothonotary for $21.00 for filing 43 Liens for Year of 1938 School Board to draw. Warrant for $109.50 in favor of Board of Comm. to pay for help of Sept for Collecting Taxes Carried

Moved by Mr Dannics seconded by Mr Neibl that Warrant be drawn in favor of Mr Goodwin for $38.83 for over deposits for years 1934 to 1938 Carried

Report of Committees

Police and Fire. Mr Neibl asked secy to read Police reports, report read by the Secretary and accepted by the Pres with thanks to police.

Water + Light. Mr Dannics - Progress

Finance. Mr Leax. Progress.

Claims. Mr Leax. one to be investigated by Mr Leax.

Road. Mr Augustine Progress.

Mr Goodwin Treas of Township said that he would collect all delinquent occupation tax without any cost to the Township if Commissioners would abate penalties on delinquent tax

Resolution by Mr Neibl seconded by Mr Dannico that all penalty be abated on delinquent occupation taxes same to be collected by the Treasurer without Commission Carried.

Mr Bassara at this time if any Citizen wishes to be heard.

Mr Sholder Chief of #1 Fire stated that Fire equipment in #1 Co was in very bad condition that the pumper was not working at all, and Service Truck was not safe for heavy loads as brakes were not working properly

Mr Bassara advised that money for Hose only had been appropriated for during year of 1939. and if Fire Truck must be bought we would have to find some other means for purchase of same.

Mr Jones. Complained on Condition of Mc. Masters ave said that something would have to be done to remedy the Condition and said that they were willing to do anything in order to Cooperate with the Boro of Conn but did not think Commissioners gave them a fair deal.

Mr Bossara in answer to Mr Jones. said that application for W.P.A. project had been filed to complete this work. but same had not yet come thru he also advised Mr Jones that we had appealed to County Comm for aid to the Amount of $10000.00 in order to get this street under way but to date had not received any word from the County Comm. and called on Mr Goodwin who is a member of planning Board to enlighten the procedure of planning Board.

Mr Goodwin addressed the Citizens in regards to planning Board duties and advised Mr Jones that planning Board would probably grant aid on Mc Masters ave. and asked Mr Jones. to have citizens draw up a petition and explain their Condition on this street ~~and that he thought~~ this would have some bearing on having Board make grant for County aid.

Mike— Representative of Sandy Glen hall asked Board if anything could be done to repair street at Workers Hall. Mr Bossara to have Board to investigate same

Mr Aiello talked on Water question said that Boro of Conn had no right to pay the $300.00 per year per mile for Water Rental as some Townships do not have to pay for this Rental - Mr Schmidt advised Mr Aiello that Contract was firm clad and there was nothing else to do. but to pay for these bills. as he had been in Harrisburg. and talked to the Public Service Commission and there was no possible chance of breaking this Contract

Moved by Mr Leax seconded by Mr Danico to adjourn

Carried

John. G. O'Brien
Secy

WARRANTS ISSUED MAY 1939

105.	JULIUS STAGLEY.	$3.30
106	ANDY. JURATOVICH.	8.00
107	MICHAEL. BASSARA.	25.00
108	MICHAEL. NEIAL.	25.00
109	JOSEPH. AUGUSTINE	25.00
110	JOHN. LEAX.	25.00
111	JOHN. G. O'BRIEN.	63.50
112	B H. GOODWIN.	38.83
113	B H. GOODWIN	2.75
114	WILKINS TWP. FIRE. Co	3.00
115	W. H. FRASHER.	219.00
116	JOHN. G. O BRIEN.	250.00
117	JOHN. G. O'BRIEN	8.75
118	JOSEPH. LIABAMI.	8.75
119	ALEX. WISNSKI.	20.00
120	JAMES. SOLES.	20.00
121	LOUIS. DINZEO.	20.00
122	JULIUS. STAGLEY	5.00

123	DUQUESNE LIGHT. Co	5.04
124	GEO. IRELAND	8.00
125	THOMAS STANLEY.	57.20
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June 5th 1939

Wilkins Township Fire Co #1
Regular meeting of the Board of Comm. called to order by the Pres Mr Bassano. 8pm

Roll Call. Present - Mr Bassano Leax Dannis. Neibl.
absent. Mr Augustine

Reading of minutes of regular meeting of May 1st. 1939. Upon the Secretary there being no Corrections minutes approved as read by Mr Bassano

Report of Committees
Road. Mr Augustine. absent.
Fire & Police. Mr Neibl asked secy to read Police report, same read by the secretary and accepted with thanks to Police by Mr Bassano.
Finance. - Mr Leax progress
Claims - Mr Leax. (one) now being investigated
Water & Light. Mr Dannis - Progress.

Reading of bills by the Secretary

Moved by Mr Neibl seconded by Mr Leax that all bills be paid when properly approved
Carried.

Moved by. Mr Neibl seconded by Mr Dannis that the Police Mr Vechter and Mr Urban be paid. 1cc per month subject to special call only. Carried

Resolution by Mr Neibl seconded by Mr Leax that Mr Goodwin Treas be exonerated for the uncollected occupation taxes for 1938 amounting to $1610.40 any Nay Vote called for by the Pres Mr Bossora
Voting Aye. Mr Leax, Neibl Dawes and Mr Bossora.

Resolution by Mr Neibl seconded by Mr Dawes that Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co be accepted as depository for Year of 1939. and that Mr Goodwin Treas be instructed to deposit all funds for the Township in Turtle Creek Bank & Trust Co. Carried

Motion by Mr Neibl seconded by Mr Leax that budget be accepted as approved by the Finance Committee
Carried

Moved by Mr Neibl seconded by Mr Leax that Ordinance #130 be read for the 1st time Carried.

Ordinance #130 Read for the 1st time by the Solicitor Mr Schmidt.
Annual budget of Wilkins Twp. for Year of 1939.- Schedule C. Tax Levy Ordinance and appropriation Ordinance #130
An ordinance of the Township of Wilkins County of Allegheny and the Commonwealth of Penna. fixing the tax rate for the year of 1939 and appropriating specific sums estimated to be required for the various purposes of the Township Government, hereinafter set forth, during the current fiscal year

Be it Ordained and Enacted, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Wilkins, County of Allegheny Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Section #1 — That the tax be and the same is hereby levied on all property and occupations within the said Township subject to taxation for Township purposes for fiscal year of 1939 as follows.

Tax Rate for general township purposes, the sum of seven and five sixths (7⅚) mills on each dollar of assessed Valuation of the sum of seventy-eight and one third 78⅓ cents on each one hundred dollars of assessed Valuation

For debt purposes the sum of three and one sixth mills on each dollar of assessed Valuation, or the sum of thirty one and two thirds (31⅔) cents on each one Hundred dollars of assessed Valuation.

TAX RATE FOR GENERAL TWP PURPOSE	7⅚ mills	$ .78⅓ cents
" " " " DEBT "	3⅙ "	$ .31⅔ "
TOTAL.	11 MILLS.	$1.10 Cents

Section #2 - That the expenses of the Township for fiscal year 1939 the following amounts are hereby appropriated from the revenues available for current year for the specific purpose set forth below, which amounts are more fully itemized in the budget form Schedule-B.

General operation Funds.
Summary of Anticipated receipts

CASH BALANCE FOR APPROPTION	$ 8,388.57
RECEIPTS FROM MISC. SOURCES	34 05.03
" " TAXES FOR PRIOR YEARS	10841.10
" " CURRENT LEVY	14527.53
TOTAL ANTICIPATED RECEIPTS	$ 15480.03

Summary of Appropations

10-GENERAL GOVERMENT.

ADMINISTRATION.	$ 2440.00
TREASURER TAX COLLECTOR.	950.00
TOWNSHIP BUILDINGS	700.00
TOTAL.	$ 4090.00

20. PROTECTION TO PERSONS & PROPERTY.

POLICE.	$ 95.00
FIRE.	$ 213.60
BUILDING REGULATION & ZONING.	70.00
TOTAL.	$ 378.60

30. HEALTH & SANITATION

HEALTH BUREAU.	$ 210.00
TOTAL.	210.00

40. HIGHWAY. STREETS & BRIDGES. $ 5401.43

TOTAL.	5401.43

TOTAL FOR OPERATION, MAINTENANCE AND CAPITOL OUTLAY (ITEMS 10 TO 80 INC) $ 15080.03

90. DEBT SERVICE

INTEREST & STATE TAX.	$ 400.00
TOTAL. DEBT SERVICE.	$ 400.00

TOTAL APPROPTIONS FROM GENERAL OPERATION FUNDS (INC. DEBT SERVICE) $ 15480.03

SINKING FUNDS.

SUMMARY OF ANTICIPATED RECEIPTS.

CASH AND SECURITIES FROM PREVIOUS YEAR.	$ 15480.03
RECEIPTS FROM TAXES.	5893.00
TOTAL ANTICIPATED RECEIPTS.	$ 20828.13

SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATIONS

INTEREST TO BE PAID.	$ 1879.75
STATE TAX	182.00
BONDS TO BE RETIRED.	2000.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATION FROM SINKING FUND.	$ 4061.75

SECTION #3 - And estimate of the sepa items making up the amounts appropriated to the respective Departments is on file in the Office of the Secretary of the Township 814 Larchmont Ave. Turtle Creek Pa

SECTION #4 - That any Ordinance, or part of Ordinance, conflicting with this Ordinance be and same is hereby repealed insofar as the same affects this Ordinance

~~Adopted~~ This 5th day of June 1939.

Michael Bassara

Pres. of the Board of Commissioners

Certification

To the Secretary of Internal affairs

I Hereby Certify that the foregoing Ordinance is a true and correct Copy of Ordinance #130. enacted by the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Wilkins on the 5th day of June 1939.

John. G. O'Brien

Township Secretary

Moved by Mr Leax seconded by Mr Neikl that Ordinance #130. be accepted as read for first time (Carried)

Moved by Mr Leax seconded by Mr Dawis that Ordinance #130 be read for second time (Carried)

Ordinance #130. read for second time by the Solicitor Mr Schmidt

Moved by Mr Neikl second by Mr Dawis that Ordinance #130. be accepted as read for second time. Carried.

Mr Neibl reported that crossing at Mr Blakely property was slippery.
Mr Bossara said Board would investigate same after meeting

Mr Bossara at this time asked Citizens as to whether or not they wish to be heard.

Mr Maggasic introduced Mr Mc. Cafferty residing at Georges Land who complained of the Condition of this street, and also the assessed Valuation of his property said that he paid $4500 for property and that same was assessed at $950.00

Mr Schmidt Solicitor advised Mr Mc. Cafferty that he would have to see Board of revision on Taxes in Court House as they were the ones that set the assessed Valuation, and also advises him that as Wilkins Township had never accepted the Harrison plan of lots, Mr Cowley not make any improvements until the plan was recorded in Court House and accepted by Allegheny County

Mr Mc. Intyre Harrison Road. Complained of Condition of steps between his property line and the street said W.P.a. was supposed to take care of this after some discussion Mr Bossara said Commissioners Would investigate

Mr Trott asked Commissioners if Cowley Ag something about the Condition of his property that was damaged by State Highway Dept Mr Bossara asked Secretary to write Mr Schmitt Dist Eng of State highways Dept located in the Wabash Building Pgh Pa

and arrange for a meeting with the Board of Comm. and to see some of the Complaints that the Township has against this Department

Mr Rowcliffe asked Board of Comm to take up with the State highway Dept about the abandonment of the highway at their property as he has had this matter up several times with the Pittsburgh Office but could not get a satisfactory from highway Dept

Mr Bossard said that if we could get Mr Schmitt out to our Township we would take time out to look at this property

Moved by Mr Neibl seconded by Mr D amico that all rules and regulations be waved and that Ordinance # 130 be read for third time
Mr Bossard called for aye & nay Vote
Voting aye. Mr Bossara. Leax Neibl and Mr D amico
absent Mr Augustine

Ordinance #130 read for the 3rd time by the Solicitor Mr Schmidt

Moved by Mr D amico seconded by Mr Leax that Ordinance #130 be accepted as read for the 3rd time
Mr Bossara Called for aye & nay Vote
Voting aye. Mr Bossara. Leax Neibl and D amico
absent Mr augustine

Moved by Mr Neibl seconded by Mr D amico that meeting be recessed at the call of the Chair

Carried

Mr Augustine Voted aye for reading and accepting of Ordinance June 6th. and records meeting was adjourned by Mr Bassara

John G O'Brien
Secy

WARRANTS PAID JUNE 1939

125	JULIUS STAGHEY.	57.20
126	BENNY STAGHEY.	8.00
127	THEO. H. SCHMIOT.	125.00
128	ROBERT SMITH.	39.50
129	JOHN G. O'BRIEN.	31.25
130	ROBERT SMITH.	1.45
131	RUDOLPH CHATKOS.	25.25
132	PEOPLES GAS.	2.00
133	DUQUESNE LIGHT CO	5.32
134	PENNA WATER CO.	3.00
135	JOHN VECHTER.	12.00
136	JOS URBAN.	12.00
137	JOHN G. O'BRIEN	4.15
138	JOS. URBAN.	5.00
139	JOHN. VECHTER.	5.00
140	JULIUS STAGHEY.	57.20
141	RALPH VIZZIANO.	8.00
142	JOS. AUGUSTINE JR.	20.00
143	THOS HEAX.	30.00
144	FRANK EVANOVICH	16.00
145	GEO. O'BRIEN	16.00
146	H.A. MARUCA.	10.50
147	MATTHEW. NEIHL	8.00

July 3rd 1939

Franklin Boro Co -

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm of Wilkins Twp called to order by the Pres Mr Bassara at 8 PM.

Roll Call Present. Mr Bassara. Leas Augustine Neihl & Danico

Reading of Minutes of meeting 7 June 5th read by the Secretary Otherwise being no corrections same approved as read by Mr Bassara

Report of Committee

Road Mr Augustine Progress.
Water & Light Mr Danico Progress
Police Mr Neihl asked Secretary to read police report same read by Secretary and accepted with thanks to Police by Mr Bassara
Finance Mr Leas Progress Claims Mr Leas. ons

Reading of Bills by the Secretary Moved by Mr Augustine Seconded by Mr Neihl that all bills be paid when properly approved Carried

Mr Bassara asked Secretary to advertise for Bids for sale of Two Iron used Tractor same to be seen at Secretary address

Mr Straley advised that several roads in Township were in very bad shape and said the same should be dragged. - Mr Bassara asked Road Committee to see Mr Yost for cost of same

Mr Bassara at this asked if any citizen wished to be heard — there being none.

Motion by Mr Neibl seconded by Mr Leax to adjourn Carried

John J. O'Brien
Secretary

Aug. 7th. 1939

Franklin. Fire Co # 3

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm of Wilkins Township. Called to order by the Pres Mr Bassara. at 8:15 pm

Roll Call. Present Mr Bassara, Leax and Damico. Late. Mr Augustine. Absent Mr Neibl.

Reading of minutes of regular meeting of July 3rd by the Secretary, there being no corrections. minutes approved as read by Mr Bassara.

Report of Committees
Road. Mr Augustine Progress.
Fire & Police. Mr Neibl absent
no police report by the Police
Water & Light. Mr Damico - Progress
Finance. Mr Leax Progress
Claims. Mr Leax. one. Claim.

Mrs. Skinner has asked Board of Commissioners for $300.00 for settlement due to a fall on Doherty, St steps, Claims Committee agreed to settle for $100.00 and no more,

Reading of Bills by the Secretary.

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Damico that all bills be paid when properly approved Carried

Resolution made by Mr Leax seconded by Mr Augustine that payment of Taxes be extended to November 1st instead of August 1st Carried

Bids opened for sale of used Tractor as advertised the following bids were received.

Bids from Hervey Auto wrecking.
for $36.50
Bid $35.00 by Henry Morrison
" $35.25 by Russell Martin
after some consideration by the Board there was referred to Road Committee for further consideration

Mr Schmidt said that the $1500.00 County aid was now up to Mr Park Master County planning Board for their recommendation

Mr Augustine Complained from Ner Yorco. that he had received a letter from Mr Smith to discontinue the practice of repairing of Automobile tables by Mr Bossaro.

Mr Eisaak from Workers hall asked Board if the would do anything to repair the street at their hall.
Mr Bossaro advised that as there was no money available at this time nothing could be done.

Letter received from Mr Wills Secretary of the School Board. asking the Board of Comm. to exempt the School Board. from paying $137.50 taxes on the Globita property that had been purchased recently
Mr Bossaro asked for Aye & Nay Vote
Aye. Mr Leax & D[illegible]
Nay. Mr Augustine

Moved by Mr Leax seconded by Mr Augustine to adjourn Carried

John J. O'Brien
Secretary

Sept 5th 1939

Franklin Fire Co #3

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm called to order by Mr Bassara at 8:15 P.M.

Roll Call present Mr Bassara. Leax Neibl & Damico.

Absent Mr Aggustus.

Reading of minutes of meeting of Aug 21st by the Secretary which being no Corrections approved as read by Mr Bassara

Report of Committees

Road. Mr Augustus absent.

Fire & Police - Mr Neibl Progress no police report.

Water & Light - Mr Damico Progress.

Finance. Mr Leax. Progress.

Claims - Mr Leax. Bills not yet settled

Reading of Bills.

Moved by Mr Neibl seconded by Mr Damico that all bills be paid when properly approved. Carried

Mr Schmidt - reported that he had noticed parties that were running Coal at Welsh property that road had Caved in and that they would be held responsible no answer.

Moved by Mr Neibl seconded by Mr Leax. that secretary advertise for Bids on 400 ft of 2½ double jacketed fire Hose to be received at the next regular meeting Carried

Mr Bassara asked Mr Straley to look after Dalotty St.

Moved by Mr Neibl seconded by Mr Damico that secretary notify Mr Boyer that his resignation was asked for from this Date Carried

Mr Yocum asked Board if something should be done to amend ordinance for prohibiting garage work on Clare St. Mr Schmidt to investigate

Mr Brassel. Complained of production of Mosquitoes and asked Board to try and do something by use of water pots or Board to investigate

Mr Neibl reported that Fire House at #3 Co. needed overhauled Mr Shappell reported that it would cost approx 35.00 to cover this work - Board agreed to have this work done

Mr Bassara. Notified the audience that Application for Engineer would be received at the next regular meeting.

Moved by Mr Damico seconded by Mr Leax to adjourn Carried

John J. Gallagher
Secy

Oct 2nd 1939

Franklin Fire House

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm. of Wilkins Township Called to Order by Pres. Mr Bossard at 8:05 P.M.

Roll Call- Present Mr Bossard. Leax. Augustine, Neitl & Daniels.

Report of Committee

Road- Mr Augustine Progress.

Fire & police. Mr Neitl Progress.

Water & Light. Mr Daniels. Progress

Finance Mr Leax Progress

Claims Mr Leax - One - Not yet settled.

Reading of bills by the Secretary

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Neitl that all bills be paid when properly approved Carried.

Bill from Leax Tire Shop $ 67 ½ for tires Township Truck. Moved by Mr Daniels seconded by Mr Augustine to pay. Carried

Bill for $ 60 ⁷⁵/₁₀₀ from Alpine garage for repair of H.S. Fire Truck. Moved by Mr Daniel seconded by Mr Augustine to pay Carried

Bill from A J Yost for $ 96 ⁰⁰ for grading of Roads. Moved by Mr Neitl seconded by Mr Augustine to pay Carried

Bill from Dominic garage for $ 40 ⁴⁴/₁₀₀ for repair of Township Truck. Moved by Mr Neitl seconded by Mr Augustine to pay Carried

Bill for $ 194.08 from Rockey Bros for Material used for Sewer project now North Braddock & Chalfont Road

after some discussion on this bill and after Mr Schmidt advised the Board that this bill was OK or County would not have approved same and paid the Township these sums for same if it had not been properly drafted, it was then moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Neihl to pay - Mr Bossara Solly for aye - May Vote Voting Aye Mr Augustine, Neihl Lear & Dennis.

Mr Augustine reported that Brown ave Hollow and Hill Roads were in very bad shape Mr Bossara asked road Committee to investigate and see what can be done to make same passable for the Winter.

Mr Schmidt reported to Board that the $1500.00 appropriation had been approved by the State and that Check would be forthcoming within the next 30 days.

Mr Schmidt also advised Board that he had received a letter from Mr Fulton attorney for property Owners on Mc Masters ave. in regard to building of steps to some of the properties on this street. Mr Bossara asked road Committee to investigate

Mr Schmidt reported to Board in regard to excessive charges to the Rusco on Orchard Street for laying of Water lines and said that Peoples Service said they were within their rights on these charges

Mr Augustine asked Mr Schmidt if he knew what the State Highway Dept in regard to Brown ave Hollow.

Mr Neihl asked about placing of Water Plug on Orchard St. to take care of Fire protection for 6 or seven families and that no Cost other than yearly rental Mr Bossara asked Mr Dennis to investigate

Mr Bossara asked Secretary to open Bids for 400 feet of Fire Hose as advertised for

Bids Received as follows
Goodrich Silvertown Store gave as Fourth Grade.
400 feet hose with Couplings double jacket hose at 77¢ per foot. or total of $300.00
Or hose same hose with Hydrosan to prevent Mildew for an extra charge of 5¢ per foot.
Also a bid for 400 feet of 7½ Hose at a cost of $1.00 per foot. Known as White Flyer - samples of Hose was furnished

Bid from Fabian Fire Hose Co.
at 77¢ per foot. Elk Head
$1.05 " " Ironwide
1.10 " " Safety
1.20 " " Arrow
1.30 " " Keystone

These Hose with the exception of the Elk Head had a guarantee of 6 years. Samples were presented

After some discussion with the Board and the Fire Chiefs of #1 & #3 Co - it was moved by Mr Neihl & seconded by Mr Dennis that 400 feet of the Brand known as the Arrow at $1.29 per foot be purchased

Carried

Mr Bossara asked secretary if any application for Township Engineer had been received

The Municipal Eng Co of Pittsburgh filed application as follows

Field Sons 4 Men.	4 75 Per Day
" " 3 "	3 75 " "
" " 2 "	3 00 " "
Serving draftsman	2 00 Per Day
" " Designer	2 25 " "
" " Office Engineer	2 50 " "
" " Engineer	3 00 " "
Clerical & Steno Service	1 00 " "
Project Costing up to $25000.00	7 %
" " $50000.00	6 %
" " over $50000.00	5 %

Application from Mr H. A. Shops as follows

3 Man Son.	$ 24 00 Per Day
2 " "	18 00 " "
Field Engineer	13 00 " "
Office Work	12 00 " "
Construction Sup.	7 50 " "
Personal Service.	20 " "
Contracts less than $5000.00	6 %
" $5000 - $25000.00	5 %
" over $25000.00	4 %
Construction Sup.	7 50 Per Day

Mr Bousfield of the Municipal Eng Co was present and addressed the Board and asked them to give consideration to tenders as they have everything to offer any Municipality to whom they served. Mr Bassara deferred appointing any Engineer until after the Annual Meeting 1st Oct. 1914.

Mr Leax reported that path on Rosehill had been washed out and said several loads of R. mixed would be required to put same back in good condition Mr Augustine to investigate

Mr Shoffner reported that # 3 Fire Station was in bad shape and stated he did not think same was worth repairing. Mr Bassara asked Mr Neehl to investigate

Mr Fletcher asked board about closing of alley near his home Mr Bassara asked Mr Augustine to investigate

Moved by Mr Neehl seconded by Mr Dawes

A Committee from # 1 Fire Station asked the Board for donation for their Fire Truck Mr Bassara informed Committee he would have an answer after Annual Meeting 1st Oct 1914.

Moved by Mr Neehl seconded by Mr Dawes to adjourn

John G Ahern
Secy.

Nov. 6th. 1939.

Franklin. Fire. House

Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township called to order by the Pres. Mr Bassara at 8:15 P.M.

Roll call. Present Mr Bassara. Mr Leax Augustine, Neikl & Dannies.

Reading of minutes of regular meeting of Oct. 2nd. by the Secretary - there being no corrections - minutes approved as read by Mr Bassara.

Report of Committees

Mr Augustine. Road. reported that sewer on Chalfont Boro. & Wilkins Twp. line were clogged and that some houses were damaged by water (due to very heavy rain / unable to carry water) - same was investigated by him, also that property owners were asking for seperate steps on Mc Masters ave Mr Bassara asked Mr Straley what it would cost to build these steps, and Mr Straley estimated cost at about $200.00, after some discussion Mr Bassara asked Mr Neikl & Dannies to hire Mr Shope Engineer to make a survey on Mc Masters ave

Fire & Police - Mr Neikl reported the Mr Beveridge wanted Fire calls taken from his house - Mr Neikl asked Board to have button installed in some house near Fire Co. - so alarm could be sounded without going to Fire house Mr Bassara asked Mr Neikl to get cost of same and report at next meeting

Water & Light - Mr Dannies - progress

Claims - Mr Leax - one not settled

Finance Mr Leax. progress

Reading of bill by Secretary
Moved by Mr Augustave seconded
by Mr Neikel that all bills be paid when
properly approved Carried

Moved by Mr Neikel seconded by Mr Augustave
that bill for $15.00 for installing Furnace in
#3 Fire Co. be pkd when presented. Carried

Moved by Mr Augustave seconded by
Mr Leax that Check for $1,500.00 for County
aid be accepted. Carried

Mr Chas. Brown complained that
water was running thru his property
which had been caused by Forest Hills Boro
Pump to Route Forest Hills.

Representatives from Fire Co asked
the Township to take over the Purchase of the
New Fire Truck. For #1 Co. after some
discussion the Secretary was instructed
by Mr Bossara to advertise for Bids and
that Special Meeting was to be held Friday
the Nov. 24th. 1939 at Franklin Fire to
open bids.

Moved by Mr Leax seconded
by Mr Dannis to adjourn. Carried

John J. O'Brien
Secy.

~~Franklin~~ Nov 24th 1939.
Franklin Fire House
Special Meeting of the Board of Comm
of Wilkins Township at the Call of the Pres
Mr Bossara. for the purpose of opening of
bids for New Fire Truck. #1. Fire Co.
Meeting called to order by the
Pres. Mr Bossara. at 8:00 PM.

Roll Call. Present. Mr Bossara. Leax
Augustave Neikel & Dannis.

Mr Bossara asked Secretary to
open bids

#1- FRANKLIN MOTOR CO.
INTERNATIONAL- TRUCK WITH HOWE MFG.
FIRE APPARATUS. 400 GAL PUMPER $ 4370.00
" " 500 " " 4870.00
WITH $ 300.00 TRADE IN ALLOWANCE ON OLD PUMPER

#2. HOWE FIRE APPARATUS 400 GAL PUMPER. $ 4370.00
" " " 500 " " 4925.00
WITH $425 TRADE IN ALLOWANCE ON OLD PUMPER

#3- BEADLING MOTOR CO.
DODGE CHASSIE WITH AMER LA FRANCE FIRE
EQIPMENT 170" WHEEL BASE. $ 4878.00
160" " 3951.00
WITH $100 TRADE IN ALLOWANCE ON OLD PUMPER.

#4. AMERICAN LA FRANCE FIRE EQUIPMENT
500 GAL PUMPER. $ 6300.00
EXTRA. AS CALLED FOR IN SPECS. 201.50
6501.50
WITH $1000 TRADE IN ALLOWANCE ON OLD PUMPER.

#5. AHRENS FOX 500 GAL PUMPER. $ 5500.00
WITH $100 TRADE IN ALLOWANCE ON OLD PUMPER.

after bids were read Mr Bossara
asked each bidder to take the floor
and explain to the Citizens and Town
Co the advantage of his equipment

Mr Bossara after hearing the
explanation from each bidder
decided to look over and study
all bids and to meet at the Solicitors
Office Monday eve 2 the audity and
decide which bid would be accepted

Moved by Mr Augustus seconded
by Mr Leask to adjourn Carried

John H O'Brien
Secy

Dec 4th 1939

Franklin Fire House

Regular meeting of the Board of Comm's of Welkins Twp called to order by the Pres. Mr Bossara 8 P.M.

Roll Call

Present. Mr Bossara Leax. Augustine Heckel & Daniels

Reading of Minutes of regular meeting of regular meeting of Nov. 7th. and Special meeting of Nov. 27th. Mr Schmidt asked that report of Mr Augustine on over flow of water from sewer between Shafford Bro and North Broddock be changed to read. that due to the very heavy storm and the amount of excess amount of Water that this sewer was forced to & arbey. there was an overflow. that Caused some property damage. to some of the North Broddock residents. Mr Augustine reported that he had. not heard from any one as to the amount of damage.
Minutes approved as Corrected by the Chair Mr Bossara.

Report of Committees.
Road. Mr Augustine - Progress.
asked Mr Shope Engineer to report on Mc Masters ave. Mr Shope reported that he had done surveying work on Mc Masters ave. and was having new project ready to ask for W.P.A. Funds. and also reported that 16 steps would be built for property owners.
Fire & Police. Mr Heckel progress
asked. secretary to read police report report read. and accepted by the Pres Mr Bossara. with thanks to Police

Water & Light. Mr Daniels - Fire Hydrant on Orchard St. Mr Shope was asked to make a report on this matter, he reported that this road was known as Church Hill Lane and not Orchard St, and that he had located place for Hydrant.
Finance - Mr Leax progress.
Claims - Mr Leax. two not settled

Letter received from Mrs. Anne E. Skinner asking Board to reconsider her Claim.

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax that the Board had made their final offer which was $100.00
Carried

Reading of bills by the Secretary

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Daniels that all bills be paid when properly approved, except the one from Mr Bayne.
Carried.

Secretary to write Mr Bayne and have Him turn in an itemized account of his bill.

Resolution by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Leax, that the proper officers be and they are hereby authorized and directed to execute a Certificate of indebtedness in the amount of $10,000.00 payable to the North Creek and Bank & Trust Co North Creek N.Y. on the 1st day of April 1940 with interest at the rate of (4%) per centum per annum from Oct 1st. 1939. Carried

Mr Bossara asked secretary to advertise for Bids for Fire Insurance on Trucks at Next regular Meeting Jan 1st 1941.

Mr Bassara asked Mr Goodwin Chairman of Civic Booster Club what had been decided on purchase of new Fire Truck. He reported that as yet no definite settlement had been made as to what make of Truck would be purchased, but that this would be decided at the next meeting Tuesday in Dec 19th.

Mr Bassara then advised Mr Goodwin that the Board of Commissioners would not sign contract for New Truck unless the money that collected would be put in Bank under the Board Control in a special fund.

Mr Goodwin asked the Board of Commissioners to drop a lines card to Mr Rhoads who was very ill in the Columbia Hospital.

Mr Aiello asked Board of Comm if they could exonerate about $730.00 of back taxes on two Lots located near #1 Fire H. as the Italian Citizens Club were thinking of buying this property to erect building on same; Mr Bassara advised Mr Aiello that no taxes would be exonerated.

Mr Schmidt at this time advised that under new tax law all property which was liened for 5 years would have to be sold.

Moved by Mr Niehl seconded by Mr Augustine to adjourn. Carried

John G. O'Brien.

Wilkins Township, Pa
Dec 15-1939.

Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners held their special meeting on above date at No 1 Fire House.

President Bassara announced the purpose of the meeting was: To discuss the purchase of a Fire truck.

All Commissioners were present at Roll Call. A check in the amount of $1,375.00 was presented on behalf of "Citizens Booster Committee" for the purchase of a fire truck, which truck must be purchased by Jan 1st 1940, or check is to be returned back to Committee.

Fire chief Mr Shoulder reported, that the Firemen and the Boosters Committee recommended the purchase of an Amer La France truck, and equipment, he reported that the Howe truck did not have enough horse power to give adequate service on the Township hills.

"Mr Augustine offered the following Resolution; "That the Commissioners purchase an Amer. La France Truck, for which a bid was submitted for $6,300.00 plus $201.50 for additional equipment, plus $100.00 trade-in allowance, said contract to stipulate the purchase price at $6,300.00, which price includes the extra equipment as stated at $201.50 plus $100.00 trade-in allowance."

Resolution was seconded by Mr Leax.

Chairman Bassara asked for Roll call on the resolution: Result was: Augustine aye, - Leax aye, - Niehl nay, - Damico nay, - Chairman Bassara not voting.

Mr. Niehl offered the following Resolution:
"That the Commissioners purchase an Ahrens-Fox truck for $5.500.00, less $1100.00 trade-in allowance"
Resolution seconded by Mr. Damico.
Chairman Bassara asked for Roll call, and result was: Augustine nay.- Kear nay.- Niehl aye.- Damico aye. Chairman Bassara not voting.
Since votes were tied and chairman Bassara not voting either way, matter was left until Board reorganize's in coming Jan. 1940.

A written communication was received from the Citizen's Booster Committee, notifying the Board of Commissioners, that an American La France Truck be purchased. Communication was ordered by chairman to be filed, and also check to be returned back to Citizen's Booster Committee, since Board didn't purchase the Fire truck at this meeting.

Moved by Mr. Niehl seconded by Mr. Damico that meeting adjourns. (Motion carried)

Theodore H. Schmidt.
acting secretary.

Year

(1). Application and Proposal by which Mr. H. A. Shope was appointed Township Engineer for year 1940 at annual meeting held Jan 1st 1940:

I hereby propose to furnish Engineering service for Wilkins Twp. at the following rates:

Alternate One

3 Men Corps - $14.00 per day - 2 man Corps $18.00 per day.
Field Engineer $13.00 " " Office work $17.00 " "
Const. Inspector $7.50 " " Capital service $2.00 " hour.
Engineering Materials (Stakes, i.t.c.) Billed at cost.
The above rates includes the use of Engineering instruments and tools.

Alternate Two:-

Furnishing surveys, drawings, specifications and field Construction layout for Public Works Improvements let in contractual bases: Contracts less than $5.000.00 -- 6%
Contracts $5.000.00 to $25.000.00 5%
Contracts over $25.000.00 4%
Construction Inspection - $7.50 Per Day.

Yours Truly, H. A. Shope.

(2.) Application and Proposal of Mr. Theodore H. Schmidt by which he was appointed Township solicitor at Boards reorganization meeting Jan 1st 1940:-

Board of Commissioners Wilkins Township.

Gentlemen:-

I herewith submit my application for election to the office of Solicitor of Wilkins Township, which office I have held for the past 6 years, at an annual salary of $500.00 plus $50.00 per day for each day or part of day spent in Court on Township business or litigation.

Respectfully submitted,
Theodore H. Schmidt.

Wilkins Township, Pa
Jan 1st 1940.

Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners held their regular and reorganization meeting on above date, at No 1 Fire House, with the following order of business:

1.) Chairman Mr Bassara called the meeting to order at 7.30 P.M.

2.) Secretary made the Roll call, and following members were present: Chairman, Bassara, Lear, Augustine, Niehl, and Damico, who came little later.

3.) Secretary read the minutes from regular and special meeting of Dec 15, and they were duly approved as read.

4.) Reading of Bills.

Secretary read the bills that accumulated during the month of Dec, as well as some bills prior to Dec. Moved by Mr Augustine, that all bills properly approved by Finance Committee be paid, except bills from Hartshein Hdware Co, and Mr. Bayne former engineer of our Township, which should be rechecked, than paid, when O.K. by Finance committee.
All members voting ayes. (Motion carried)

5.) Mr. Augustin offered the resolution seconded by Mr. Niehl: That amount of $50.00 be transfered from 22-E 1 to 22-E 4. (Motion carried)

Mr. Augustine also offered nother resolution seconded by Mr. Niehl, That amount of $300.00 be transfered from H-1-C-1 to H-1-B.
All members voting ayes. Motion carried)

6. Adjournment of regular meeting.

Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Niehl, that Board adjourns this meeting,

since all business of 1939 was acted upon, and that Board should go into reorganization meeting.
All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)
There being no further business Board adjourns.

J. J. O'Brien
Secretary.

1.) Regular meeting of the New Board of Commissioners, was called to order by temporary Chairman Mr. Augustine, who called upon newly elected Commissioners to present their certificates of Oath, so we can proceed with the meeting. Mr. Richard B. Rose, Mr. Ed Ayers, and Mr. Charles Straley turned in their certificates and took their seats as newly elected Commissioners, also Mr. Jos Augustine as re-elected Commissioner, all four were greeted by citizens present at the meeting.

2.) Mr. Augustine acting temporary chairman entertained the motion for nomination and election of chairman.
Mr. Straley nominated Mr. Niehl, seconded by Mr. Rose. Since there was no other nominations, Mr. Straley made the motion and Mr. Rose seconded that secretary cast ballots for Mr. Niehl, who was elected chairman. (Motion carried.)

3.) Election of Vice chairman.
Mr. Augustine nominated Mr. Rose, and it was seconded by Mr. Straley, there was no other nominations, and Mr Straley moved, and Mr. Augustine seconded, that secretary cast the ballots for Mr. Rose who was elected Vice chairman. All members voting ayes motion carried.

4.) Election of Secretary:-
Mr. Niehl asked the secretary to read the applications for position as secretary to the

Board of Commissioners.
Secretary read the applications from: Michael V. Blagovich, and Mr. Robert Nocivelli, also recommendation from Italian Citizen Club in regards to Mr. Nocivelli application.

Moved by Mr. Straley, seconded by Mr. Rose that open vote be taken for secretary. All members voting ayes (motion carried.)

Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr Straley, that Michael V. Blagovich be appointed secretary. Members voted as follows: Augustine ayes, - Straley ayes, and Niehl ayes, - Rose nays, and Ayers nays. Three members voting yes, and Two members voting No; Mr. Niehl declared Michael V. Blagovich appointed as secretary.
Chairman Mr. Niehl called upon Blagovich to take his post, and proceed with the minutes. Newly appointed secretary Blagovich took his duty; and in brief talk thanks the members of Board for appointment, not only once that voted him in the office, but other once that voted against him, if they used their best judgments. Also he asked all members on the Board, as well as other citizens in our Township for brotherly cooperation and harmony, and he promised to work only for the best interest of our citizens, and welfare to our community.

5.) Election of Township solicitors:-

Secretary read the application for this position from our present Township solicitor Mr. Theodore H. Schmidt, who wishes to remain our solicitor for nother term.
Since there wasn't any more applicants for this position, Moved by Mr. Straley

and seconded by Mr Augustine that Board retains Mr. Schmidt as Township solicitor. All members voting yes, (motion carried) and Mr Smidt was reappointed as solicitor of our Township.

6.) Appointment of various committees:-

Chairman Mr. Riehl at this time appointed following committees:

Chairman of Roads Mr. Joseph E. Augustine.
" "Police-Fire Mr. Charles Straley.
" "Water-Light Mr. Edw. Ayers.
" "Finance-Claim Mr. R.B. Rose Sr.

7.) Election of Road Superviser:

Secretary read the application from our present Road Superviser Mr. J. Straley who wishes to retain that position. Since there was no more applicants, it was moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Rose that Board reappoints Mr. Straley as our Road Superviser. All members voting yes, (Motion carried) and Mr. Straley was reappointed as Superviser of the Roads.

8.) Applications for Police:-

Secretary read the applications for this position from following citizens:
Mr. Charles Ulrich, - Mr. Joseph Urban, John P. Vechter, - Tony Talarino, - Louis A. Cajarelli, Charles Giles.
Moved by Augustine, seconded by Rose that Board tables all those applications till Board's next recessed meeting, at which time appointments will be made. All members voting yes (Motion carried)

9.) Applications for Township Engineer

Secretary read the applications from:

Mr. H. A. Shope Homestead Penna, and Mr. L. J. Bouffard representing Municipal Engineering Co in Pgh. Pa.

Moved by Mr Augustine, seconded by Mr Rose, that Board retains Mr. H. A. Shope as Township engineer, since Mr. Shope already did some work for us in connections with our new proposals submitted to W.P.A. for projects on roads in our Township. All members voted yes. (motion carried) and Mr. Shop was appointed our engineer.

10.) Applications for position for Board of Health

Secretary read the application from Mr. Dominic Aiello, whose term expired this year, and he wishes to retain his office. Since there is only application of Mr. Aiello, and only his term expires, it was moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr Straley that Board reappoints Mr. Aiello as member of Board of Health. All members voting yes. (motion carried) and Mr. Aiello was reappointed.

11.) Designation of Depository:-

Moved by Augustine, seconded by Ayers that Board retains Turtle Creek Bank and Trust Company as our Depository for coming year. All members voting yes. (Motion carried.) Bank to be notified.

12.) Application for Auto Service:-

Secretary read the application from Maggiore Auto Service signed by Mr. Lario Maggiore who wishes to serve Township with complete Automotive service, equipment and general repairing. Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr Ayers, that Board tables this application till next meeting. all members voting yes, (Motion carried.)

13.) Opening the bids for Fire trucks Insurance:-

Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Straley, that bids be open, All members voting yes. (Motion carried)

Secretary opened and read bids as follows:

A.) From Wagner Realty Co located in our Township and representing General Accident Fire and Life Ins in Philadelphia, whose bid reads as follows:

1936 Inter, 1½ ton truck	10/20 - $40.05	-PA 5.000 -	$18.00
1928 F. Truck	10/20 - 89.90	-PA "	51.00
1927 Graham F. Truck	10/20 - 89.90	-PA - "	51.00
1930 Packard " "	10/20 - 89.90	-PA "	51.00
1929 Cadillac " "	10/20 - 89.90	-PA "	51.00
	$ 39.605 -		$222.10

(Total premium on all trucks for 1 year $ 620.15)

(Reduction)

B.) From Gordon A Spencer, representing Continental Casualty Co from Chicago Ills on same amounts of liability that are stated above for total

Premium 1 year $ 373.92

C.) From Mr. C. A. Roberts from Turtle Creek, Pa representing Penn. Threshmens Farmer Mutual Casualty Co located in Philadelphia, on same amount of liability.

Total amount of premium for 1 year $ 384.78

Moved by Augustine, seconded by Rose, that Board turns all three policies over to our solicitor, Mr. Schmidt, who will investigate and report back to Board at next meeting nature of assets and Liabilities of all three companies, since there is great deal of differences in annual premiums. (All members voting yes. Motion carried.)

14.) Moved by Mr Augustine, seconded by Mr. Rose, that all employees that we hire, as well as those now employed, but not re-elected as yet, shall serve at the salary that will be set by Board at later date. (All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)

15.) Vote of thanks to Mr. J. J. O'Brien.

Mr. Michael Bassara former chairman of the Board suggested, that we all give Mr. O'Brien vote of thanks for his marvels service that he gave to Board of Commissioners, as well as other citizens in our Township as Board's secretary for last four years. Suggestion was — welcomed and all commissioners, as well as other citizen, by rising, expressed the thanks to Mr. O'Brien, who in return excepting this honor, thank the commissioners and citizens, and promised his cooperation to commissioners as well as to other citizens in the future as he did in the past, since he is leaving his office by his own will, not because there is change in administration.

16.) Recessing this meeting.

Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Ayers, that Board recesses this meeting at this time, and continues it on Thirsday nite, Jan 4. 7.30 P.M. all members voting yes. (Motion carried.)

There being no further business Board adjourned till Thirsday nite Jan 4. 1940.

17. Board of commissioners met on above date at No 1 Fire House to continue their meeting from Jan 1st, with the following order of business:

1.) Chairman Mr. Niehl called the meeting to order at 8. P.M.

2.) Secretary made the Roll call, and following members were present; Chairman Mr. Niehl, Vice chair Mr. Rose, Mr. Augustine, and Mr. Straley. Absent Mr. Ayers, due to the sickness in his family.)

3.) Report from Mr. Schmidt, solicitor as to Ins Co's.

Mr. Schmidt inform the Board, that he made the very careful check up on three companies that bids were submitted by their local agents, and he stated that Sen. Accident Life Ins, and Continental Casualty Co were very reliable stock companies, while Gen. Freshmens, Farmers Mutual Casualty was Mutual Co, and he will not recommend this company to the Board, because, if this company ever happens to go broke, Board could be assesed for amount of premium again.

4.) Mr. C. A. Roberts local agent for said company spoke of changes that company proposes to do after the 15th of Jan, which changes were approved by the Dept of this Commonwealth, and that after Jan 16th this company will be in line with other companies.

5.) Mr. Gordon A. Spencer spoke about the bid that he submit from Continental Casualty Co, stating that he didn't state right premium in his bid, because Board's advertising called for 5 trucks, instead 1 hauling trucks and 4 Fire trucks. So to a affect that premium on Fire trucks is great deal higher than on dump trucks, and he wished to read his corrected bid.

Chairman Mr. Niehl ruled, that if he reads his corrected bid, it will not be fair to other two bidders, since they were present at this meeting.

6.) Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Rose, that the Board rejects all bids due to the defective advertising, and that bidders submit new bids at solicitors office in Turtle Creek, 3.30 P.M. Jan 6-1940, at which time Board will reconsider new bids.

all members voting yes. (Motion carried)

7.) Elections of Township Police:-

Secretary re-read the names of applicants; Mr. Char Ulrich, - Joseph Urban, - John P. Vechter, - Tony Palazzo, - Louis Caiarelli, and Char Giles.

Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Straley that Board elects the officers by secret ballot. (all members voting yes) (Motion carried.)

Secretary wrote all six names of applicants on each of four ballots, and he gave one ballot to each Commissioner. Mr. Niehl also appointed Mr. J. Yost and R. Roposy to act as tellers. After they collected the ballots from Commissioners, they announced following result: Mr. Char Ulrich and Mr. Char Giles received (3) votes each. Mr Tony Palazzo and Mr. Louis Caiarelli received (1) vote each. Upon announced result from tellers, Mr Niehl declared Mr. Char Ulrich and Mr Giles elected Township Police officers.

8.) Election of Ordinance officer:

Mr. Robert Smith present his application for this office since this term expires, and he wishes to retain this office for another term.

Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Rose that Board elect Mr. Smith as Ordinance officer of our Township.

All members voting yes. (Motion carried) and Mr. Niehl declared Mr. Smith elected Ordinance officer.

9.) Report from Ordinance officer Mr. Smith for 1939.

Secretary read the itemized report from Mr. Smith, which shows: that Mr. Smith received following amounts in year 1939: - -

1.	Building Permits during the 1939	$ 96.50
2.	Opening Roads Permits " "	42.50
3.	From Refetas from Utilities "	210.00
	Total received	$ 349.00
	Total money deposited --	$ 350.00

Board of Commissioners upon report of Mr. Smith gave him vote of thanks for such splendid work that he does for Township, with the hope that Mr. Smith continues with such good job in the future since he is re elected. Ordinance officer.

10.) Application for Printing and Publishing:-

Secretary read the application from Mr. Park Diller owner of "Independent" who wishes to serve the Board for any printing and publishing.

11.) Application from Maggiore Auto Service for supplying of gas, oil, grease, equipment and general repairs on Township truck, was ordered filed by President Mr. Nield, after the members decided that no action can be taken since they have to advertise if amount is over $500.00, and this matter will be considered after the Board sets its new budget for year 1940.

12.) Claim against Township from Mr. W. J. Wilson.

Secretary made the report in connection with this claim, stating that he sent the letter to Mr. Wilson on Jan 2 according the instruction from Board of Commissioners meeting held Jan 1-, in which letter he explained to Mr. Wilson that Board of Commissioners can not, or will not pay him any damage for his injury. Mr. Wilson called secretary up on Jan 3rd asking him to take message back to commissioners, and to tell them, that he is willing to drops $ 5.00 from original claim, but no more

and if Commissioners don't pay him $ 45.00, he is going to take to Court, even if he has to spend some of his own money.

After the secretary's report about conversation with Mr. Wilson, it was moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Straley, that Board refuses to recognize any claims from Mr. Wilson and that he can do whatever he wishes.

All members voting yes. (Motion carried)

13.) Paying the bills of Hartz Hdw and Mr. Bayne.

Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr Rose that these two bills be paid along with other monthly bills that secretary read at Jan 1st meeting.

All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)

14.) Application for County Aid.

Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Rose, that Board of Commissioners adopt Resolution to support foregoing Application for County Aid in our Township.

All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)

15.) Application for County Aid.

To the Commissioners of Allegheny County

Whereas, The section of highway in Wilkins Township, County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, starting at a point on State Highway Route 503 approximately 500 ft. southerly from its intersection with Churchill Road (Allegheny County S.P.W.) known as Mc Master Ave, and, being about 1.500 ft. in length, is in need of improvement, and,

Whereas, The Township of Wilkins desires to take advantage of the Act approved June 1-1919 P.L.450 as amended by the Acts of May 10, 1921- P.L.216. May 8, 1929. P.L.1651

and July 17, 1935, P.L. 803, permitting Counties of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to appropriate and expend moneys for the improvement and maintenance of State Highways and State Aid Highways, or any Public Highway in any County of the Commonwealth, etc, therefore be it

Resolved:

That the Commissioners of said Wilkins Township in regular session assembled on this 4th day of Jan 1940, do on behalf of said Township hereby petition for County Aid as hereinbefore stated.

Attest: Michael J. Blagovich - Secty. — Michael Riehl, Pres.
Joseph E. Augustine, chairman
(Seal) for Board of Commissioners.

Address: P.O Box 147. Turtle Creek, Penna.

16.) Discussion about to purchasing Fire Truck:-

Mr. J. Yost, and Mr. J. Sholder representing No 1 Fire Comp. spoke on this subject, and asked the Commissioners to transfer the title of old truck over to "Citizens Boosters Committee", and that this committe will trade this old truck in, and buy new truck, pay so much down on it, obligate themselves to the company for the monthly payments so there will no burden to commissioners whatever. Mr. Augustine in his expressed opinion thought, that such an deal will not be proper procedure on part of Commissioners.

Mr. Straley asked solicitor, Mr. Schmidt, whether or not Board of Commissioners will be charged for old truck, in case Booster's Club fails to make payments to the company, and company takes the truck back way from them, in which case we would'nt have any Fire Truck?

Mr. Schmidt answer was: It would be possible, but he thought, that present truck wasn't worth anything anyway.

After the lenghty discussion on this subject, it

was moved by Mr. Rose, seconded by Mr. Straley that we turn old truck over to Citizen's Boosters Committee, providing: that contract between Boosters Club Committee and Howe Comp. from whom Fire truck supposed to be purchased, is approved by our solicitor Mr. Schmidt.

Roll call on this motion was: Augustine Aye. Straley. aye, Rose aye, and Riehl aye.

All members present voting yes. (motion carried)

17.) Citizens suggestions and complaints:-

1. Mr. J. Sholder brought to Commissioners attention that Fire Comp N° 1 is in very bad need of battery for their fire truck, because old battery don't work and more. He also spoke in connection with the supplies, such as: gas, oil, small parts and other services for Fire Trucks, which he can get in Township, and closer to Fire Company. President Mr. Riehl ordered this matter to be turned over to Mr. Straley, chairman of Fire and Police.

2.) Mr. Jos. Yost spoke on behalf of Boosters Club Committee, and he criticised in general action of lot of our citizens, for not only cooperating with the Club, but for their agitation against the Club, since they they spreading propaganda that this Club belongs to Mr. E. H. Woodburn, despite the fact, that Club is doing everything possible to raise enough funds to purchase new Fire truck.

3.) Mr. Dominic Aiello spoke in connection with the already passed motion concerning the claim of Mr. W. J. Wilson, whose claim was turned down by Board.

Mr. Aiello feels, that this was very serious matter, and should it be turned over to our solicitor Mr. Schmidt for investigation, before Board of Commissioners made their final decision.

Mr. Aiello also spoke in connection with the steps leading from the Greensburg Pike up to Dorothy Street, were our Township had several claims already, and one was of very serious nature, because Township had to pay several thousands dollars in damages, he recommends that Board should barricade those steps, since they more benefit to people living in Chalfont Boro. than they are to those living on Dorothy Str, because they can easy walk around the poke.

There being no further business, it was moved by Mr. Rose, seconded by Mr. Straley, that Board adjourns this meeting, and meet again Saturday Jan 6, to reconsider newly submitted bids on Fire Truck Insurance.
All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)

Jan 6 - 1940.

18.) Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners met on above date at solicitors office, Mr. Schmidt, 508 Penna Ave Turtle Creek, Pa.
Members present as follows: Chairman Mr. Niehl, Vice Chairman Mr. Rose, and members: Jos Augustin and Chas Straley. (absent Mr. Ayers)
President called meeting to order at 3.30 P.M, and announced, that at this meeting Board has to reconsider and award bids for Fire Insurance on trucks, as it was ruled at meeting of Jan 4th.

19.) Since all bidders had their bids in, President Niehl ordered the secretary to open and read the bids, and secretary opened and read them from following bidders:
Joseph Wagner representing General Accident, Fire and Life Ins Co for annual premium of $620.00
Gordon A Spencer representing Continental Casualty Co Chicago, annual premium $468.85
Benswanger, Hast and Herzog representing Zurich Gen. Accident Ins Co annual premium $475.00
C. A. Roberts, representing Insurance Company of North America, annual premium $447.00

20.) Solicitor Mr. Schmidt reported to the Board, that he checked on all four companies, and that they were all reliable stock companies, and it is up to Board to decide.
After careful consideration, it was moved by Mr. Straley, seconded by Mr. Augustine, that we accept the bid from Mr. Roberts, since he was lowest one, for annual premium of $447.00.
Roll call on motion: Straley - aye - Augustine aye, Rose aye and Niehl aye. All members voting yes. (Motion carried) and Mr. Roberts was instructed to have new policy delivered to solicitor Mr. Schmidt not later than Monday noon Jan 8-1940, at which time old policy expires. There being no further business Board adjourned at 4.15 P.M.

21.) Monthly Financial report for Jan 1940.

General Fund:

Balance forward Dec 31-39. $3.499.29
Received from B.H. Goodwin: taxes: None - - - - -

Sinking Fund #1.

Balance Dec 31 39 - $10.606.31
No receipts or Disbursements in Jan,
Bal Jan 31 40 - 10.606.31

Emergency Sinking Fund #1.

Bal Dec 31-1939 - $5.059.29
No Receipts or disbursements, Bal Jan 31-40 - 5.059.29

Machinery and Truck Fund:

Bal Dec 31-1939 - $745.03
No Receipts or Disburse, Bal Jan 31-40 - 745.03

General Fund Disbursements:-

Paid outstanding warants from Dec 1939:- $ 448.42

Warrents paid out in Jan:

Jan 16-40 check # 317 - John Lukinich Labor on Roads Jan 4-5- $8.00
" " " " 318 Julius Straley Supervisor Salary Dec 31 to Jan 4 57.10
" " " " 319 Union Filling Station - Gas No 2 Fire Comp 2.57 - 1939 - Forspend 23.37
" " " " 319 " " " " " for Twp Highway 20.80 - 1939 - Forspend 108.57
" " " " 320 Louis Palarino Labor on roads Jan 3-4-10-11-17 20.00
" 31-40 " 321 Julius Straley Supervisor salary Jan 15 - Feb 1 - 62.40
" " " " 322 Wilkins Township Board of Education 50% of Refund returned on satisfaction for unlicensed taxes 40.75 - 1939 - Forspend
" " " " 323 Duquesne Light Co for light No 1 Firehouse Dec 1939 1.57 } 4.60
" " " " " " " " No 3 Firehouse " " 3.03 }
" " " " 324 Turtle Banker Trust Comp Int on Note for Jan 34.45
" " " " 325 Penna State Ass Twp Commiss, dues for 1940 15.00
" " " " 326 J.R. Queen and Son, Disp of garbage Oct - Dec 31 - 20.00 - 1939 - Forspend
" " " " 327 - Rocher Bros for coal No 1 Fire House 10.50 No 3 - 10.65 - 21.15
" " " " 328 Union Filling Station Jan 1 - to 31 - Fire house No 1 - 3.51 - Gas. oil)
Fire Company No 2 Jan 1 - to 31 - 1940 - 2.80 Gas. oil) 3493
Township Highway truck, gas, oil, alcohol, v.t.c 28.62
" " " " 329 Thomas Yost, Labor on Roads Jan 18-19. 8.00
" " " " 330 - Michael Hubert Labor on Roads Jan 11-13-14-17-18 20.00

Total Expenditures for Jan 1940:-

Current bills for January 1940:- - $285.73
Unpaid bills from Dec - - 1939 - - - 84.07

Total Expenditures for Jan-40 $ 369.80

Expenditures paid out of following Appropriations:

Approp 11-J-1 Administration (Convention Exp) $ 15.00
" 12-B- Treasurer and Tax Collector (Refund) 40.75
" 13-A Township Buildings (coal light) 25.75
" 22-E-1 Fire Companies Gas. oil v.t.c. 8.83
" 41-A - Road Supervisor's Salary - 119.60
" 41-B Labor on Roads - - - 56.00
" 41-M-1 Highway (Gas, oil p.t.c. 49.42
43-B - Disposal of Garbage 20.00
97-A - Interest on Judgment Note 34.45 $ 369.80

Total Amount of Expend for Jan 40 $ 818.22

(G. Fund) Bal brought forward Dec 31-1939. $ 3.499.79
Warrents paid out in Jan 1940 818.22
Bal brought forward Jan 31-40 - $ 2.681.07
Warrents paid on Jan $ 108.57 / warrents not paid in Jan 761.78
TOTAL CASH in BANK JAN-31-1940 - - $ 7.947.35

Sinking Fund No 1:-

Balance on Jan 31-1940 - - $ 10.606.31

Emergency Sinking Fund No 1:-

Bal on Jan 31-1940 - $ 5.059.79

Machinery and Truck Fund:

Bal on Jan 31-1940 - - $ 745.03

President - Michael V. Blagovich

Secretary to the Board.

Wilkins Township, Pa, Jan 10-1940
N° 1 Fire House.

Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners held their special meeting on above date, and members were present as follows: Mr. Augustine, Mr. Ayers and Mr. Straley. Absent: chairman Mr. Niehl and Vice chairman Mr. Rose Sr. Since chairman Mr. Niehl was absent and also Mr Rose as Vice chairman, Mr. Augustine was appointed acting chairman of this meeting.

He called the meeting to order at 9.10 P.M. and announced purpose of the same, that is, that this meeting was purpose to be joint meeting of Board of Commissioners and officials and committee of Citizen's Booster Club, whereby some plans should be worked out concerning the purchase of new fire truck for N° 1 District, and that decision was made for joint meeting at last Booster's Club meeting held on Jan 9., last Tuesday.

He also outlined in details procedure that Board of new and old Commissioners took with the committee of the Booster's Club towards the purchasing of this fire truck, stating that old Board donated amount of $ 600.00, that old Board succeeded to get W. E. Mfg Co interested on this deal of purchasing this fire truck, and company donated $ 300.00, and that there isn't truth that Booster Club raised $ 1394.00, since they only raised $ 494.00, and that new Board of Commissioners are ready to cooperate with any constractive movement whereby all our citizens will be benefited by such move, but he was much in doubt that Booster's Club is willing to cooperate, since either officials or committee are not present here tonight.

2.) Mr. Straley spoke on this subject, and explained how Booster's Club committee were going to draw up agrament with the agent of the company for fire truck last Saturday, without any consent of Commissioners, despite the fact that Commissioners would have to furnish supplies, fuel, carry insurance, and also keep up with the monthly payments, if Club wouldn't be able to do so, and after the solicitor Mr. Schmidt told him about intention of committee, he told Mr. Schmidt not to draw up any agreements for any committees or Bodies, because he felt that Board of Commissioners were only legally authorized body to make any deals in

our Township, because they are elected by all citizens, and from all Clubs, and not only from Booster Club, he also stated very clear, that as Commissioner he never will vote in favor of any Club to purchase fire truck or anything else, but he will vote to buy this truck whenever Commissioners decide to buy one, that fire company would recommend

3.) Mr. Ayers spoke also on this subject, and he agreed 100% with Mr. Straley and Mr. Augustine, that Board of Commissioners should buy this fire truck and not any individual Clubs. Mr. Ayers also categorically criticized officials of Booster's Club for not being present at this meeting, upon which they insisted themselves last Tuesday night and their meeting.

Mr. Ayers also stated that he has his wife sick in hospital and he should be there, but since he thought, that this meeting was of great importance to our community, and he made his business to attend it, he feels, that officials of the Booster's Club should did the same, and there is no reason why they are not here.

4.) At this time Mr. Augustine called upon all citizens at this meeting individually to express their point of views as to price, quality, and proper body, who should purchase said fire truck, because Commissioners are ready to serve all citizens of our Township, and fulfill their wishes, and therefore I like to know sentiments of every one present.

Following citizens took part in this discussion:
Mr. Beveridge, Mr. Niehl, Mr. J. Watt, Mr. Thomas Kirkpatrick Pres of Fire Comp, Mr. Johnson, Mr. McCane, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Jack Niehl, Mr. Henry Straley, Mr. Kotsas Chief of Fire Comp, Mr. Beveridge and Mr. Blagovich.

After the lenghty discussion in which biggest majority of citizens present at this meeting took part, they favored fair price fire truck, best quality for the money that we can get, and that Board of Commissioners should be only authorized body to purchase this truck.

Since majority of citizens gave their sentiment that Board of Commissioners should be the party to purchase this Truck, it was moved by Mr. Straley, seconded by Mr. Ayers, that secretary writes a letter to secretary of Booster Club Mr. Sholder, and ask him to get officials of Booster Club, and have them meet Board of Commissioners

as soon as possible, and that Sunday would be only suitable day, since some members have to work during the week, and they can't very well attend these joint meetings. Booster Club officials can designate place and time where they wish to meet, and that they should notify secretary in returned letter about their decision as to place, and time that such joint meeting shall be held, where both parties will come to some understanding once for ever, so there will be no further delays in purchasing this fire truck which we badly need. All members present voting yes. (Motion carried).

There being no further business, Board adjourned 10.30 P.m

Signed

Attested:

M.V. Blagovich, Secy.

Wilkins Township, Pa
Feb 5-1940

Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners held their regular meeting on above date at No 1 Fire house, and members present as follows: Chairman Mr. Nicht, Vice chairman Mr. Rose Sr., Mr. Augustin, Mr. Straley and Mr Ayers.

1.). Chairman Mr. Nicht called the meeting to order at 8 P.M.

2.). Secretary read the minutes from regular meeting held Jan. 1st 1940, and special meeting held Jan 10. 1940, and following corrections to these minutes were made: As to regular meeting of the Board to reconsider bidds on Fire Insurance premium held Jan 6. which reads that Board held this meeting at solicitor's office, Mr. Schmidt advises the secretary that he makes correction, since Board can not hold legally their meeting any other place except place which was designated by resolution of Board, that is No 1 and No 2 Fire House, and that was enacted at committee meeting. As to special meeting held Jan 10, which reads: that Vice Chairman Mr. Rose being absent at this meeting, under the remarks Mr. Rose stated that he came to said meeting, and waited till 8.10 but no one else was there, and that he was told by Mr. J. Sholder that meeting was postponded till Jan 15, and than he went home, With the corrections minutes were approved as read.

3.). Report from Committees:

Mr J. Augustine as the chairman of Roads, made the report, stating: That several streets were icy and Road Supervisor is doing his best to have some ashes spread on those street, and out side of that that roads were in fair conditions. He also made the report on W.P.A Project by which Board intends to complete Mc Master Ave, and also improve several other streets in our Township, he said that project was well on the way, and we expecting word of Approval most any day by Government authorities.

4.). Mr. Charles Straley chairman of Police and Fire made his report, stating the progress, except that No 1 Fire Comp. had very poor equipment to fight the fires in Township, and he feels, that Board of Commissioners should take immediate action to furnish this fire Comp with new Fire Truck and other minor equipments

5.) Mr. Edw. Ayers, as chairman of Water and Light Committee made the report, stating: that we dont have lights in township and as far as water was concerned, he reported the progress, but he also made the complaint that was brought to his attention, that at the recent fire at Mr. A. Yost building firemen didn't have enough water pressure to fight the fire, and he felt that matter should be investigated.
Chairman Mr. Niehl answered the complaint of Mr. Ayers, stating, that fire company at Mr. Yost building had plenty of pressure, but at some other places in Township there is lack of water pressure according to latest check up figures that Mr. Niehl read to Board after he turned matter over to Mr. Ayers to be investigated.

5. Report of Finance Committee:-
Mr. Richard B. Rose, Chairman of this committee made the report on the claim of Mr. W. J. Wilson, whose claim was turned down by Board at two previous meetings.
Since Mr. Wilson was threatening the Board with law suit about damage for his injury, Mr. Rose formed the committee of three: himself, Mr. Augustine, and Mr. Straley and on Jan 21 they went to see Mr. Wilson at his home, and to get exact pictured of his injury. After the conversation with Mr. Wilson Mr. Rose felt that Board should pay something to Mr. Wilson for his claimed injury, and he made motion to that afact, which was seconded by Mr. Augustine, and which motion would cancel previous motion not recognizing any claim from Mr. Wilson.
Under the remarks of said motion Mr. Straley as one of the committeeman stated: That he can't understand why Mr. Rose at this time favors to pay some damage to Mr. Wilson, now, when all three of them agreed at the time that they went to see Mr. Wilson, that he didn't have no case, or ground upon which he can verify his claim, Mr. Straley also stated the advice of our solicitor Mr. Schmidt at previous meetings, who also stated that Mr. Wilson didn't have no case as far as any damage concerns, and therefore, he was against of paying any damage, to Mr. Wilson.
Under the remarks solicitor Mr. Schmidt again stated: that he fully agrees with Mr. Straley, that Mr. Wilson didn't have the case, but, if he intends to take this into Court, it will cost Board of Commissioners much greater amount of money then this claim, since it could be settled for very small

amount, regardless whether we win or lose in Court.
Mr. Schmidt also cited the case of East Caln Borough Council, were they refused to pay small damage, party concerned took the case to Court, case lasted 5 days, and their attorneys fee was $100.00 a day, or $500.00 during the trial without any other expenses.
Mr. Schmidt also stated: that he is being our solicitor for last 7 years, and that all of minor claims were settled out of courts, that they were all settled approximately with $100.-
After the lenghty discussion on this subject, Mr. Augustine withdrew seconding Mr. Rose's motion for reconsideration of Mr. Wilson's claim, but Mr. Rose demanded, that is motion stays in minutes.

6.) Treasurer's Report:
Secretary read the report from Mr. B. H. Godwin for month of Jan, which shows: that Mr. Godwin collected during the Jan taxes in amount of $619.09, less 5% commission $588.14
from R. Smith for permits 20.00 " 1% " 19.80
Total collected $639.09, less $31.15 commission, Total $ 608.94.
Since money was deposited in the bank on Feb 2. 1940, this amount will be included in Feb receipts.
After the secretary read Treasurers report, he told chairman Mr. Niehl, that he has comment to make in connection with Mr. Godwin's report.
Secretary stated: that is of vital importance that Treasurer Mr. Goodwin makes his report every end of the month, with itemized statement of all persons paid their taxes during that month, as well as amounts that they paid, and that such report he sends to secretary without any delays, so secretary can prepare his monthly report and present it to Board of Commissioners for their approval at regular meeting.
Secretary also stated, that he told Mr. Godwin verbally long before this meeting, why is of such importance to have his itemized monthly statements, and that Mr. Goodwin agreed to furnish those before this meeting, but he fail to fulfill his promise. Secretary asked Board of Commissioners to insist of getting these reports from Mr. Goodwin on time if they wish to have up to date financial standing of township at exact figures every end of each month, because State Code provides what each officer of the township suppose to do.

Chairman Mr. Nicht called upon secretary to read section in the Code dealing with Treasurer's duties. Secretary read the section 1716 of State Code, which is self explanatory as to controversy that risen between secretary and Treasurer in connection with monthly financial reports. After the reading of State Code, it was ruled: that Treasurer Mr. Goodwin should fully comply with the Code in the future, and make his monthly reports accordingly, to which Mr. Goodwin agreed.

7.) Board of Health report:

Secretary read the report from Mr. R. Smith secretary of Board, notifying Board of Commissioners, that at annual meeting of Board of Health following officers were elected for year 1940: Pres. John P. Vechter, Vice Pres. Alex Pieniadz, and secretary Robert Smith.

Also, secretary read the report for year 1939 of communicable diseases in our Township which were as follows: Pneumonia none.- Diphtheria 3.- Erysipelas 2.- Varicella-1- Scarlet fever 9- Chicken Pox 10.- Whooping Cough 8.- Measles None.- Mumps.- None. Eating and drinking places - 10 - Certificates filed 45.- Nuisances reported and abated - 49. Water tests 3.

3.) Monthly report for Jan 1940: Clingstone Ave very icey, Mortimore Ave dicks closed, other roads in Township in fair shape. Complaints as to the conditions of the homes of Harry Dieoskey and Mr. Snyder, Board in body inspected those homes, and desided that they needed cleaning, which both said they would do.

Reports sent to Harrisburg and Clairton weekly and monthly. Certificates filed 7 - Complaints 4 - Communicable diseases None.

Respectfully submited.
Robert Smith, Secretary.

8.) Report from Police officers:

Secretary read the report for Dec 1939, signed by J. P. Vechter and Joseph Urban, stating: that they made one arrest during that month, attented two Dances at South Slav Worker's Home and check up on permits, and insisted upon, to enforce the law in the Township.

Report for month of Jan 1940 was read signed by newly appointed officers: Chas Urick and Chas Silas, which reads: That they patrole the Highway every nite for 7

hours, answered 5 complaints but no arrest was made, and they attented 7 Dances at Workers Hall.

9.) Report from Fire Company chiefs:-

No 3. Fire Comp. there was no report.

No 1 Fire Company Mr. R. Koppens submited his report in which he complained about very poor equipment that they had fighting fire at Mr. A. Yoste's place, he asked the commissioners to give this matter very careful consideration and try to find way of buying new fire truck. He also presented bill in amount of $ 9.05 that he had to get some small equipment after that fire. Mr. Koppens also brought to Board's attention about the fire Alarm which is at present time located at Mr. Beveridge's place, who answers the telephone calls in the case of fire, but who do not wishes to handle that in the future. After some discussion Chairman Mr. Nicht offered this matter to be turned over to Mr. Straley Chairman of Fire and Police, who should get in touch with Mr. J. P. O'Brien and ask him if he would be willing to handle this fire Alarm, if he would, then Mr. Straley can make necessary changes.

In connection with recent fire at Mr. Yoste's place letter was read from Secty of Fire Comp. No 1 Mr. Emanuel who also complaints about poor equipment.

10.) Reading of accurrent bills:

Secretary read the monthly bills for Jan, and they were all approved and ordered paid except following: Penna Water Co, Roches Bros, Hosack-Specht, Coniff-Woods, Hartstein Hrdw, Goldhammer Hrdw, and Park Dilber, which should be rechecked before they could be O.K. by Finance Committee.

11. Reading of Communications:

Secretary read the following communications:

(1) Allegheny County Board of Commissioners in regards to County Aid in our Township. (2) Penna State Ass. of Twp. Commissioners in regards to dues for 1940 and convention coming May. (3) Commonwealth of Penna Internal Affairs Annual Report. (4) Commonwealth of Penna, Dept of Health, Report of Sewage System, and Broken sewer on

Mc Master Ave. (5.) Penna State Highway asking for statement on 1939 expenditures on Highway in old Township (6) American Surety Co. on Mr Schmidt Boyd. (7). Commonwealth of Penna. Dept of Labor and Industry in regards to Workmens Compensation Premiums for 1940. (8) Hosack, Specht, and Wood, State tax on Bonds.

Chairman Mr Niehl ordered all communication to be filed, and instructed the secretary to comply with some of the requests.

12.) Unfinished business from previous meeting:

Mr. Niehl this time announced that we will go into discussion about purchasing new fire truck, he called on all citizens to express their views about this truck since we need it very bad.

Mr. Kirkpatrick, Kerr and Morgan spoke as representives from Booster Club, bringing the message to Commissioners that at last Club's meeting it was recomended that Board of Commissioners should purchase the truck, but that the amount shouldn't exceed $4.000.00. Mr. Goodwin as chairman of Club spoke on same subject and he also feels that Board of commissioners financially are not in position to pay any larger amount for truck.

Mr. Joseph Hosbach also agreed that we can't afford to pay much more for fire truck, if we don't want to raise our millage, by which property owners would be well effected. He also stated that his taxes runs him about $600.00 a year now, and still he doesn't get any fire protection, but he is willing to pledge him self for some amount towards buying this truck, but he is not in favor of raising the millage.

Mr Marks spoke, and he said that he already pledge and paid $12.00, and he is willing to pledge himself for $17.00 providing that Commissioners buy good truck.

Chairman Mr. Niehl, and all other commissioners expressed their views in connection with purchasing this truck, and after lenghty discussion in which several citizens took part, it was moved by Mr. Straley seconded by Mr. Rose that Board of Commissioners readvertise for fire truck, and that committee from

Fire Company and Booster Club get together with commissioners on day that bids will be open, and decide what truck and what price they going to consider.
(All members voting yes. (Motion carried)

13.) New business:

(1). Under new business it was moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Straley that we rescind the motion of recessed meeting held Jan 4 - which stated that Board of Commissioners will turn title of old truck over to Booster Club.
All members voting yes (motion carried)

(2) Moved by Augustine, seconded by Rose that we pay $15.00 to Hosack, Specht, Conniff and Wood for professional service in connection with the State tax on bonds. Roll call on motion. Aug-yes, Rose yes, Straley-yes, and Ayers yes. All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)

(3). Moved by Augustine, seconded by Rose that we pay State tax on Bonds, amount of $146.30. Roll call on motion. Aug yes, Rose yes, Straley yes and Ayers yes. All members voting yes (Motion carried)

(4) Moved by Rose, seconded by Augustine, that we ratify action of Finance Committee, by which they bought insurance on Fire and Road truck from Mrs C A Roberts for amount of $44.00
All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)
There being no further business Board adjourned 11.15 P.M.

Financial Report ending Feb 29th 1940:

General Fund:

Bal brought forw from Jan 31 - $2.681.07

Received from B H Goodwin:

1939 Tax
Feb-7 - - - $40.08
Feb-29 - - - 57.79 $ 497.87

Total in Gen Fund $3.178.94

Warrents paid out during Feb - - $911.89
" " Prior to " 163.83 1.075.72
Balance forwarded Feb 29 $ 2.103.22

Bank Statement on Feb 29 - 1940. $ 7.364.50

Sinking Fund No 1:

Balance brought forward Jan 31-40. $10.606.31
During the February received - none - - - -
Balance Feb 29-1940 - - - - $10.606.31

Emergency Sinking Fund No 1:-

Baland brought forward Jan 31-1940 - $ 5.059.29

Received from B. H. Goodwin:-

1931	Liened taxes in Feb - - - - - - - -	$ 39.57	
1932	" " " " - - - - - - - -	119.74	
1933	" " " " - - - - - - - -	145.31	
1934	" " " " - - - - - - - -	100.36	
1935	" " " " - - - - - - - -	3.97	
1936	" " " " - - - - - - - -	22.79	
1937	" " " " - - - - - - - -	16.34	
1938	" " " " - - - - - - - -	49.37	$ 497.40

No disbursements in Feb, Left same Bal.
Balance brought forward Feb 29-1940 - $5.556.69

Total in Both Funds $16163.00

Machinery and Truck Fund:-

Balance brought forward Jan 31-1940 - - $ 745.03
Received from B. H. Goodwin:
Robert Smith Ord officer (Permits $ 20.00
John S. O'Brien former Secy " 26.50 46.50
No disbursements in Feb -
Balance brought forward Feb 29-1940 - - - $ 791.53

Total cash in bank of all Funds Feb 29-1940:

General Fund - - - - - - - -	$ 2.103.22
Sinking " No 1 - -	10.606.31
Emergency Sink. Fund # 1 - -	5.556.69
Machinery and Truck Fund	791.53
TOTAL Feb 29-1940 -	$ 19057.75

Disbursements for Month of Feb - 1940:

Warrant No	Date Issued		Total
331	Feb 6-40	Wilkins Twp Volunteer Fire Comp No 1 - Equipment	2.05
332	" 6-40	Turtle Creek Auto Parts " " " "	21.58
333	" 6-40	C. A. Roberts, Premium on Fire Ins, on Fire and Twp trucks	447.00
334	" 6-40	Commonwealth, Premium on Compensation Insurance	196.17
335	" 6-40	H. A. Shope, Engineering service for Jan 1940 -	87.75
336	" 8-40	James J. Watt Jr. Work on Twp Roads - Feb 1-2-3-24 hrs -	12.00
337	" 16-40	National Surety Corp. Premium on policitors Bond to Jan 1-1941 -	9.50
338	" 16-40	Peoples Nat Gas Co Gas for No 1 F. House $2.00, No 3 $3.56 - Nov Dec 1939 -	5.56
339	" 16-40	Penna Water Comp. Water for No 1 Fire House, Ending Feb 1-1940 -	4.08
340	" 16-40	B. H. Goodwin, Commission on coll tax, and other sources Jan 1940 -	31.15
341	" 16-40	Julius Straley, Road Supervisors Salary Jan 31 to Feb 16 - 1940 -	67.60
342	" 16-40	Star Printing Comp. 1500 - 2¢ envelopes. 50% billed to School -	18.95
343	" 16-40	Frank Leroy Hall, Work on Twp. roads Feb 12-13-14-15 40-28 hrs -	14.00

Total expenditures for Feb - 1940 - - $ 911.89

Expenditures Paid out of following Appr:

Appn	11-3-2	Administration. Premium on Compens. Ins.	$ 196.17
"	11-3-4	" " " Solicitors Bond	9.50
"	12-A	Treasurer, Tax Coll - Commis. on collect of taxes Jan -	31.15
"	12-B	" Treasurer's Printing (1500 envelopes	18.95
"	13-D	Twp Buildings: - Light and water	9.64
"	22-F-5	Fire Department: Minor equipment	23.63
"	22-F	" " : Premium on Fire Trucks Ins	447.00
"	41-A	Highways: Engineer and Supervisor's salary	154.85
"	41-B	" " Labor on Twp Roads	76.00
		Total out of all appropriations for Feb 1940 -	$ 911.89

Attested:- Michael V. Blagovich
Secretary.

President.

Wilkins Township Penna Feb 19-1940

Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners held their special meeting on above date at No 1 Fire House, members were present as follows: Chairman Mr. Riehl, Vice chairman Mr Rose, Mr. Straley and Mr. Ayers. absent Mr. Jos F. Augustine due to a sickness.

Mr. Riehl called the meeting to order at 8.30 P.M. and he announced that purpose of this Special meeting was: To open bids for new fire truck as it was advertised, and after the Board studies proposals from all bidders as to price, make, and necessary equipment, Commissioners will go into purchasing the truck without any further delays.

Moved by Mr. Rose seconded by Mr. Straley that bids be open and read. (All members voting yes. (Motion carried.) Secretary first read the adds of the bids in local paper, after which time he opened and read following bids:

1.) Stumble and Riley, Turtle Creek, Penna, which reads as follows: New 1940 Ford V-8, 158" Wheel Base and Cowl with 95 H.P. Engine, Helper Springs, 32x6-8 Ply Tires with Dual Rear Wheels for the sum of $766.00
We propose to furnish the above chassis and cowl with the same equipment as above, except it is to have 32x6.10 ply tires with dual rear wheels, for the sum of $847.00

2.) Beadling Motor Comp. Turtle Creek, Pa.
Proposal No 1:
One V-H-37 Dodge Chassis 160" Wheelbase $ 957.00
Amer. La France 500 Gallon pumping equipt $ 2.750.00
Total $ 3.707.00
Allowance 1927 Graham Fire Truck --- 100.00
Net cost $ 3.607.00

Proposal No 2:
One V-H-47 Dodge Chassis 160" Wheelbase $ 1.300.00
Amer. La France 500 Gallon pumping equipt 2.750.00
Total $ 4.050.00
Allowance 1927 Graham Firetruck 200.00
Net cost $ 3.800.00

Proposal No 3:
One V-H-47 Dodge Chassis 170" Wheelbase $ 2.378.00
Amer. La France 500 Gallon pumping equipt 2.750.00
Total $ 5.078.00
Allowance 1927 Graham Fire Truck, 300.00
Net cost $ 4.778.00

3.) Ward La France Truck Corp. Mr. J. R. Phillips, Clairton, Pa.
One standard 500 Gallon equipment -- $ 6.400.00
Commercial Chassis with 500 Gal pumping equipment, price only on equipment $ 3.150.00
Allowance on old pumper -- $ 150.00

4.) American La France Corp. Mr. John J. Fielding, Pgh, Pa.
Proposal No 1:
One Amer. La France "Type 500" - 500 gallon triple combination, Pump, Booster Tank, and Hose Fire apparatus and extras as called for in your specifications for the sum of -- $ 6.300.00
Proposal No 2:
One Amer. La France 500 Gallon Triple Combination Pumping Equipment mounted on Ford Chassis, complete with 95 horse power Mercury motor and extras as called for, in specifications for sum $ 3.775.00
If enclosed cooling system is desired on the Ford 500 Gal equipment add to this proposal 100.00
Total $ 3.875.00
Allowance on 1927 Graham Firetruck 100.00
Net cost $ 3.775.00

5.) King and Kirsch Motor Comp. Braddock, Pa.
Proposal No 1:
1. One Model D-35-161 Wheelbase Chassis for Fire Truck 7.50-20 Front and dual rear tires.
Model F.A.B. V59 Fire Truck engine, clutch, and five speed transmissions, Emergency brakes on rear wheels
Deluxe oil filter -- -- $ 1.390.00
This same unit can also be obtained with a two speed axles for extra -- -- 117.00
1. Deluxe equipment as specified $ 3.175.00
Total $ 4.565.00
If streamlined body, with suction and ladders enclosed is desired, add -- -- -- $ 210.00

From the above figures we will allow for your old Dodge
pumper - - - - - $ 300.00

6.) Howe Apparatus Fire Comp. R.M. Walton, Pgh. Pa.
1 Howe-Ford with standard equipment $ 3.400.00
2. Howe-Chevrolet " 650 tons dualgears 1½ ton 3.400.00
3- Howe-Dodge " 650 " 1½ ton Hy duty Dodge 3.425.00
4. Howe-Internat " 700 " - - - 3.775.00
Allowance on 1927 Dodge pumper - $ 300.00

5. One Howe-Defender Triple combination and de luxe
equipment - - - - $ 5.425.00
6. One Howe-Defender with same equipt
except 400 G.P.M. Centrifugal pump - 4.925.00
If streamlined job with ladders and suction
enclosed, than add to above $ 250.00
From any of the above prices we will allow for your
old pumper Dodge - $ 425.00

After the secretary read all bids submited, chairman
Mr. Niehl informed all bidders, that Board of Commissi
oners will have to study all these proposal and prices "
before they can do any purchasing, probable about two
weeks, and therefore Board will purchase one of these
trucks at next regular meeting on Mar 4. 8. P.M.
Mr. Niehl also asked bidders if any of them had recently
sold latest fire truck to any of our nabbring municipali-
ties, and if they have, Board of Commissioners are
willing to make a trip to see some of them. Mr John
J. Fielding and Mr. J. R. Phillips said that they have,
and that they would be glad to take the Board to see
these trucks at any time.)
Moved by Mr. Straley seconded by Mr. Ayers, that
Board of Commissioners get together one day next week
to study all bidders proposal, and that Board puchases
fire truck at next regular meeting. All members voting
yes. (Motion carried.)
This time chairman Mr. Niehl called upon Mr. John
Sholder secretary of the Booster Club, and he asked him
if Booster Club was ready to turn the money over to
Commissioners for purchase of this truck.? Mr. Sholder

answered, that he thinks that they are, but he will know
more defenite tomorrow night, because Booster Club
will ~~its~~ has meeting, and he promised that he is going to
inform Commissioners right after the meeting as to
decision of turning the money over to them.
There being no further business, it was moved by
Mr. Rose, seconded by Mr. Straley that Board should
adjourned. All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)
Board adjourned 9.30. P.M.

Attested: Signed:

M.V. Blagovich
Secretary.

Wilkins Township Pa.
March 4-1940.

Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners held their regular meeting on above date at No 1 Fire House, and following members were present: Chairman Mr. Nicht, Vice chairman Mr. Rose Sr. members: Mr. Augustine, Mr. Ayers, and Mr. Straley.

1.) Chairman Mr. Nicht called the meeting to order at 8 P.M.

2.) Secretary read the minutes from regular meeting held Feb 5, and Special meeting held Feb 19th, and were both seperately approved as read.

3.) Reading of bills.

Secretary read the following bills, that accumilated during the month of Feb, also some prior to Feb;

Union Filling Station. Gas for Twp truck and Fire Companies for Feb $19.75 - James W. Watt Jr. work on roads $17.00 - Frank F. Wall, work on roads $14.00 - Wilkins Straley Road Supervisors salary for Feb $130.00 - James B. Koah, work on roads $13.75 - Howard Soles, work on roads $13.75 - Ralph Viggiano work on roads $13.75 - Robert Leddell, work on roads $4.00 - Joe Shaffer, work on rodds; $4.00 - Frank Wall, work on roads $4.00 - Lester Shaffer, work on roads $4.00 - Peoples Natkas Comp. gas for Fire Comp $5.56 - Penna Water Comp for No 1 Fire Comp. $4.08 - Turtle Creek, Bank and Trust Comp. Rental for Safe Deposit Box $11.00 - Turtle Creek, Bank and Trust, interest on Judg. Note $37.77 - Commonwealth of Penna Dept of Revenue State tax on bonds $146.30 - J.R. Queen & Son disposal of garbage $41.00 - Roches Bros for coal No 1 Fire house $10.50 - Star Printing Co. for printing Delig tax notices $5.68 Musick Printing Co, printing 500 letter heads, and 500 large size envelopes $9.00 - H.A. Shope Engineer for Feb $48.75 - Clark Diller Publisher advertizing for bids on fire truck $13.00 - Penna Water Co, for water flushing the sewer on Cline Street $3.00 Duquesne Light Comp. light No 1-No 3 Fire house $4.65 Goldhammer Hdware $10.93 - Hartstein Hdware $9.93 Hosack, Specht, and Woods, for Profesional Service $75.00 R.C. Bayne former Engineer $303.00 - Penna Water Co for last quarter of 1939, $954.96.

After the reading of all bills, it was moved by Mr. Straley, seconded by Augustine, that all bills be paid whenever properly O.K by committees, and when funds are available, except following: Hartstein Hdware Co. to be turned over to proper committee to be rechecked. Goldhammer Hdware same way. J.R. Queen should submit his bill to cover Supervisors requisition. Roches Bros to submit his original weight slip from Dec 19-1939, also to submit statement for month of Feb 1940. Bill from Hosack and Woods to be discussed at Board's next special meeting. R.C. Bayne's bill to be tabled until he complies with the ruling that Board made at this meeting, which is entered further in these minutes. Penna Water Comp. bill for 954.69 to be decided at later meeting. All members voting yes (Motion carried)

3.) Reading of Communication:-

Secretary read the following communications:-

W.P.A. Project - State Asso of Twp Commissioners in connection with secretary and Treasurer Report. Reply to Hosack and Woods, in connection with State tax Report. Answer from State Dept of Revenue, in connection with State tax on our bonds. Penna State Highways Applications for new owners licenes of trucks. H.A. Shope Engineer for copy of ordinances concerning the improvement on Mc Master, Dorothy, Peters and John Streets. Letter from Mr. Robert Smith concerning the salaries of Board of Health officers, and also Ordinance officer. Letter from Pa. S. Dept of Commerce, Bureau of Census, also Request for Report of total pay roll of Township employees. After secretary read the all communications, President ordered them to be filed, and secretary's action approved, as much as he already answered to some of the requests.

4.) Report from Committees:-

Mr. Augustine chairman of Roads. Progressing on W.P.A. Project.

Mr. Straley, chairman of Police and Fire. Reported that Fire Company No 1 is in very bad need of new Fire Truck, also 700 feet of hose, Y nozzle, and Fire Company No 3. needs 700 feet of hose, and some Boots and coats for both Fire Companies, otherwise he reports Progress.

Mr. Ayers. chairman of Water and Light. Progress.

Mr. Rose Finance and Claims. Progress.

5.) Report from Twp. Treasurer B.H. Godwin:-

Secretary read the Treasurer's Report which shows; that

during the month of Feb he collected taxes as follows:-
In General Fund $ 257.79 - In Sinking Fund No 1 Loan $ 118.39 -
In Truck Fund $ 16.50 Total collected $ 407.68 less $ 19 commission,
money deposited in Bank Feb 29. $ 407.68. - - - $ 407.68

6.) Report from Board of Health. (None)
7.) " " Police Officers . (None)
" " Fire chiefs. - (None.)
8.) New business:-
Since Mr. H. A. Shope Twp. engineer was present at this meeting, Mr. Straley ask Mr. Shope to explain about the contract that we have with him for his service as engineer, Mr. Straley stated, that we already paid him some amount of money for work done on streets that are included in W.P.A. Project, for which we just received letter of approval by Government authority, and since his contract calls for two ways of paying you for your service, we like to know how we are obliged to pay? By 4% on total amount of project or pay you whenever we need you to do the work.
Mr. Shope answered to Mr. Straley: That Commissioners are obligated to pay him only for work that he actualy does in Township, and when he is called out on job, but that should be clearly understood that he is not insisting on any commission from W. P. A. Project whatsever, and Mr. Shopes answer was well understood by all commissioners.
Secretary asked Mr. Shope, about bill that he present for month of Feb, in which he charges 4 days draftsman $8.00, and in Jan. his bill called for 19 hrs for draftsmen or $ 38.00.
Secretary thought there may be some mistake made and work was charged twice to us. Mr. Shope answered, that there was no mistake, and bill presented for Feb for draftsman it was suppliment to work done in Jan.
Mr. Albert Rosebach asked Mr. Riehl if he would be permitted to ask Mr. Shope question in regards to boundary line between Wilkins and Penn Township, and what progress has being made to establish that line. Mr. Shope answered that he doesn't know anything about boundary line, because work was done by former engineer Bayne, and that he never turned anything to him as far as boundary line concerns. Whether Mr. Bayne finished it or not, I dont know. Mr. Riehl asked Mr. Shope what should be done to get that line established, since our Township

that

is losing $ 1.500.00 in taxes annually, which are gone to Penn Township. Mr. Shope answered: That only thing that could be done, if Mr. Bayne has the line established, and if he has tracings and blue prints, it would be necessary for Commissioners to demand those from him, than it would'nt be much of job to establish the line, but if he has no those tracings and prints, than has to be surveyed over, and of course that would turn into money.
Upon recomendation of Mr. Shope it was moved by Mr. Straley, seconded by Mr. Augustine, that Board of Commissioners demand at once from Mr. Bayne former engineer all prints and tracings, since it is considered Township property because we paid plan for it, and that secretary write him a letter to that affect. All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)

In connection with the above ruling it was also moved by Mr. Rose, secended by Mr. Augustine that no further payments be made, or warrents issued to Mr. Bayne on his claim for his services in Township, untill he turns all prints and Tracings to our new engineer Mr. Shope, and that secretary should notify him at once about decision made at this meeting. All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)

Chairman Mr. Riehl informed the Board, that several property owners and citizens brought to his attention about necessary Water hydrant for fire protection to be relocated on Orchard Str, and that Wish Board of Commissioners would have one put in, so it would cut down on their Fire Ins. premiums. Mr. Shope informed the Board, that he already did relocate desired Water plug, and also one on Cline Str, and if Commissioners write to Water Comp, chances are that they would put them in rightway.
Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Rose, that secretary writes letter to Water Company, and have them relocate these two water hydrants. All members voting yes (Motion carried)
9.) Citizen Complaints and Suggestions:-
Mr. Leppert from Brown Ave Holford made the complain about old road which is in very bad condition, and he

wishes to know, what Board of Commissioners intend to do about improving the conditions of the same. Chairman Mr. Niehl informed Mr. Leppert, that that road still belongs to the County since it is County highway, and Township never took it over, therefore, there is nothing that Commissioners can do to remedy bad existing conditions on said road at present time.
Mr. Louis Maggioro made the suggestion, that Board of Commissioners should hold one special meeting every month only to hear complaints from citizens, because at regular meeting there is always lot of bills, communications to read and discuss and takes great deal of time, so citizens don't get no chance to place their complaints and suggestion to Board of Commissioners.
Chairman Mr. Niehl promised Mr. Maggeiro that Board of Commissioners will take his suggestion into consideration, and will try to arrange to have such special meeting for any matter outside the regular routine of business.
At this time Chairman Mr. Niehl announced, that we are going into discussion about purchasing new Fire truck for No 1 Fire Company, which is very badly needed. He ask several citizens to express their opinion as to make and price of this trucks.
First he called upon Mr. Edw Kerr, chairman of the Booster Club Committee to give Commissioners some idea as to price and make of the truck that Booster committee decided.
Mr. Kerr in behalf of Booster Club committee spoke, and he informed chairman Mr. Niehl, that committee met, and decided on only one job, that is standard Howe-Fire truck for price of $ 4.900.00 because they felt that citizens will not be satisfied with commercial chassis, and standard equipment especially I for one, will not be in favor of Ford chassis and standard equipment.
Upon Mr. Kerr's recomendation, chairman Mr. Niehl answered that Boosters Club committee with such recomendation don't show any cooperation, because Board of Commissioners don't intend to go any higher than $ 4.000.00, because they can't afford it, since we have W.P.A Project approved, where will require $ 15.547.00 to improve streets in our Township.
Mr. Straley spoke on this subject, and he fully agreed with chairman Mr. Niehl, that Commissioners can not go above $ 4.000.00, because besides necessary amount of money to use on W.P.A, Mr. Straley also mentioned that both Fire

Companies needed at least 400 feet of house, some Boots, coats, hats, and other equipment, which will run into money, and for this reason he is in favor of Ford chassis and La France equipment, which will not run over $ 3.700.00
Mr. Ayers also spoke, and agreed with Mr. Straley, also he stated that he couldn't see why Booster's Club committee is opposed to Ford chassis because he said that he has had Ford Truck for years, and that he always gets good service out of it, besides a good service, if any time anything goes wrong, you can easy get the parts for it and replace them without much expenses to the Township.
Mr. D. J. Aiello member of Booster Club Committee spoke on same subject, and he expressed himself in favor of Dodge chassis and standard equipment, or Howe-standard etc.
After lengthy discussion in which several citizens took part, as well as Commissioners, it was moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Ayers, that Board of Commissioners should purchase this Fire Truck, and that same should be as follows: One V-H-47 Dodge chassis 160" wheelbase $ 1.300.00 Amer. La France standard equipt with 500 gallons Pump. at the cost of $ 2.750.00
Total cost for complete job - - - - $ 4.050.00
Less allowance for old Graham Truck 200.00
3.850.00
less allowance Fed. Forem & Tax
Net cost to Twp $
Roll call on this motion: Augustine-yes, Straley-yes-Rose-yes, Ayers yes.-and Niehl, yes (Motion carried.)
After this motion was carried, Mr. Niehl asked Mr. Edw Kerr to insist of having that money turned over to Commissioners from Booster Club, so the Board can proceed with purchasing this truck without any further delays. Mr. Niehl also instructed Secretary to get in touch with Mr. Fielding in Ogh, and to have him present his contract to Mr. Schmidt, solicitor for approval on Mar 8th at solicitor's office in Battle Creek.
There being no further business Board adjourned 12.15 a.m

Financial Report for month of March - 1940:

General Fund:-

Balance brought forward Feb 29. 1940 - - - $2.119.55

Received from B.H. Godwin during March:

1939 taxes: - - - - - - - - $ 382.97

Other sources: Penna. Liquor License fee 300.00

Total received in March $ 682.97

Balance brought forward March 31-1940: - - $ 2.802.52

Warrants paid out by preceeded motion as follows:

Warrant No		
Mar 4 - 344.	Lester Shaffer washing out clugged sewer on Cline St. Feb 22	$ 4.00
" " - 345	Frank Wall " " " " " " " "	4.00
Mar 4 - 346	Joe Shaffer " " " " " " " "	4.00
" " - 347	Robert R. Liddell " " " " " " " "	4.00
" " 348	Julius Straley, Supervisor salary Feb 15 to Mar 1st - 1940 -	62.40
" " 349	Ralph Viggiano, work on Roads: Feb 26-27-28-29-Mar 1-2 - "	23.25
" " 350	Howard Solls " " " " 26-27-28-29-Mar 1-2-1940 -	23.25
" " 351	James B. Koah " " " " 26-27-28-29. " 1-2. "	23.25
" " 352	Union Filling Station, Gas for Twp. truck $16.38 - No 1 Fire Co. $3.36 [illegible]	29.25
" " 353.	Turtle Creek Auto Parts, billed to School Board (to be reimbursed)	.59
" " 354	T. Creek Bank Trust, Rental for Safe Dep Box to Feb-15-1941 -	11.00
" " 355	" " " Interest on Judg. Note for Feb-1940 -	32.22
" " 356	Duquesne Light Co. Light for Fire #1 - 3.22 - No 3 - $1.43 - Total for Feb -	4.65
" " 357	Murdock Printing: 500 letter heads, 500 large envelopes -	9.00
Mar 8 - 358	Michael Niehl Commissioner's salary 1st quarter of 1940	25.00
" " 359.	Richard B. Rose Sr. " " " " " "	25.00
" " 360	Joseph E. Augustine " " " " " "	25.00
361	A. Park Dibler, Advert. for Bids on Fire Truck Nov. Dec. - Feb 1940 -	13.00
" " 362	Comm. of Penna. Dept. of Revenue, State tax on Bonds for 1939 -	146.30
363	B. H. Goodwin, Commission on collected taxes - other sour. Feb	19.08
" " 364	Star Printing Co. Printing 1800 Delinq. tax Statements, less 50% To Sch.	5.68
" " 365	H. A. Shope. Engineering services for Feb 1940 -	48.75
" " 366	Penna. Water Comp. for use of water flushing sewer Kline Street	3.00
" " 367	R. E. Chattos, salary Health officer, 1st quarter 1940 -	25.00
" " 368	Robert Smith, Ordinance off. 11.25 - Sec'y Board of Health 1 quarter 1940	30.00
" " 369	Theodore H. Schmidt, Solicitor's salary. 1st quarter 1940	25.00
" " 370.	Charles Straley Commissioner's salary 1st quarter of 1940	25.00
371	Edw. Ayers " " " "	25.00
372	Michael V. Blagovich Secr'y salary " " "	93.75
		$869.42

Warrant No	Date		
		carried from page # 432 - - -	$ 869.42
373	3-16	Julius Straley, Road Super. wages 3-1st - 3-16 - 96 hrs -	62.40
374	3-16	Charles Urick, Police officer's salary 15.00 - 4 Dances $5.00 -	20.00
375	3-16	Charles Giles " " " 15.00 - 4 " 5.00 -	20.00

Total expenditures for month of March 1940 - and including ~~March 31 1940~~ - - - - $ 971.82

Total receipts $ 2.802.52

Total expenditures $ 971.82

Balance brought forward in General Fund Mar 31 - 1940 - - - - - - - - - $ 1.830.70

Sinking Fund No 1:-

Balance brought forward ~~Feb 29 1940~~ - - $ 10.606.31

~~[illegible]~~ disbursements in 1st quarter, Coupons 435.68

Balance brought forward Mar 31 - 1940 - - $ 10.170.68

Emergency Sinking Fund No 1:-

Balance brought forward ~~Feb 29~~ 1940 - - $ 5.556.69

Received from B. H. Godwin taxes:-

~~Jan 1940~~ - - - - - - - - - -

~~Feb - 1940 Liened taxes from 1930, to 1939 inclusive~~

Mar - 1940 " " " " " " " $ 186.79

(No disbursements in 1st quarter) Balance brought forw. Mar 31 - $ 5.743.48

Machinery and Truck Fund:-

Balance brought forward ~~Feb 29~~ 1940 - - $ 791.53

Received from B. H. Goodwin:-

~~Jan 1940~~ - - - - - - - - - - -

~~Feb 1940 - Robert Smith, Ordinance officer Permit~~ - - - - -

~~" " John J. O'Brien, former Sec'y " Permit~~ - - - - -

March 1940 - Michael V. Blagovich, Sec'y Dance " 25.00

No disbursments in Mar -

Balance brought forward Mar 31-1940 - - $ 816.53.

Attested.- Michael V. Blagovich
Secretary.

President.

Financial Report for 1st quarter of 1940, ending Mar 31-1940

Receipts and Disbursements as follows:-

Receipts: (General Fund)

Balance brought forward Dec 31-1939 - - - - - $7.903.37

Received from B.H. Goodwin taxes:

Jan-1940	- - - - - -	none:	
Feb 7-1940	" " " " "	1939 taxes	$ 240.08
" 29- "	" " " " "	" "	457.79
Mar 30-40	" " " " "	" " "	387.97
" " "	" " " "	Penna Liquor Lic	300.00 — 1.180.84

Total receipts with balance from 1939 - - - $ 4.084.71

Disbursements by Appropriations:-

After No.			
1.)-11-	A-1-	Administration. Salary of Commissioners	$ 125.00
	11-A-3	" " " Secretary	93.75
	11-E-1	" " " Solicitor	125.00
	11-A-1	" Printing and Advertising	22.00
	11-J-1	" State Twp pas. dues for 1940	15.00
	11-J-2	" Compensation and liability Insurance 1940	196.17
	11-J-4	" Premium on Solicitors Bond to Jan 1942	9.50
	11-J-5	" Rental of Safe Deposit Box to Jan 1941	11.00 — $ 597.42
2.)-12-		Treasurer:-	
	12-A-	" Commission on collected taxes	50.73
	12-B-	" Printing - - -	24.63
	12-C-	" Refund to School Board 10% Rebate Tax	40.75 — 115.61
3.)-13-		Twp Buildings:-	
	13-A-	" " Fuel, light, and water	40.04 — 40.04
4.)-21-		Police Dept:-	
	21-A-3	" " Salary of Police officers - - -	40.00
5.)-22-		Fire Dept:-	
	22-E-2	" " Gas and oil for Fire Trucks	11.70
	22-E-	" " Minor equipment	24.22
	22-J-	" " Premium on Fire Ins. of Fire truck	388.84 — 424.76
6.)-23-		Building and Zoning:-	
	23-A	" Salary of Bldg Inspector -	$ 11.25
7.)-31-		Health and Sanitation:-	
	31-A-	" " Salary of Secretary and Health officer.	43.75

After No.			
8.)-41-		Highways:-	
	41-A-	" Road Supervisors wages -	$ 317.00
	" "	" Engineers services	136.00
	41-B-	" Labor wages on Roads	167.75
	41-M-2	" Gas. oil and water	78.80
	41-N-	" Premium on Truck Ins	53.16
	43	" Disposal of Garbage	70.00 — $ 767.71
9.)-91-		Debt Service:-	
	91-	" Interest on Short term loan. Jan-Feb-	$ 66.67
10.)-511-B		State tax:-	
		" " On $38.500- taxable Bonds for 1939 -	$ 146.30

Total expenditures including Mar 31-1940 - $ 2.753.51

Total receipts with balance Mar 31 - $ 4.084.71

Total Disbursements including Mar 31 - $ 2.753.51

Balance brought forward in Gen Fund Mar 31-1940 - $ 1.830.70

1.) Sinking Fund No 1-

Balance brought forward Dec 31-1939 - $10.606.31

(No receipts) disbursements in 1st quarter for Bonds Paid - 435.63

on 1928 Bond Issue Balance brought forward Mar 31 - $ 10.170.68

2.) Emergency Sinking Fund No 1

Balance brought forward Dec 31-1939: - $5.059.79

Received from B.H. Goodwin taxes:-

Jan-1940.	- - - - - - - -	none.	
Feb-29-	"	Rent taxes from 1928 to 1939 inclusive	$ 497.40
Mar-30-1940	" " " " "	"	186.79 — 684.19

Total receipts with Balance from Dec 31-Mar 31 - $ 5.743.48

(No disbursements in 1st quarter of 1940. left same Balance).

3.) Machinery and Truck Fund:-

Balance brought forward Dec 31-1939 - $ 745.03

Received from B.H. Goodwin:-

Jan-1940. - - - - - - - none.

Trucking Fund Bal brought forward. $ 745.03.

Feb 7-1940: Robert Smith, Ordinance of Permits $ 10.00
" 19 " John J. O'Brien, former Secty - Permits 16.50
Mar 30-1940 Mr. V. Blagovich, Secretary - Permits. 45.00 71.50
" " - "

Total receipts with Balance from 1939. -- $ 816.53
(No disbursements in 1st quarter) Bal brought forward Mar 31-1940- $ 816.53

Cash balance in Bank available from all Funds March 31-1940 - - - - - $18.561.39

Township Liabilities Mar 31-1940:-

Bonded Indebtedness:

1917-Issue, Balance due Mar 31-with Inter. $ 10.000.00
1918 " " " " " 10.500.00
1938 " " " " " 11.000.00
Total Bonded Indebtedness $ 57.500.00

1938-Short term loan Turtle Creek Bank, Trust $ 10.000.00
Interest for March on same 34.45 - 10.034.45
Disputed Interest on Deliquent
Water Bill to Penna Water Comp. $ 17.00.00
4/14-1939. " " " " " " 954.69 - 3.654.69

Unpaid wages and Proffesional Service:-
Julius Straley Road Supervisor 1/2 March - 57.10
Labor on Twp Roads 1/2 of March - - 8.00
H. A. Shore, Engineer for March - - - 155.50
R. C. Bayne, former Engineer 1938-1939 $ - 303.00
Arnold, Specht, Woods, Prof service 1939 - - 75.00 598.70

Other Unpaid bills:-
J. R. Queen and Son, Disposal of Garbage 12-31/4-1939 $ 41.00
Union Filling Station. Gas and oil. March - 18.00
Hartstien Hdware Comp. 1938- - - 9.31
Goldhamer Hdware " 1939 - - 10.93
Peoples Nat. Gas Comp. Gas for Fire Houses Mar. 4.54
Penna Water Co. Water for No 3 " " 3.84
Roches Bros Coal for Fire Houses-1939-1940 - - 38.55
Duquesne Light Co lights No 1-2 Fire House, Mar. 5.95
McClintock-Welch Lumber for material Mar. 41.74
Dr. Wm. Faulkner, bill for 1938 July - 18.25 $ 10.711
Total Township Liabilities Mar 31-1940 - - $71.994.95

Township Resources:-

1.) Cash in Bank from all Funds available $ - - - - $ 18.561.39
2.) Real Estate:
No 1 Fire House, Building, equipt and Tools $ 4.000.00
No 3. " " " " " " 3.500.00
3.) Other Real Estate in Twp. - - - - 600.00
4.) Road equipment and Tools -- $ 600.00 $ 8.700.00
Office fixtures and Supplies - - - - - - $ 300.00
5.) Delinquent outstanding taxes-1910-1939, inclusive - $ 57.164.14
6.) Due from Penna Water Company reimbursements of water taps from lines laid in 1918 according to agreement approved by Public Service Comm. $
(not determined yet.)
Total Township Assets March 31-1940 - $ 84.725.63

Total Township Liabilities March 31-1940 - $ 71.994.95

Township's Assets over balances Township Liabilities - - $ 12.730.68

Respectfully submitted to Board of Commissioners, and taxpayers of Wilkins Township, this 1st day of April - 1940.

Michael V. Blagovich
Township Secretary.

Wilkins Township, Pa
May 7 S 1940

Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners held their Special meeting on above date, by order of chairman Mr Niehl at No 1 Fire House Bldg.

Members were present as follows: Chairman Mr Niehl, Vice chairman Mr. Rose, members: Mr. Straley, Mr. Augustine, and Mr. Ayers.

Chairman Mr Niehl called the meeting to order at 8:15 P.M., and he announced, that purpose of this meeting is: That Board of Commissioners at this meeting should make definite decision about purchase of new Fire truck for No 1 Fire Company, since this was deadline of our advertising for bids on this Fire truck, — He called upon every individual citizen at this meeting, committe from Booster Club, and Firemens, as well as rest of the members of the Board, to express their opinion what kind of Fire truck Board should purchase.

Mr. Edw. Kerr chairman of Booster Club committee took the floor, and he stated: That majority members of Booster Club when they discuss fire truck question among them selves privately, they seems to be in favor of good Fire truck, but when they come to meeting, they will not vote, or express them selves openly, why they don't do it, Mr. Kerr said that he doesn't know.

Mr. T. Kirkpatrick spoke in behalf of Fire Comp. No 1 as president, and expressed his opinion in favor of best fire truck that our Twp. can afford to buy.

Mr. R. Kotsas fire chief was also in favor of good truck, as well as several firemens present at this meeting.

Chairman Mr. Niehl in his brief talk stated: That always in the past Fire Company No 1 was under the impression that it wasn't getting enough from Commissioners, now when they have chance to get good truck, they don't want to express their opinion, and with such action, they only prolonging delay of purchase of this Fire truck. Mr. Niehl also announced, that under no circumstances he will sign any contract with Howe-Fire Apparatus Co. since their Salesman last Monday-nite announced that he is willing to give 10% kick-back if we purchase his truck. Mr. Niehl made it clear that as the Commissioner he is not looking for any kick-back, but that

he is looking after the interest of Twp. citizens and tax payers as whole, he called upon rest of the members of the Board to express them selves about purchase of this Fire truck, since it is of vital importance.

Mr. Augustine made it very clear, that despite all of criticism from certain individuals in our township in the past, as the Commissioner for last 7 years, he served and worked only for the interest of all of our people in township, and that from very begening of first proposal to purchase this Fire truck he was in favor of good truck, and that he is still in favor of good truck at this meeting tonight.

Mr. Straley expressed himself that he is in favor of any truck that citizens in No 1 District may want, but he expects Board of Commissioners to invest just as much money in Fire truck for No 3 District when the time comes, as they going to invest in this Fire truck.

Mr. Ayers also expressed himself in favor of good truck, but he also stated, that majority of citizens that he spoke to about this Fire truck in his district, they seems to be in favor of Howe equipment.

Mr. Rose expressed his opinion, that he is willing to go for any Fire truck that majority citizens in No 1 district may wanted.

Mr. Emanuel ask chairman Mr. Niehl, if we do purchase best truck, what garantees commissioners will give that millage of taxes will not be inreased.? Mr. Niehl answered: That if Booster Club goes along with the commissioners in the future, and since they already have $ 1.300.00 pleadges and if they raise $ 3.500.00, Board of Commissioners will manage to take care of rest of the amount without raising taxes.

After lenghtly discussion on this subject, in which several citizens took part as well as Board of Commissioners, it was Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Rose, that Board recinds the previous motion carried at regular meeting held May 4, which reads: That Board of Commissioners should purchase Dodge Chassis with La France standard equipment. (All members voting yes. Motion carried.)

Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Straley, that Board of Commissioners purchase new American La-France

standard fire equipment Truck, providing that Booster Club turns over to Commissioners $ 1.400.00 that they hold for purchase of this truck. Roll call on motion: Augustine yes, Straley - yes, - Ayers - Yes, - Rose. No. - and Riehl yes. (Four members voting yes) One member voting no. (Motion carried)

Upon recomendation of solicitor Mr. Schmidt, who was present at this meeting, Mr. Augustine offered in form of Resolution, which was seconded by Mr. Rose, that Board of Commissioners take out $ 8.500.00 out of #1 Sinking Fund which is accumulated surplus and lay idle in bank, and apply said amount on certificate of Indebtedness of 10.000.00 to Turtle Creek Bank and Trust Company, so in case we need any money for W. P. A Projects, we will be able to borrow from them as short term loan again. Roll call on Resolution: Augustine - yes, - Straley - yes, - Rose - yes. - Ayers, yes, and Riehl yes. All members voting yes (Motion carried).

Since there being no further business in connection with this special meeting, it was moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Rose that Board adjourns, all members voting yes. (Motion carried) and Board adjourned 9.30 P.M.

Attested:- Michael J. Blagovich
Secy.

President

Wilkins Township Pa.
April 1st - 1940.

1.) Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners held their regular monthly meeting on above date, at No 1 Fire house Bldg, and members were present as follows: Chairman Mr. Nicht, Vice chairman Mr. Rose. members: Mr. Augustine, Mr. Ayers and Mr. Straley.

2.) Mr. Nicht called the meeting to order at 8:8 P.M.

3.) Secretary read the minutes from regular meeting held Mar 4th, and special meeting held March 25th, and they were separately approved as read:

4. Secretary read the current monthly bills for Mar, also some prior to month of March and they were as follows: Julius Straley, Road Supervisor wages from Mar 15 to Apr 1 - $57.00 - Howard Sokes wages for work on roads from Mar 15 to Apr 1st $8.00 - J. R. Queen and Son disposal of garbage for 2nd and 3rd quarter of 1939 - $41.00 - American Typewriter Co. for repairing and remodeling secretary's Type writer $14.85 - Penna Water Comp. water for No 3 Fire House $3.84 - Peoples Nat. Gas Comp. Gas for No 1-3 Fire Comp $4.54 - Roches Bros. coal for No 1-3 Fire Comp $19.25 - Duquesne Light Comp. Lights for No 1-3 Fire Houses $5.95 - Turtle Creek Bank and Trust Interest on certificate of Indebt. $34.44 - Union Filling Station $30.74 - McClintock-Welsch Lumber - 41.74 - H. A. Shope Twp. engineer $155.50 - Hosack, Specht and Woods $75.00 - R. C. Bayne former engineer $303.00, and Penna Water Comp. for $95.69 - After the reading of all bills, it was moved by Straley, seconded by Mr. Rose, that all bills to be paid when properly O.K. by committe and if funds are available, except following: H. A. Shope's bill to be rechecked for excessive charges of time. - Hosack and Woods solicitor Mr. Schmidt to investigate why annual fee was raised from $60.00 to $75.00. - R. C. Bayne to be taken care off later after he finishes boundary line between our and Penn Townships. - Penna Water Comp. to be taken care off later, when Board gets ready to make settlement with them. All members voting Yes. (Motion carried)

5. Reading of Communications: -
Secretary read the following communications: Booster Club Committe dated Mar 6-1940 - Memorial Day Ass. Turtle Creek, - Commonwealth of Penna, State Planing Board, Penna State Ass. Twp. Commiss. Carnegie Barr and Asphalt Comp. Chesnick Borough, about copy of our Ordinance. Also several copies of letters that

secretary replied to various requests as directed by previous meeting.
After the reading of all communications, President ordered the same to be filed, and secretarys action approved.

6.) Report from Committees:
Mr. Augustine chairman of Roads: Reported that bad condition exist on Schmichhill road, and that road at one place is sliding, which is very dangerous. Also he reported that W.P. Project will start on April 4th and he like to advertise for some material for McMaster Ave. Chairman Mr. Nicht ordered Road Supervisor Mr. Straley to look after the road that Mr. Augustine reported where was dangerous. Secretary promised to advertise for material as soon as he is furnished with the list of necessary items on W.P.A. job.
Mr. Straley, chairman of Police and Fire reported that No 1 Fire Company is in very bad need of new fire truck, and No 3 about 1000 feet of hose, otherwise he reported Progress.
Mr. Ayers chairman of Light and Water Progress.
Mr. Rose " " Finance and Claims - Progress.

7.) Report from Treasurer. B. H. Goodwin:

Secretary read the Treasurer's report which shows that during the month of March he collected and received following amounts from taxes and other sources:

Gen Fund	1939 taxes	$387.97, Penna Liquor License $300.00 Total	$687.97
Comm. Sink Fund:	Liened taxes from 1937 to 1938 inclusive)	$186.79 -	186.79
Mach. Tool Fund	Dance Permits from Secretary M. Blagonich	— —	45.00
	Total money collected and received		$894.76
	less $31.74 Commission.		

8.) Secretary's Financial Report: -
Secretary read his General Financial Report, covering not only cash, but all Township's assets and liabilities to and including March 31-1940.

9.) Secretary read report from Board of Health submitted by Mr. Robert Smith secretary.
Report from Police None. - Report from Fire Chiefs - None)

10.) Unfinished Business: -
Under unfinished business, it was moved by Mr. Straley, seconded by Mr. Rose, that Board of Commissioners hire former engineer R.C. Bayne to complete boundary line between our and Penn Twp.

as soon as possible, for amount of not less than $ 300.00 or more than $ 600.00, according to actual time that may be involved to complete this job, upon the presentation of necessary tracings, line points and surveys to Board of Commissioners which shall be ready and approved for recording as such, Mr. Bayne shall present his bill, upon which he will be paid in full for his work on completion of said boundary line. All members voting yes. (Motion carried.) and secretary to notify Mr. Bayne by letter, as to Board's decision and verbal agreement they proposed with him last Sunday after noon.

II.) Citizen's complaints:-

Mr. R. Chatlos, asked Board of Commissioners, how soon they going to open alley between Clingston and Mortimore Ave. Mr. Riehl answered, that they going to look into it as soon as time permits them.

Mr. J. Soles wanted to know about the improvement of street and size of the wall that they intend to build past his place. He also offered his garage for W.P.A. tools. Mr. Augustine answered to Mr. Soles, that said wall will be very strong and after job is done, that Mr. Soles would be very much pleased with the improvement.

Mr. Jos. Bardoglia wanted to know, what streets are going to be improved, and what Board intends to do about Rebecca Str which is in very bad condition. He also cited the case where woman fell down steps and bruised herself by falling on high curb along Rebecca Str, and that said Street should be improved to prevent all such accidents.

Mr. Long spoke of same case, and he also felt that this street should be improved before accident happens again which may be lot worst than one that Mr. Bardoglia spoke of.

IV.) New business:-

Under new business it was moved by Mr. Straley, seconded by Mr. Rose, that we transfer $ 154.00 from Sinking Fund No 1 to General Fund to cover State tax on Bonds, for which amount warrant was drawn to State Dept of Revenue, out of General Fund, but should be paid out of Sinking Fund. All members voting yes, (Motion carried). Bank to be notified by form of resolution.

At this time chairman Mr. Riehl announced that we are going again into discussion about purchasing new Fire truck for No 1 Fire Company. He called upon several firemen, citizens, Booster Club committee, as well as members of the Board, to express themselves and come to some understanding, so Commissioners can purchase this truck without any further delays.

After the the lenghty discussion in which majority present at meeting took part, and after solicitor Mr. Schmidt explained in details original specifications that we advertised for this truck, also offer made by Mr. J. Phillips representing Ward La France Fire Truck Corp, who was also present at this meeting, it was moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Straley to rescind motion passed at the special meeting held Mar 25 1940 which reads: That Board of Commissioners should purchase Amer. La France standard equipment. All members voting yes, (Motion carried.)

Moved by Augustine seconded by Rose, that Board of Commissioners purchase Ward La France Fire truck, providing that contract is approved by Board of Commissioners and solicitor Mr. Schmidt, at the price of $ 6.400.00 as original bid calls for, less $ 150.00 trade-in allowance on old truck. Said contract shall have attached to it a copy of the specifications, as well as agreement for extra equipment in amount of $ 750.00 which offer Mr. Phillips made at this meeting. Amount of $ 750.00 of extra equipment shall be included in above contract of $ 6.750.00, and members of Fire company No 1 shall submit the list of extras and make the pick after Mr. Phillips submits his samples as to qualities and prices of various necessary fire equipments. Roll call on the motion. Augustine yes.- Straley yes.- Rose yes.- Ayers yes.- and Riehl yes. All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)

There being no further business, it was moved by Mr. Rose, seconded by Mr. Augustine to adjourn this meeting. All members voting yes, (motion carried) Board adjourned 11.30 P.M.

Financial report for month of April 1940:-

General Fund:- - - - Balance brought forward Mar 31- $ 1.830.70

Received from B.H. Goodwin during the April:-

1939 taxes - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - $ 331.04

4-13-1940 From Booster Club on account of new Fire Truck- 1.350.00 1.681.04

Total receipts with Balance from Mar 31- $ 3.511.74

Date vouchers Cash disbursements for month of April 1940:

4-1-40	376	Julius Straley, wages Mar 15-Apr 1-1940 -	$ 57.70
" " "	77	Howard Boles " " " 16 hrs x 50¢	8.00
1 " "	78	J. R. Queen and Son, Garbage disposal 1st quarter 1939	41.00
" " "	79	Amer Typewriter Comp, Repairing typewriter	14.85
" " "	80	Penna Water Co, Water for No 3 Fire House 1st quart	3.84
" " "	381	Peoples Nat. Gas Comp. Gas for No 1-3 Fire Comp-Mar -	4.54
" " "	82	Roches Bros Coal for No 1 Fire House, Feb-1940 -	10.50
" " "	83	Duquesne Light Comp. Lights for No 1-3 Fire house Mar -	5.95
" " "	84	Turtle Bank Trust Comp. Interest on certif of Indebt. Mar	34.44
" " "	85	Roches Bros, Coal for No 1-3 Fire House for Mar-1940 -	18.75
" " "	86	Union Filling Station, Gas, Tup truck, No 1-3 Fire House -	30.74
" " "	87	McClintock-Welsh Lumber, Sewers and material	41.74
" " "	88	H. A. Shope, Engineers service for Mar -	147.50
1-16-40	389	Roches Bros. Coal for No 3 Fire House Dec 18-1939 -	9.30
" " "	390	B. H. Goodwin, Commission on collected taxes Mar 1940 -	31.74
" 15 "	91	Ward LaFrance Truck Corp. Down-payment on new fire truck	1.350.00
" 16 "	92	Turtle Creek Valley Memorial Park Ass. (Donation)	75.00
" " "	93	Julius Straley, Wages from Mar 31 to April 16 1940	67.40
" " "	94	E. C. Charles, Wages for work on roads - Apr 4-5-10-11-12-13-15 (56 hrs)	28.00
" " "	95	Howard Boles " " " " " 4-5-9-10-11 (40 hrs)	20.00
" " "	96	William Lubanovich " " " " " 9-10-11-15-16 (40 hrs)	20.00
" " "	97	Michael Spanjack " " " " " 9-10-11-12-15 (40 hrs)	20.00
" " "	98	John Lukinich " " " " " 9-10-11-15-16 (40 hrs)	20.00
" " "	99	Alexander Baird " " " " " 4-5 - (16 hrs)	8.00
" " "	400	J. R. Queen & Son Disposal of Garbage for Jan Feb Mar-1940.)	21.00
" 17-11	401	Peoples Nat Gas Comp. Gas No 1 3 hrs $1.00 No 3 Fire $3.60 - Mar	4.60
" 22-11	402	J. R. Weldin Comp. Secretary's Books (minute and financial	10.30
		Total expenditures for April	$ 2049.39

Receipts with Balance from Mar 31 - $ 3.511.74
Expenditures during the April 2.049.39

Balance brought forward in Gen Fund Apr 30-1940 - $1.462.35
over Deposit 22.00
Correct Bal Apr 30-1940 - $ 1.440.35

Sinking Fund # 1

Balance brought forward Mar 31-1940 $ 10.170.68
Received from B. H. Goodwin - - none
Coupons paid out on 1922 Bond Issue 140.00

Balance brought forward April 30-1940 - $ 10.030.68

Emergency Sinking Fund # 1

Balance brought forward Mar 31-1940 $ 5.743.48
Received from B. H. Goodwin Delq taxes 601.49
(No disbursement during the April)

Balance brough forward Apr 30-1940 - $6.344.97

Machinery and Truck Fund:

Balance brought forward March 31- - - $ 816.53
(No receipts or disbursements during the April).
Balance brought forward April 30-1940. $ 816.53

Cash available in all Funds as follows:

General Fund - - -	$ 1.462.35
Sink Fund # 1 - - - -	10.030.68
Emerg Sink Fund # 1 -	6.344.97
Machinery and Truck Fund	816.53

Total cash available in all Funds April 30-40 - $ 18654.53

Respectfully submitted this 6th day of May-1940. to Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township, Pa.

Michael J. Blagovich
Twp. Secretary.

Wilkins Township, Pa
April 15-1940

Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners held their Special meeting on above date at No 11 Fire House Bld, and following members were present: Chairman Mr. Niehl, Vice chairman Mr. Rose, Members Mr. Augustine, Mr. Straley, and Mr. Ayers.

Chairman Mr. Niehl called the meeting to order at 8:15 P.M, and he announced that this meeting was called only for one purpose that is: To pass the Township Ordinance fixing the tax rate for the year 1940, and appropriating specific sums estimated to be required for the specific purposes of the Township government, during the current fiscal year.

Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Rose, that secretary reads the ordinance 131. All members voting yes. (Motion carried)

Secretary read the Ordinance 131, which reads as follows:-

Annual Budget of the Township of Wilkins for the year 1940.

Schedule C.

Tax Levy and Appropriation Ordinance.

Ordinance No 131-

An Ordinance of the Township of Wilkins, County of Allegheny and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, fixing the tax rate for the year 1940 and appropriating specific sums estimated to be required for the specific purposes of the Township government, hereinafter set forth, during the current fiscal year.

Moved by Mr. Rose, seconded by Mr. Straley, that Ordinance 131 be adopted as read. All members voting yes. Motion carried.)

Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Rose, that all rules be suspended, and that Ordinance 131 be read second time. All members voting yes (Motion carried.)

Secretary read the Ordinance 131 as set forth second time, and after reading it second time, it was moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Rose, that Ordinance 131 be adopted as read. All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)

at this time Mr. C. A. Blakley called the attention to Commissioners about communication that was read and tabled last regular meeting from Valley Memorial Day Ass, asking for donation towards the expenses of holding and maintaining Memorial Day in Turtle Creek Valley.

Mr. Blakley stated, that all other laboring municipalities donated something, and he feels that our Township should donate whatever we can afford it, and that Board should reconsider this mighty good cause.

After the Board reconsidered this communication, it was moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Rose, that we donate sum of $75.00 to Valley Memorial Day Ass, and that secretary issues the warrent for this amount and sends it to proper officers of said organization. All members voting yes. (Motion carried)

Mr. Louis Maggiore submitted Petition signed by 38 property owners and Renters residing along Railroad Street, asking Board of Commissioners to take immediately steps, to prevent dust from the road damaging their property.

After secretary read the said Petition, Chairman Mr. Niehl ordered the same to be filed till Board's next regular meeting May 6, at which time Board will give this matter their careful consideration.

Since there being no further business in connection with this Special meeting, it was properly moved and seconded, that Board should adjourn this meeting, and Board adjourned 9:P.M.

Attested:-
Michael J. Blagovich
Secy

Wilkins Town Pa
April 8-1940

Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners held their special meeting on above date at No 1 Fire House Bldg, and members were present as follows: Vice chairman Mr. Rose, Mr. Augustine and Mr. Straley. Absent Mr. Riehl and Mr. Ayers.

Vice chairman Mr. Rose called the meeting to order at 8 P.M., and he announced that this meeting was called only for one purpose, that is to open the Bids for various material that going to be used on W. P. A Project in our Township.

Moved by Mr. Augustine seconded by Mr. Straley that Bids be opened and read.

Secretary opened and read following Bids:

1. Sand:- McRady-Rodges 640 tons more or less. Truck loads lots delivered to the job $1.95 per ton
Roches Bros " " " " " $1.10 " "
Rutter Bros Lumber " " " " " $1.10 " "
Wilmerding Supply " " " " " 2.15 " "
McClintock-Welsch " " " " " $1.10 " "
Houston-Starr " " " " " $1.30 " "

2. Cement:
Nathan Bilder Comp. F.O.B. RR Siding 2.08 per bbl.
McClintock-Welsch " " " " " 2.19 " "
" " Car load lots delivered 2.34 " "
" " Truck load lots (100 sacks) $1.60 " "
" " Less than 100 sacks lots delivered $1.85 " "
Rutter Bros Lumber, Car load lots delivered - $1.76 " "
" " " Truck load lots (100 sacks) delivered $1.50 " "
" " " Small lots, less than 100 sacks $1.72 " "
Houston-Starr any lots delivered $1.34 " "
Roches Bros " " " $1.38 " "
McCrady-Rodges " " " $1.39 " "
Wilmerding Supply Comp $1.59 " "

3. Sewer Pipes:-
Wilmerding Supply, Sewers 12" size 33¢ per foot
Houston-Starr " " " 35.1 " "
McClintock-Welsch - " " " 45¢ " "
McCrady-Rodges " " " 46¢ " "
Roches Bros " " " 48.6 " "
Rutter Bros Lumber " " " 48.6 " "

4. Storm Inlet Castings:-
Rutter Bros Lumber - - $23.00 each
Roches Bros - - - - - 23.50 "
Wilmerding Supply - - - - - - 31.00 "
McClintock-Welsch Type C - $37.00 Type F - $18.50 each
Allegheny Foundry Comp No 1 Frame, Coker, and Weir plate $14.00 per set
" " " Type E. Frame and Grading cover $13.50 " "
" " " Type F. Frame, Grading cover, Hood casting, complete set - - $10.00

5. Stone Quarry:
Dominic Ciello 5¢ per ton or 15¢ per load, and all revenue from stone to be turned back to Township for deliquent taxes on said property.
A. W. Hoobach - - - $.15¢ load - 3 tons to load
Mrs. A. M. Harrison $.10¢ a load.

6. Gasoline and Oil:
Union Filling Station
Motor Pennzip Gasoline 2¢ under posted prices or 18¢ per Gallon.
Pennzip Ethel " 2¢ " " " " 16¢ " "
Pennzip Motor oil 10¢ per qt.
Grease 15¢ " lb.
Maggaore Service Station.
Penn Drake Motor Gas 1¢ below posted price
" " Ethel " 1¢ " " " "
" " Motor oil 80¢ per gallon
" " Grease 15¢ " lb.

7. Discount:
Rutter Bros: on cement 10¢ per bbl in 15 days, on Car load lots. Less Car load lots 2% in 30 days. All other material 1% in 30 days.
McClintock-Welsch. Car load lots 10¢ per barel in 15 days. Truck load " and all other material 1% if paid by 15th following month.
Nathan Bilder - - - 10¢ per bbl 15 days from date of invoice.
Houston-Starr. 1% if paid by 10th of each month.

After secretary read the all bids, it was moved by Mr. Augustine, sec by Mr. Straley, that we hold over all material bids, and that secretary tabulates the same, and that Board meets on May 1 to go over all bids and study them, and dicide lowest bidder, so bids can be awarded to lowest bidders at next regular

meeting May 6-1940.. Roll call on motion. Augustine Yes, Straley Yes, and Rose yes. (All members voting yes. Motion carried)
Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Straley that Board excepts the bid from Mr. A. W. Hosbach for stone & gravel, and that Mr. Schmidt solicitor draw up agreement between Board of Commissioners and Mr. Hosbach, which should be approved by Board at next regular meeting May 6-1940. Roll call on motion. Augustine yes, - Straley Yes. and Rose Yes. (All members present voting yes. Motion carried)

This time solicitor Mr. Schmidt brought to Board's attention original agreement between former Board of Commissioners and Hosack, Specht and Woods, as Public Accountance, whose bill for $75.00 for proffesional services was tabled down at February's Board regular meeting.
Said agreement bears the signature of former secretary Mr. J. S. O'Brien, and it is dated Apr 18-1938, by which this firm was hired for period of 5 years, ending 1943 at annual fee of $75.00.
Mr. Straley questioned the legality of said agreement, since it is signed only by secretary, and also since there isn't anything in the minutes that would show whether or not Board as all acted in awarding said contract.
After the discussion matter was tabled till next regular meeting of May 6, where all members will be present and they will get chance to act upon the same.

Mr. Schmidt also turned over to Board copy of the contract that he received from Ward Eastpance Truck Corporation, who approved said contract for purchase of new fire trucks by Board of Commissioners. Said Contract secretary to have placed on Township file for use on delivery of fire trucks.

Solicitor Mr. Schmidt also brought to Board's attention matter in connection with property owned by Mr. Blonski situated at John and Dorothy Streets, which property was Shariff sold in 1931, but through some one negligance, Wilkins Township fail to collect liened taxes against said property at the time of Shariff sale, and these taxes still remain on the dockets against said property. Morgagee that took the property over at the time

of sale, now has party that wishes to buy this property, but with the understanding that these taxes are satisfied. Present owner is willing to pay face value of these taxes but he wants Board of Commissioners to exhorate him from Penalty and Interest amount of $58.00, if not, he is going to file Petition in the Court to wipe out all deliquent taxes on said property which amounts to $160.00
Mr. Schmidt's recommendation was: that Board exhorates said Penalty and Interest, because if this matter goes to Court, Township is liable lose all taxes, since they they neglected to collected them at the time of Shariff sale.
Mr. Straley spoke about this matter, and he expressed himself against Mr. Schmidt's recommendation, because he felt that regardless who sells the property, and when it is sold, taxes must be satisfied before new owner can get clear title, after the discussion, this matter was tabled till regular meeting May 6, and mean time that Board investigates as to proper procedure before any final approval is made by the Board at next regular meeting.

Solicitor Mr. Schmidt also turned over to Board of Commissioners list with 196 names of property owners whose taxes bring liened for several years back, and now have to be revived, list was submitted to him by Mr. J. J. Kassouff, who also asks $148.00 for preparing this list, and one warrent to be made for $196.00 to the order of Mr. William H. Fraher Prothonotary for filing said revivals of these liened taxes.
Mr. Schmidt stated that this has to be done right way, because deadline for filing these suggestions was May 1.
Mr. Straley disagreed with Mr. Schmidt, about right way business, wherever there is hundreds of dollars involved of tax payers money, and this matter was tabled untill Board checks up on this list, and finds out whether it is worth of while to revive all liens, since most of them carriee between $100 and $700 taxes. Mr. Schmidt stated that we must revived them all, since all these taxes are pleadged against 1938 Bond Issue, but matter was left for further study of Board till next regular meeting.
There being no further business, it was properly moved and seconded that Board adjorns.

M. J. Blagovich, Sec'y

Wilkins Township, Pa
May 6th - 1940

Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners held their regular meeting on above date at No 1 Fire House Bldg, and members were present as follows: Chairman Mr. Riehl. V. chairman Mr. Rose, members: Mr. Augustine, Mr. Ayers, and Mr. Straley.

1. Mr. Riehl called meeting to order 8.30 P.M.

2. Secretary read the minutes from regular meeting held April 1st and special meetings held April 15 and 19th, and they were separtely approved as read:

3. Reading of Bills:
Secretary read the current monthly bills for April, also some prior to April, and they were as follows: Ward La France Truck Corp down payment on new Fire Truck. - Turtle Valley Memorial Day Ass'n $5.00 as Donation. - William Frasher County Rothondary $196.00 for filing 196 suggestions of lien taxes Revivals - William Frasher Rothondary $330.00 for entering 330 liens of 1939 taxes. J.J. Kassoff $148 for preparing list of 196 names for Revival of Delig liened taxes. - Hosack and Woods $75.00 for Proffecial services, - J.R. Weldin $10.30 Secretary's new books, - Hoffstein Hdware $36.67 from 1938, - Turtle Creek Bank and Trust Comp. $33.33 Interest on Certificate of Indebt for April. - Peoples Nat'l Bk Comp $4.60 - Duquesne Light Comp $8.87 - Dr Thompson $13.75 Robert Patterson $10.00, - H.A. Shope Engineer $308.00, - R.C. Bayne former Engineer $303.00

Road Maintanance:-
Road Supervisor's wages J Straley for April $130.00, - C.C. Charles for working on roads $18.00 - Howard Boles $10.00, - W. Lubanovich $10.00. - Michael Grajack $10.00. - John Lukinich $10.00, - Alexander Baird $16.00 - J.R. Rheem and Son $11.00 - Union Filling Station $41.24 Leo Tire Store $103.50 - McClintock-Welsch $2.38.

W.P.A. Project:
McClintock-Welsch-material $74.60 - Goldhamer Hdware $1.75 Truckers on job $281.25 - Roches Bros Tractor shovel on McMaster Ave $190.00, Roches Bros at Hosbach quarry Gas shovel $608.74 Other bills: B.H. Goodwin Commission $59.13. - Park Dibler ads for bids and Budget $23.70, - Joseph W. Kelly Auditor $60.00, - J. Kirkpatrick $60.00 - J.W. Watt $61.50 - Star Printing $18.60 - J.W. Barker $7.50 - Penn Water Comp $954.69. -

Total amount of bills $5.615.79 - Total amount paid before May 1st $1.049.39 - Balance to be paid $3.566.40.

4. Communications:
Secretary read the following communications:
State Workmens Ins. Dept, Ward La France Truck Corp. Commonwelth of Penna Dept of Health. State Ass of Township Commissioners. - Penna Dept of Internal Affairs. Gloves and McGregor Ins, - J.J. Kassoff.
Grundt ordered all communication to be filed, and secretary's action approved, as to reply to some of requests.

5. Report from Committees:-

Mr. Augustine chairman of Roads: Progress on W.P.A Project, except, that he is unable to get stones for the walls on McMaster Ave.

Mr. Straley chairman of Fire and Police. Progress except that Fire Company No 1 needs new Fire Truck, which is also purchased. No 3 need minor equipment, and that Fire Chiefs should be supplied with requisitions, and only them to be authorized to issue these requisitions in all futures purchasing for Fire Companies. Moved by Mr. Rose seconded by Mr Straley that Fire Chiefs be supplied with requisitions, and that they are only authorized and responsible persons in all future purchasing of any equipment. All members voting yes, motion carried.

Mr. Ayers chairman of Water and Light. Progress.

Mr. Rose chairman of Finance and Claims, Progress.

5. Report from Treasurer:-
Secretary read Financial Report from B.H. Goodwin which shows, that during the month of April he collected and deposited as follows: 1939 taxes $309.04 - Liened taxes from 1930 to 1939 inclusive 601.49 - From Citizens Booster Committee returned money, that was given to them towards purchasing Fire Truck in 1939 $1.350.00 Total money received $1.760.53
Total money deposited in Bank — — 1.758.00
Over deposited in April — — $ 2.00
Secretary read report from Treasurer of the Personal property

taxes as shown by the 1939 Duplicate: which reads as follows: Moved from Township 86- Deceased 15- Transfered to property 14- Unknow at address 57- Unemployed 73- Working on W. P. A. 67- No return of statements 101- Unpaid with no Reason (68) Total 1.049 persons.
In this report Mr. Goodwin asks Board of Commissioners for exonerations for all above persons on their personal taxes in amount of $1.646.70 so he would be able to renew his Bond for 1940 Duplicates.
After lenghty discussion on this subject, it was moved by Rose seconded by Ayers, that Board of Commissioners exonerates Mr. Goodwin of above amount of $1.646.70, but only so he can get his Bond, otherwise he should insist of collecting those taxes, wherever it is found that they can be collected according to Law of this Commonwealth.
Roll call on motion: Augustine Yes,- Rose Yes,- Ayers Yes,- Straley No. Riehl not voting. 3 members voting Yes,- One voting No. (Motion carried).
In connection with above exoneration of 1.049 persons Occupation taxes, it was moved by Mr. Straley seconded by Mr. Augustine that Mr. B. H. Goodwin, Tax Collector be instructed to make out and send notices to all above persons that are deliquent with occupation taxes, giving them time of 90 days to pay their taxes, and if they ignore these notices, Mr. Goodwin should consult their employers and use the power which is given to him by State Laws. All members voting yes. (Motion carried.).

Mr. Goodwin also verbally brought to Commissioners attention exoneration of 330 property owners whose taxes became deliquent May 1st, and has to them them at Prothonotary office of Allegheny County, in amount of $508.37 but has asked Board to exonerate him from these taxes, so he can get new Bond for 1940 taxes. He asked Board to issue warrent for $330.00 in favor of William Frasher Prothontary of Allegheny County for filing these liens, of which amount School Board shares 50% or $165.00
Moved by Mr Augustine, seconded by Mr. Rose, that we authorize Mr. Goodwin to file 330 liens, deliquent taxes for 1939, and that warrent be issued for that amount.
Roll call on the motion. Augustine yes. Rose, Yes,

Ayers Yes, and Riehl yes, Straley- No.. Four members voting yes, One member voting No (Motion carried)

Mr. Goodwin also brought to Commissioners attention two properties that are on County taxable Books for this year, but they should be exempted from all taxes, that is School Boards New Junior High School, and lot that Turf took over at Mortimer Ave to be used for road, since both of these properties are used by our local government they are exempted from taxation, and Board of Commissioners should ask for exonerations from County authorities.
Board unanimously went on record to request exemptions on said property, and instructed secretary to write letter to B. H. Goodwin, authorizing him to consult Allegheny County Board of Assessment and Revision of Taxes and demand exemptions on two above named properties.

6- Report from Board of Health.
Secretary read the report submitted by Mr. Robert Smith Secretary which reads:
Board as a body inspected 8 Nuisance cases on Sunday Apr 28th, 1940 on Lanmer Ave Ext. which will be taken care of.
Certificates filed 9.- Scarlet fever cases - 1 - Water tests taken on property of Howard Painter on Linn Set Drive, indicates that at the time the sample was collected, the water was safe for domestic Consumption.
Reports sent to Harrisburg and Pgh weekly and monthly.
Mr. Smith in his report also stated, that he was instructed by the Board, to ask the Board of Commissioners to have a Clean up Week, set as warm weather is near, and diseases increase from rubbish on vacant lots.
The ditches on Highland Ave close to Turtle Creek line have been reported to us as needing cleaned.
Robert Smith, Secretary Board of Health.

7. Police Report.
Secretary read the Police report signed by officers Charles Quick and Charles Giles, for months of March and April.

8. Report from Fire Chiefs - - None

after secretary read all reports, President ordered the same to be filed.

9. Unfinished Business:-

President Mr. Niehl announced that this time we are going to pass and adopt proposed Budget third and final reading. He instructed the secretary to read the Ordinance 131 by which millage is set for 1940 year, also itemized Budget with necessary amounts set to run our government during current 1940 year. Secretary read the Ordinance 131, also proposed itemized Budget for 1940.

Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Rose that Ordinance 131, and Budget for 1940 be adopted and passed third and final reading as read: All members voting yes. (Motion carried)

Secretary called to President's attention matter of apointing two additional members to each Department in our government as to proper function of various committees, since this matter was overlooked by him at reorganization meeting of the Board Jan 1st 1940. Mr. Niehl asked Mr. Schmidt Solicitor about this matter and he said that this should be done at the time that he appointed chairmens for different Depts but if he didn't make the appointments than, he can make them now. Mr. Niehl appointed following committees:
Roads: Rose and Ayers. Police and Fire: Aug and Ayers.
Water and Light: Straley and Rose.- Finance and Claim All Board as body:-

10. New Business:

Chairman Mr. Niehl this time announced, that Board of Commissioners going to award the Bids for various material that we advertised for W.P.A. Project.

1.) Moved by Mr. Rose, seconded by Mr. Augustine, that Bid for Sand be awarded to Mc Rady Rodgers Co since they were lowest responsible Bidders. All members voting yes, (Motion carried.)

2.) Moved by Mr. Straley, seconded by Mr. Rose, that Bid for Cement be awarded to Houston Star Comp, since they were Lowest responsible Bidders. All members voting yes (Motion carried.)

3.) Sewer pipes: Moved by Mr. Straley seconded by Mr. Rose that Bid for sewer pipes be awarded to Wilmerding

Supply, since they were lowest responsible Bidders. All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)

4.) Storm Inlet Castings.

Moved by Mr. Straley seconded by Mr. Rose that Bid for these castings be awarded to McClintock-Welsch Lumber Comp, since they were lowest responsible Bidders. All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)

5.) Gas and oil.

Moved by Mr. Augustine, seconded by Mr. Rose that we award the Bid for Gas and oil to Maggiero Service Station, since Mr. Maggiero is located in our Township, and since his prices are same as other Bidder. All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)

6.) Election of delegate to State Ass. Convention.

Secretary quoted section 601 of State Code, which say: That each Township can elect only one delegate to Convention, either one of Commissioners, or other officers in the Township, such delegate is entitled to $7.50 per day and mileage at the prevailing rate of Railroad fare, and not more than 3 days. Solicitor Mr. Schmidt asked the secretary for the Code and after he read it, he fully agreed with secretary's interpretation in connection with election of delegate. After the discussion it was moved by Mr. Rose, seconded by Mr. Straley that Mr. Augustine be elected delegate to next Convention meeting in William Penn Hotel in Pgh. Pa. All members voting yes. (Motion carried) and Chairman Mr. Niehl declared Mr. Augustine elected.

Despite all interpretation by secretary and solicitor Mr. Schmidt of State Code in connection with the effenses of delegate, it was moved by Mr. Rose, seconded by Mr. Ayers that warrent should be drawn in favor of Mr. Augustine for amount of $85.00 to cover convention effenses. All members voting yes (Motion carried)

Moved by Straley, seconded by Rose, that all bills be paid whenever they properly checked and O.K. by Committee, and when funds are available. All members voting yes. (Motion carried)

7.) Mr. Straley asked solicitor Mr. Schmidt how we stand with Pennsylvania Water Company.
Mr. Schmidt in answer to Mr. Straley brought out copy of suit that was entered by Penn. Water Comp. in April 1938, stating: That rumors being gone around, that that case never was entered on Court Dockets, and that he is in position to approve to Board that case was in Court. Besides the papers, Mr. Schmidt ask Mr. Rose to go with him to Court and copy the same of Court Dockets. Mr. Rose verified Mr. Schmidt statement by reading copy of records that he found on Court Dockets.
Mr. Straley said that he was one who doubted that this case ever reach the Court, since there is nt anything in the minutes, or on file of Commissioners office that would show anything about this Law suit. He also stated that he went to Court where he discovered that this case was on Court Dockets, but also he discovered that case was settled on April 7-1940 between attorney Geo Craig representing Penna Water Company and and Mr. Schmidt representing Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township. Mr. Straley asked Mr. Schmidt when was he authorized to settle this case without any consent from Board of Commissioners, and as yet, this Board don't know the terms how case was settled. Mr. Schmidt stated that there was no settlement to it, that attorney Craig walked in his office on Apr 7, and asked him how his hearth was, then he pulled out check for $ 9.719.18 in favor of Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners. Mr. Schmidt said that he almost got shocked, because he didn't know where all that money was coming from. After attorney Craig told him, that that money was due Township, as an reimbursement on Water Line layed 1928, Mr. Schmidt asked him what about suit that is pending in the Court, attorney Craig told him, that with this settlement case will be withdrawn by Company, and that he was authorized by the company to withdraw, and satisfy the Court Docket, providing that Mr. Schmidt goes along with him. Mr. Schmidt says that he went with him, he withdraw the suit and they both placed their signatures on Court Docket, and that was all to it.

Mr. Straley wasn't satisfied with Mr. Schmidts explanations because he settled this case on April 7, and at the meeting in his office on Apr 4, he told Commissioners, when Mr. Straley asked when that case will come for trial, he plainly stated: may be month, two or three, or may not come till next September. Again at nother meeting in his office on April 7th, Mr. Straley asked him about case and check that he was supposed to have for Commissioners, Mr. Schmidt admitted that he had the check, but he didn't want to tell amount because he is trying to get some interest from the Water Company, but already he had this case settled three weeks prior to this meeting.
Since this matter was very important, Secretary Blagovich thought it was his duty to go into history of this matter, and he asked Chairman ffo the floor.
Secretary stated that since Mr. Schmidt admitted that he didn't know where money was coming from, that he knows, because after I took office as secretary, it was my first duty to check up on the file of various documents, among other papers he discovered Ordinance from 1928 which deals with said water line where Township spent close to #7600 00 for water line. Later on I found Agreement between Penna Water Company and Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners, which agreement was approved by Public Service Commission whereby Water Company obligate it self to reimburse the Township for that amount of money during the period of 20 years, or before.

On Feb 15th I went to Penna Water Comp. in Turtle Creek and contacted Mr. Davis, submitting to him agreement and copy of our Ordinance dealing with said Water line. After Mr. Davis read it, he said that I was perfectly right, but since this case is beyond his time, matter had to be taken up with Wilkinsburg office, although Mr. Davis promise to help everything he can to bring this matter up to date.

Very some day I called Mr. Straley up, and I told him what I found, and asked him to go with me to Wilkinsburg as one of the Commissioners to have this matter checked, we set the date for Saturday Feb 14 to contact Mr. Davis again, and I made the appointment with him. After talking the matter over with him, he insisted again, that we take that matter with Wilkinsburg office, because that was Company main office was.

On March 9th me and Mr. Straley went to Wilkinsburg, and contacted Mr. Fox, who promise to take of this matter, but he directed us back to Mr. Davis in Turtle Creek, and that he is going to speak to Mr. Davis about this matter over the telephone. We come back to Mr. Davis and told us, that they going to check on this matter right away, and probable it will take 7 or 10 days, and that I should come back on 18th, at which time he expects have this ready for us. On 18th Mr Davis called me up and told that he didn't get statement from Wilkinsburg yet, but if he gets it next day, that he is going to call me up. Next day on Mar 19. He called me up and told me to come down, and that he had everything ready. I went down and after he told me that we had only $ 760.00 coming, I notified Mr. Straley about the matter, and I told him that we have more coming to us, also I ask Mr. Straley to go back to them and see them again. Next day we both went down and told Mr. Davis, that we will not accept that amount, because we felt that Township was entitled to more money, and before we accept any such amount, that we are going to check not only taps on this water line, but also other obligations that company agreed upon, at the time line was put in in 1928.

Mr. Davis promised to recheck all thing over again, and let us know before our regular meeting Apr 1st. Following Saturday me and Mr. Straley went out to check up on Water taps, starting from Linhart up Harrison Road No 3 Hill, up to New Junior High School, down Church Hill Road, and No 7 Hill.

On 28th Mr. Davis called me up and told me to come down to his office, and that he had very - very good news for me. I went down to his office, and told me that Your Township is getting almost $10.000.00, but he also stated that this case was: I owe you, and you owe me, therefore these two legal points has to be settled between your and our solicitor, but check already was made out, and turned over to your solicitor Mr. Schmidt, and no doubt he will have report for you Monday nite.

At the regular meeting April 1st, Mr. Schmidt fail to make any reports pertaining to this matter or about settlement, or at Special meetings, even he stated at the meeting on Apr 4 when questioned by Mr. Straley when that case was coming for trial, it may be 6 month, two or three, or may not be up till next September. At the meeting on 7 April again Mr. Straley asked him about the check, he didn't want to let us know, because he is trying to get some interest from them, despite the fact that already he had case settled on April 1 according to Court dockets.

After lenghty discussion Mr. Schmidt turned the check over to the Commissioners, but since Board couldn't agree as to what fund this money should be deposited, President ordered Mr. Schmidt to hold check over and find out definitely in which Fund would be proper to deposit the money.

Solicitor Mr. Schmidt again brought to Commissioners attention Blonski's property, where present owner is willing to pay liened taxes at the face value, but wishes to be exonorate from penalty and interest by Board of Commissioners, if not, that he is going to petition the Court to wipe out all taxes, and sell a property to prospective buyer. Mr. Schmidt recommended to the Board that they exonerate said property from Penalty and interest, and to except face value of taxes involded, because he feels that it is better to get 175.00, and lose $ 58.00 than it is to lose everything.

Moved by Rose, seconded by Augustine, that Board authorizes Mr. Schmidt to release said property from Penalty and interest, and get face value of these taxes, and satisfy County Docket. All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)

11. Citizens Complaints: -

Mr. Robert Rocevella made the complain about the road around his place, he wished to know if Commissioners could do something about it. Chairman Mr. Riehl ordered this matter to be turned over to Road Committee for investigation.

Mr. J.W. Kelly, made the complaint about Brown Ave Hollow road, he also spoke in behalf of Mr. Hardie about the wall along side of his property, and he asked Commissioners

if there was anything that they can do about it. Chairman Mr. Wehl informed Mr. Reilly and Mr. Hardie, that that road still belongs to County, and that County promised to improve that road long ago, and why they don't, Nobody knows, but since said road is under County Jurisdiction, Board of Commissioners can't do anything to improve bad existing conditions on said road.

Mr. D. J. Aiello brought to Board attention about Fire Comp No 1 that wishes to apply for charter, and since this is connected with certain expenses, he asked Board for some donation to help defray these expenses getting the charter.

Moved by Straley, seconded by Rose, that Board of Commissioners donate $75.00 to Fire Company No 1 towards the getting said charter. All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)

There being no further business, it was moved by Straley, seconded by Rose, that we adjourn this meeting. All members voting yes, (Motion carried.) Board adjourned 11.45 P.M.

Financial Report for month of May- 1940:

Gen Fund:

	Balance brought forward Apr 30		$ 1440.35
		over deposited by treasurer	.00
May-9.	Transfered from Sinking Fund No 1-	$ 8.500.00	1467.35
" 13.	" " " " "	154.00	$ 8654.00
1939 taxes	Received from B. H. Goodwin:		
	During the month of May - - - - -	317.44	
Other Sources: 1)	Reimbursement from School Board for Paid bill	0.59	
2)			
3)			

May 31-1940- From Penna Water Comp. Reimbursment on $16.580.00 - which Township spent for construction of Water Lines, in 1918- $ 1.845.07

May- 31-1940 Transfered from Sinking Fund #1 accumu. Surplus from Reimbursement by Penna Water Comp. - - - - - $ -7.500.00

over deposit .00

Total receipts during the month of May- $ 1975.45

1977.45

Total disbursments during the May $ 11.734.11

Balance brought forward in Gen Fund. May 31-1940- $ = 8.018 34

Disbursements for month of May -

Warrants paid out by preceeding motion as follows:

Warr No	Date			
403.	5-4 40	Julius Straley, Supervisor wages from Apr 16 May 1-	$ 67.60	
404.	" " "	Alexander Baird, wages, worthington Twp roads	8.00	
405	" " "	Turtle Creek Bank-Trust Comp. Interest for Apr	33.33	
406	" " "	Duquesne Light Comp. Light No Fire House 4th 1/3rd	8.87	117.75
407	" " "	Robert Patterson, Welding 4 fenders on Twp truck	1.00	
408	" " "	William H. Frasher, Filling 330 Signs of 1939 -	330.00	
409	" 7- "	" " " " 1940 Revivals -	196.00	
480	" 10 "	J. W. Barker, Oath of office, 3 Commis 4 Police off.	7.50	
410	" 10 "	Joseph E. Augustine Jr. wages for workers Roads	12.00	641.50
411	" 10 "	Star Printing Comp. Printing 200 Audit Report	18.60	
412	" 10 "	Union Filling Station, Gas, Engine Twp Trucks Fire Comp.	41.74	
414	" " "	McClintock-Trolsch. Material No Fire and W.P.A. Project	101.98	
415	" " "	Leo's Tire Store 4 new tires for Twp Truck	103.50	
416	" " "	Clark Dibler, Publishing Budget Notice and Bids	17.80	
417	" " "	Alexander DeKleve, Trucking Service on W.P.A.	86.75	369.37
418	" " "	A. W. Hosbach " " " "	36.75	
419	" " "	A. J. Yost " " " "	57.75	
420	" " "	Joseph E. Augustine, advance Convent expens.	85.00	
421	" 13 "	Turtle Creek Bank, Trust Comp. Principal on 6 Int	8.500.00	
422	" 16 "	Julius Straley, wages from Apr 30 to May 16.	67.60	
423	" 15-11	Penna Water Comp. No 8 Fire House, 1st grant	3.00	
424	" 15 "	Peoples Nat Gas. No 1 Fire House 1st - No 3 - $ 1.37	1.37	8.75 1.47
425	" 15-"	Anthony J. Sabol, Labor, May-16-17- 16 hrs -	8.00	8.00

Total expenditures for May:-

May 29 By Settlement.	To Penna Water Comp Water rental 4th qrtr 1940-	1.845.07	1.845.07
	Current monthly bills - -	$ 1.389.04	1389.04
	Principal on Certificate of Indebt of $10.000.00 borrowed from T.C. Bank Trust in 1938-	8.500.00	8.500.00

Total expenditures in month of May - by cash $ 9.889.04

By settlement with Penna Water Comp. through transaction 1.845.07

Total expenditures in month of May - - $ 11.734.11

Balance brought forward in Gen. Fund May 31-1940 - $ 8.018.34

over deposit .00

8.040 34

Sinking Fund #1.

Balance brought forward April 30. 1940. $10.030.68

Received from Penna Water Comp. as reimbursement on $ No. 580 that Twp. spent on water line in 1938. - - - $ 1.874.11

Total receipts during the May. 1940. $11904.79

Disbursements during the May:-

Coupons paid on 1937 Bond Issue 140.00

May. 9. 1940 Transfered to Gen. Fund by Resolution May 25. $ 8.500.00
" 13. 1940 " " " " " " Apr 1- 154.00
" 29. " " " " " " May. 29- 7.500.00

Total disbursment during the May $ 16294.00

Balance brought forward May 31. 1940. - - $ 1.610.79

Emergency Sinking Fund #1

Balance brought forward Apr 30. $ 634.97

Received from Mr. B.H. Goodwin Tax Collector
Liened tax from 1930 to 1939 inclusive - - - $ 38.83

Total receipts with Balance May 31. 1940 $ 673.80

Disbursements during the May:-

Coupons paid on 1938 Bond Issue 315.00

Balance brought forward May 31. 1940 - - - - - - $ 6.058.80

Machinery and Truck Fund.

Balance brought forward Apr 30 $ 816.53

Received from B.H. Goodwin, Permits and other sources, 50.50

Total receipts May 31- $ 867.03

(No disbursement in May.) Balance brought forward May 31- $ 867.03

Money available from all Funds:

General Fund - - - -	$ 8.018.34
Sinking Fund #1 - - - -	1.610.79
Emerg Sinking Fund #1 -	6.058.80
Mach and Truck Fund.	867.03
Total cash available from All Funds May 31-1940 -	$16.554.96

Wilkins Township Pa. May 27 - 1940.

Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners held special joint meeting with the School Board at Franklin School on above date, and following members were present: Board of Commissioners: Vice chairman Mr. Rose, Mr. Straley. — Mr. Augustine, secretary M.V. Blagovich and solicitor Mr. Schmidt. Absent Chairman Mr. Nield, and Mr. Myers who came later. From School Board: Chairman Mr. Cherry, member Mr. Helmer M. Blagovich, secretary Mr. Wills, and solicitor Mr. McClure, also Mr. B.H. Goodwin Twp. Treasurer. Absent Mr. Jones. Moved by Mr. Goodwin seconded by Mr. Wills, that Mr. Cherry be appointed chairman to conduct this joint meeting, all members voting yes. Motion carried. Mr. Cherry called the meeting to order at 8.30 P.M. and he announced that purpose of this joint meeting was: To work out some plan by which both administrative bodies will get deliquent taxes on real estate, from several land speculators in our Township, whose taxes amounts to thousands of dollars in deliquency for years back, and they never make any atempts to pay them. Also to work out plan to get more Occupation taxes from our citizens who don't own any property, and biggest mojority of them never pay their Occupation taxes despite the fact that these taxes amounts to $ 7.00 and $ 7.50 a year. After the lenghty discussion among the members from both bodies and their solicitors, following action was taken:

Occupt tax 1.) Moved by Mr. Goodwin, seconded by Mr. Wills, that special notices be printed and sent to all tax payers with 1940 statements, on Occupation and Per capital tax, warning them to pay their deliquent taxes, or be subject to 1939 Legislation Act, which describes: That any tax payer who fails to pay his or her Occupation and Per capital tax will be turned over to his or her employer, wages attached for collection of these taxes, also 1% to defray expenses for collection of such taxes. All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)

Real Estate tax 2.) - On the Real estate owned by several large land owners, perticulary Gilmors, Trevaskis, Samuel Brown Heirs, Loyalhanna Land Comp, East Pgh Improvement Land Comp, and several others who are holding land idle for speculating purposes, both solicitors Mr. Schmidt and Mr. McClure, to send them warning by letter to pay their deliquent taxes, and if they don't answer or pay their taxes, solicitors were instructed to take legal procedure and foreclose on all such property for deliquent taxes.

3.) Property taken over by Building and Loan Ass.

Mr. Goodwin brought to a light several cases where these Bldg-Loan Ass. took lot of property from individual owners who could'nt keep up with the payments on the mortgage, and after they took the property over, they kept collecting the rent from tenants, but never made any atempts to pay their taxes on such property.
after the interpertation from both solicitors concerning such cases, it was moved by Mr. Goodwin, seconded by Mr. Wills, that these Bldg-Loans to be notified to pay their taxes on such property, if they don't, secretaries from both Boards were instructed to notify these Bldg-Loan Ass, that upon their failure to pay these taxes, our local government will immediately start to collect rent from those tenants and apply it on deliquent taxes of such properties. All members voting yes. (Motion carried.) Bldg-Loans to be notified by secretaries about this dicision.
There being no further business Board adjourned 11.30 P.M.

M. V. Blagovich, Secretary

Wilkins Township, Pa
May-29-1940.

Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners held their special meeting on above date at No 1 Fire House Bldg, and members were present as follows: Vice chairman Mr. Rose, Mr. Augustine and Mr. Straley ~~and~~ — — — absent Mr. Riehl chairman, and Mr. Fedor Ayers.

Mr. Rose acting chairman called the meeting to order at 8 P.M. and he announced that purpose of this meeting was: To adopt Resolution authorizing Tuttle Creek Bank and Trust Comp. to transfer $7.500.00 from Sinking Fund #1 into General Fund, also that Board may consider any other matter pertaining to welfare of our Township.
After announcing purpose of this meeting, it was moved by Mr. Straley, seconded by Mr. Augustine, that following Resolution be adopted:
Whereas, Board of Commissioners received from Penna Water Company amount of $7.874.11 as reimbursment on $16.580.00 that Wilkins Township spent for construction of new water line in year 1928; and
Whereas, said amount of $7.874.11 was deposited in Sinking Fund No 1, to satisfy legal interpretation of our policitor Mr. Schmidt; and
Whereas, said amount appears to be accumulated surplus in said Sinking Fund #1; and as such, do not bring any interest or revenue to the Township; and
Whereas, Board of Commissioners need necessary funds to keep up W.P.A. Project on Twp Streets improvement, out of General Fund, where money are not avaiable at present time.
Therefore be it resolved: That Board of Commissioners of Wilkins Township, transfer $ 7.500.00 from said Sinking Fund #1 as accumulated surplus, to General Fund, thus saving tax payers interest on necessary amount if they would borrow money as an short term loan from the Bank, to run our government till new 1940 taxes start to come in.
Roll call on Resolution: Straley yes, - Augustine - yes, and Rose yes.
Three members present voting yes. (Motion carried. Secretary instructed to notify Bank, and issue warrent along this Resolution, present it to the Bank to be executed.

Secretary Blagovich brought to Board of Commissioners attention Duplicate copy of Bank deposit in favor of Wilkins Township sum of $7.874.11, which check Mr. Schmidt solicitor turned over to him from Penna Water Company as an settlement that was made on April 1-1940, upon demand by Township officials: Secretary Blagovich and Commissioner Mr. Straley after they took their office for reimbursment on money invested in new water line constructed in 1938, where our Township issued the Bonds in amount of $30.000.00 to take care of said water line.

Along with said check from Penna Water Co, also was attached statement which reads as follows:

April 1-1940 For Refund due to Wilkins Township:

On Pipe Line Extension agreement	# 1568 - -	$ 7.771.09
" " " " "	# 1569 - - -	1.701.74
Returns for service Instalation "	# 1568 - - -	434.15
" " " " "	# 1569 - -	317.20
	Total $	9.719.18

Less amounts due Water Comp:-

For 4th quarter ending Dec 31-1939	$	919.10
" 1st " " Mar 30-1940		925.97
Total due Company	$	1.845.07

Total due Wilkins Township April 1-1940 - # 7.874.11 which amount secretary deposited in Turtle Creek Bank and Trust Company this day in favor of Wilkins Township.

Water Company also turned over their bill for last quarter of 1939 and 1st quarter of 1940 marked Paid in full. # 1.845.07

Beside above mentioned cash amount of $9.719.18, Penna Water Company through this settlement withdraw their law suit which was entered in Court in 1938 for the interest on deliquent water bills prior to 1938, in amount of $1.100.00, and also deducted the interest on last two quarters of Water rentals.

Considering all amounts involved in this settlement, Wilkins Township was benefited by # 11.454.00, not counting expenses of Court if this case ever came up for trial.

There bieng no further business, it was moved by Mr. Straley, seconded by Mr. Augustine to adjourn this meeting. All present members voting yes. (Board adjourned.

M. A. Blagovich, Secy

Wilkins Twp. Pa June 3. 1940

Wilkins Twp. Board of Commissioners held their regular meeting on above date, at No 1 Fire House Bldg, and members were present as follows: Chairman Mr. Niehl, V. chairman Mr. Rose, members: Augustine, Straley. Mr. Ayers being absent at Roll call, but he came in later.

1.) Mr. Niehl called meeting to order at 8.15 P. M.

2.) Secretary read the minutes from regular meeting held May 6- and special meetings held May 27- 29. and they were seperatly approved as read.

3.) Citizens complaints:-

Chairman Mr. Niehl announced that he attended State Ass Convention were he was told that majority of Townships when they hold their meetings they always hear citizens complaints before they go into their regular order of business, and that in future we will try conduct our meeting same way. He called on citizens if any one has any complaints, or wishes to be heard, to do it now, after which time Commissioners are going to transact other business.

Mr. William Harper asked Commissioners, if they are allowed to make any donations? If they are, he like to ask them to donate certain amount to American Red Cross. Mr. Harper was told that we can't make any donations, and that we didn't appropriate anything for such purpose.

Mr. R. C. Chatlos complaint about ditches at Mortimore Ave, this matter was turned over to Road committee for investigation, also to be taken care of.

* Mr. J. W. Kelly and Mr. Hardie again complained about abandoned County Road passed their place, asking Commissioners to give them some consideration, and try to improved as much as they can afford it. Solicitor Mr. Schmidt again informed both gentemen, that there isn't anything that Commissioners legaley can do since road don't belong to the Township, because if they ever start, they would have to keep it up, therefore, untill State don't improve that road at least to passable conditions we can't except it, or we can't do any improvment since doesn't belong to the Township.

After lenghty discussion, it was moved by Mr. Rose seconded by Mr. Augustine, that secretary writes a letter to our local Legislators, explaining such bad existing conditions on said road, and urge him to give this matter immediate consideration over in Harrisburg. Also that Solicitor Mr. Schmidt writes letter to State Hy. Dept (All members voting yes. (Motion carried.)

Mr. Edw Cheney made the complaint about bad existing conditions on the street passed his place.
Mr. Morgan called Commissioners attention to hole out on Negley ave, Both of these complaints were turned over to road committee for investigation.
In connection with these complaints Mr. Straley asked solicitor Mr. Schmidt, what progress has being made about Pitt hole on road passed Mr. Geo Welsch's property where Township already spent 400.00 and again road caved in, Mr. Straley stated that solicitor Mr. Schmidt was instructed about 3 months ago, to consult Mr. Welsch as owner of property, and Leaser that took out coal from under that road, and to tell them to put that road in passable condition, and if they refuse, Township will file a suit in Court against them. Solicitor Mr. Schmidt informed Mr. Straley that he can't do anything with them, and if Board wishes, he can enter suit against them tomorrow.
Moved by Straley seconded by Rose, that we give both parties nother chance, and that solicitor Mr. Schmidt be instructed to again contact both parties, that is owner and Leaser to fix that road, and if they ignore this last chance, Board to take legal action. (All members voting yes. (Motion carried)
Mr. C. A. Blakley brought to Commissioners attention, that he has being getting lot of complaints about bad existing condition of ditch passed Mr. Tony Trotta's place, where water lays, and causes bad odor, which is nuisance to public health. Mr. Blakley thought, that there wasn't anything that could be done about it, since that road belongs to State Highway. Mr. Nicht called upon Mr. R. E. Chiatlos health officers, to find out what could be done to remedy bad existing condition that Mr. Blakley mentioned.
Mr. Ralph Shafer President of No 3 Fire Company, brought to Boards attention, that Fire Comp. No 3 likes to purchase new fire truck, and they like to know if Board of Commissioners would meet Fire Comp. No 3 to discuss this vital matter with more in details.
Moved by Mr. Rose seconded by Mr. Straley, that Board of Commissioners hold joint meeting with No 3 Fire Company at Franklin Fire house on June 6 for purpose of discussing purchase of new truck. All members voting Yes. (Motion carried).
Mr. B. H. Goodwin announced that Fire Comp No 1 - Booster Club and Italian Citizen Club, will hold joint celebration of St. Anthony at Linhart Ball field, that fire works will be held in the evening of same day that is on June 16, on Saturday,

that the organizations like to have Permit issued by Township Commissioners for this celebration on June 15.
Moved by Rose seconded by Straley that Permit be issued for fire works at Ball field Linhart. All members voting yes. Motion carried.

4.) Reading of the bills:
Secretary read the following current bills that accumulated during the month of May, and some prior to May:-
Salary of Twp officials 2nd quarter of 1940 - $631.50 - Robert Patterson $1.00 Duquesne Light Comp. $1.00 - McGrady-Rodgers $85.35 - McClintock-Welsch $10.30 - Nick Martinelli $3.80 - J R Weldin $7.70 - Allegheny County tax $1.03 Goldhammer Hdw $4.75 - Hartview Hdware $3.60 - Dr Tomlinson $3.25 J. J. Kassouf $148.00 - Hosack, Specht, Woods $75.00 - R. C. Bayne $303.00 - H. A. Shope $417.14 - James J. Watt $61.50 - Joseph W. Kelly $60.00 - Thomas Kirkpatrick $60.00 - B. H. Goodwin $76.60 - Roches Bros $778.74 T. C. Bank, $24.06 - Arlington Auto Wrecker $3.75 - Union Filling Station $5.10 Maggiore Auto Service $24.85 - Julius Straley $67.60 - C. C. Charles $16.00 Joe Bukovac $16.00 Herman Adams $45.00 - J. J. Kassouf $190.00 - Earl Dibler $16.70 - General Wrecking Comp. $19.00 - Peoples Natl Bank $1.00
Total amount of bills $7.639.45 - Salaries $631.50

5.) Communications:- TOTAL FOR month. $ 3.77095
Secretary read following communications:-
U. S. Dept of Commerce, Commonwealth of Penna, Dept of Int affair. Houston and Starr. President ordered this communications to be filed, and Secretary's action approved.

Secretary read the resignation from Police officer Mr. Charles Urich, stating: That he feels, that he is not capable of holding that position any longer. Mr. Urich resignation was excepted, and secretary instructed to write him letter of thanks for work he did, while he was officer.

Secretary read warrent that he sent to Mr. B. H. Goodwin along with tax duplicates for year 1940. Said warrent reads as follows:

May 20. 1940

Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners
Att of Mr. B. H. Goodwin Twp. Treasurer
Gentlemen:-
This to certify that the tax duplicates for the year 1940 have been delivered to Tax collector and Treasurer, Mr. B. H. Goodwin. The Valuation as set by the County Assesors is itemized and listed below, millage set at 11 even mills, or $1.10 per $100.00, on all real estate and Occupation ~~taxes~~ in the Township.

which is as follows:-
Real Estate owned by 931 persons, Valuation $1593.47 x 11 -- $11521.71 taxes
" " " " 43 corporat, " 371.75 x 11 -- 4.089.53 "
Total Real Estate Valution and taxes $ 1,965.00 x 11 = 21.615.24 "
Occupation:-
847 person with property Valuation $ 122.400 x 11 = $ 1346.40 "
1355 " " no property " 198.100 x 11 = 2.179.10 "
Total Occupation Valuation and taxes $ 320.500 x 11 = 3.525.50 "
Grand total:-
Valuation $ 2.285.522.00 x 11 mills, Total Duplicate
or money to be collected by Tax Collector $ 25.140.74
Respectfully submitted this 10th day of May 1940.
Michael V. Blagovich, Secy.

6.) Report from Committees:-
Mr. Augustine, Chairman of Road Committee, Progress on W.P.A. Project
Mr. Straley " " Police and Fire, Progress, Mr. Straley also made statement, that since Mr. Urick has resigned, as one of our Police officers, he thinks that is not necessary to appoint any one to fill his place, because always in the past Township got along with 2 Constables, without special Police officers and that we can get along same way now.
Mr. Riehl Chairman, announced that we received our new fire truck, and Underwriters of Allegheny County made the test, and they made the report that new truck passed their test very satisfactory, and that Board of Commissioners excepted it after their approval.

7. Mr. Ayers Chairman of Water and Light reported Progress.
Mr. Rose " " Finance and Claims " Progress.

Report from Convention delegates:-
Mr. Augustine as delegate made report, and he stated, that convention delegates went on record adopting Resolution by which they going to demand Home rule from next session of Legislature, because they feel, that that would be only solution to solve important matters by local Governments.
Mr. Augustine also submitted writen statement of expenses at last convention, which money was advanced to him at May regular meeting, and bill reads as follows:-
Received - - - - - - - $ 85.00

Expended:-
Jos Augustine 3 days $7.50 @ and carfare $23.00
Mike Riehl 3 " 7.50 @ " " 23.00
Edward Ayers 1 " 7.50 @ Banquet 2.50 10.50
Richard Rose 3 " 7.50 @ carfare 23.00
Total $ 79.50
Refund to Township 5.50
Respectfully submitted - J. F. Augustine.

1.) Report from Treasurer:-
Secretary read the Treasurer's Report which shows that during the month of May Mr. Goodwin received the taxes and other sources as follows:-

General Fund 1939 taxes - - -	$ 31V.44
Emerg. Sinking Fund, liened taxes 1931-to 1938	28.83
Mach and Truck Fund - M. Blagovich - R. Smith, Permits	50.50
Refund from School Board for paid bill	59
Total money collected in May	$ 39V.36

Secretary read the 2nd Mr. Goodwin's report, dealing with last year taxes which shows; That Mr. Goodwin collected 1939 taxes as follows:- Duplicates for 1939 with Penalties - $ 24.649.6V

Taxes collected - -	$ 17.498.75
" Liened - -	5.078.3V
Not liened due to Exonerat Separat	4V9.88
Occupation taxes exonerated by the Board	1.646.70
" " on Real Estate not paid by 1926	46.47
Total duplicate up to date accounted for	$ V4.649.6V

Secretary read the letter from Mr. Goodwin, along with other reports, asking the Board of Commissioners to furnish him with letter addressed to Nat. Surety Corp, as approval of settlement of all 1939 tax duplicates, so he can renew his Bond for 1940 tax duplicates.
Also he asked to be furnished with the copy of resolution and date, establishing the Depository for the Townships funds for the year 1940. Also copy and date of resolution approving the bonds furnished by the Depository to protect the deposit of the Townships funds.
Secretary promised to Mr. Goodwin, that he will have those copies of resolutions ready for him immediately.

8.) Report from Board of Health:
Secretary read the monthly report from Board of Health submitted by Mr. Robert Smith, Secretary.

9.) Report from Police:
Secretary read the report submitted by Mr. Charles Stiles Police officer.

10.) Report from Fire Chiefs:
No 1 Fire Comp. Mr. Korpas wished to know when new truck will be turned over to them.
No 3 Fire Comp. there was no report.

11.) Report from Mr. C. D. Blakley Justice of Peace:
Secretary read the Report submitted by Mr. Blakley which reads as follows:
Fines due to Wilkins Township from the following defendants:
Violation of Ordinance #84:

H. B. Fisher, Forest Hills, Pa	$5.00	
A. W. Newman, Verona, Pa.	5.00	
Thomas J. Palmer, Pgh, Pa.	1.00	
Mary Doe " "	1.00	$ 12.00

Cost due to Wilkins Township in all Commonwealth cases - - - - - $ 15.70

Damage to Wilkins Township Property from the following defendants:

Daniel Loundy, Turtle Creek,	$ 15.00	
Anthony Dinocenzo, Linhart, Pa	5.00	
David Abello " "	5.00	
David Milligan, Lamer Ave, Fort Linhart	5.00	$ 30.00

Grand Total due Township - - - $ 57.70

Signed:
Calvin D. Blakley, Justice of Peace.

12.) Auditors Report for 1939:
Secretary read the Auditors Report for year 1939, signed by all three Auditors, dealing with 1939 Audit of Township accounts, also they had several comments, on which they asked for explanation from Board of Commissioners, as to proper transaction made in last years business as well as to keep seperate account in the future of Township Payroll, so the Dept of Labor and Industry can easy check up on Premium of Compensation Insurance.

13.) New Business:-
Secretary informed the Commissioners, that he had consulted Mr. Roberts, Ins. Agent in connection with necessary Collision Ins. on new Fire truck, and Mr. Roberts promised to have policy issued and delivered without any delay, so could be forwarded to Ward La France Corp. according to agreement that we signed with them at the time truck was purchased. Mr. Roberts also recommended that our Twp should carry Public Liability Ins. to cover all accidents that may accure on our streets and side walks, and that premium on such insurance would'nt run more than $60.00 or $70.00 a year. After the secretary's explanation, and approval of solicitor Mr. Schmidt, who agreed with this plan 100%, it was moved by Mr. Straley seconded by Mr. Rose, that we carry such Liability Insurance. All members voting yes. Motion carried. And secretary to notify Mr. Roberts.

Moved by Augustine seconded by Ayers, that Twp. Depository T. C. Bank and Trust Co, be instructed to furnish Bond in amount of $75.000.00 to protect and safe guard Twp. deposit during the year 1940. All member voting yes. Motion carried. and Bank to be notified.

Moved by Mr. Straley, that on all bills in future, vote should be taken by Roll call, and each member votes aye and nay. No one wanted to second Mr. Straleys motion, and Chairman Mr. Niehl asked solicitor Mr. Schmidt, what he thought of Mr. Straley's motion. Mr. Schmidts answer was: That State Code don't specify such ruling.

Moved by Rose, seconded by Ayers, that all bills be paid when properly O.K. by committee, and when funds are available. Under the remarks Mr. Straley made the following statement:
Due to the a fact, that we hired Steam shovel from Roches Bros to work on Mc Master ave Project only one day for $50.00, and due to the a fact that shovel worked only 1 day and 7 hrs, and due to the a fact that Roches Bros demand now, 7 days work for shovel or $100.00.

and due to a fact, that Roches Bros was hired to work with steam shovel in Hosbach quarry to remove top soil of stones only for 3 days, tthan some of the commissioners authorize them to work 9 days and 2 hrs, but still we didnit get any wall stones from said quarry, and Roches Bros present the bill for $678.74 for quarry alone, and due to the a fact that all these transactions were done outside of our meetings, and there is no agreement of any kind, or anything in our minutes as matter of records dealing with tax payers hundreds of dollars, Therefore, I, as one of the Commissioners, disapprove action of rest of the members on the Board for paying these bills, and I exclude myself of any responsibility as to payment of these bills, as they are submitted for payment, I also disapprove action of rest of members of this Board for paying to J. J. Kassouf $148.00 for reviving the liens of taxes from prior years, since Mr. Kassouf admitted at the joint meeting with the School Board, that that was our solicitors duty, providing that he gets enough salary.

Since our solicitor Mr. Schmidt is getting $500.00 a year and since he only draw up couple of small agreements in last 6 months, which could it be drawn up by our secretary in no time, it is justified that he should look after these revivals, and not J. J. Kassouf, I also wish to, and hereby exclude myself from any responsibility paying this bill of $148.00 to J. J. Kassouf.

$75.00 I also exclude myself from any responsibility of paying to Hasack Specht and Woods for professional services rendered in connection with our Boards and State tax which job our secretary can handle without any trouble, for salary that he gets at present time, in above mentioned cases I feel, that tax payers money are spent and nothing accomplished, and this statement I insist to be recorded as future evidance of good faith, and best interest to the tax payers and property owners of Wilkins Township.

Moved by Mr. Rose, seconded by Mr. Straley that

we pay $650.00 to Ward LaFrance Truck Corp. as down payment on exceptance of truck according to a agreement with them. All members voting yes. Motion carried.

There being no further business, it was properly moved and seconded that we adjorn. All members voting yes. Motion carried and Board adjourned 11. P.M.

Financial Report for month of June:-

Gen. Fund-Receipts - - - Balance brought forw May 31st $ 8.018.34.
Over deposit - 27.00

Received during the June:.
From William Trasher Pothonotary retur check # 330.00
From B.H. Goodwin:.

Date	Warr No	Disbursments during the June:-	$
		Total receipts with Bal from May	
		Warrents paid out by preceeding motion as follows:.	
6-5.	426.	Robert Patterson, repairs on Twp. Truck	1.00
6-5	427.	Michael Nicht, Commissioners salary 2nd quarter	75.00
6-5	428	Richard Rose " " " "	75.00
6-5	429.	J. C. Augustine " " " "	75.00
6-5	430	Charles Straley " " " "	75.00
6-5	431	Edw Ayers " " " "	75.00
6-5	432	Michael V. Stagorich Secys. " " "	106.50
		" " " " Postage 6 months-	4.50
		" " " " Office supplies.	6.00
6-5	433.	James Watt 1939 Audit -	60.00
		" " Notary fee	1.00
6-5	434	Joseph W. Kelly 1939 Audit	60.00
6-5	435	Thomas Kirkpatrick	60.00
6-5	436	Theodor H. Schmidt, Solicitors salary 2quarter	125.00
6-5	437	B H. Goodwin comm on collected taxes April	59.03
6-5	438	Charles Urich Police officer salary 2nd quarter	20.00
			$ 618.53

Date	Check #		
		Amount forwarded	$ 618.53
6-5	439	Chas Giles, Police officer salary 2nd quarter	70.00
6-5	440	Robert Smith, Bldg Insp. Salary " "	11.25
		" " Secy Board of Health 2. quarter	18.75
		" " " " " " Postage 6 months	1.25
6-5	441	R. E. Chatlos, Health officer salary 2nd Quarter	25.00
6-5	442	H. A. Shope, Engineering services April and May	417.14
6-5	443	Julius Straley, Wages from May 25 to June 1-1940	67.60
6-5	444	A. R. Welding, Books for Secretary	7.70
6-5	445	Roches Bros for Steam Shovel 1½ day time Master 9 days Truck pump	769.14
6-5	446	Volunteer Fire Comp No 1 - Contribution for Charter	25.00
6-5	446	McGrady-Rodgers Comp. Sand for W.P.A.	23.40
6-5	448	McClintock-Welsch Lumber Material for W.P.A.	99.27
6-5	449	Duquesne Light Comp. Light for No 3 Fire —	
6-5	450	Bosdick, Specht and Wood, Profess. service - 1939 -	75.00
6-5	451	P.C. Bank & Trust Co. Interest on Part of Judebt. May	24.06
6-5	452	Joe Bukovac, wages for work on roads May 10-11-17-23	16.00
6-5	453	C.C. Charles " " " " " " " " "	16.00
6-5	454	Herman Adams " for Trucking service) W.P.A. 30 hrs x 1.50 -	45.00
6-5	455	Arlington Auto Wrecker, 15 washers 25¢ @	3.75
6-5	456	Union Filling Station, gas for Top truck May	5.10
6-5	457	Maggiore Auto Service, gas and Repairs Top Truck	24.85
6-5	458	Goldsammer Hdware Co, tools for W.P.A.	4.75
6-5	459	Ward LaFrance Truck Corp. Down payment on fire truck	650.00
6-5	460	Edw McNalaney, for checking water plugs 4 hrs	7.00
6-5	461	William Tomlinson Dr Treatments for Fireman Yates	13.75
6-5	462	J.J. Kassouf, preparing 296 liened Revivals	148.00
6-7	463	B.H. Goodwin, Postage for February	7.70
6-7	464	Nick Martinelli, Telephone calls W.P.A. Apr-May	3.80
6-15	465	McGrady-Rodgers Co. Sand-Dynamite	61.95
6-15	466	J.J. Kassouf, Reimbursement for Paid 1939 liens to Potter	190.00
6-15	467	B.H. Goodwin, Comm. on collected taxes in May	17.57
6-15	468	Peoples Nat Gas - Gas for No 1 - No 3 Fire houses	7.00
6-15	469	A. Park Dibler, Publishing 1940 Ordinance and Budget	26.70
6-15	470	General Wrecking Co. 2nd Hand Lumber for W.P.A.	19.50
6-17	471	Julius Straley, wages from May 31 - to June 16 - 1940 -	68.90
6-17	472	Ralph Viggiano " for work on Roads June 7-8-16 hrs.	8.00
		Total expenditures in June 1940 -	$ 3543.86

Total receipts with balance from May 31. $ 8574.44
Total disbursments during the June $ 2398.97

Balance brought forward in Gen. Fund June 30. 1940. $ 6175.47

Sinking Fund No 1.

Balance brought forw. May 31. 1940 - $ 1.610.79

Received during the June :-

Balance brought forward in Sink Fund #1 June 30. $ 1610.79

Emergency Sinking Fund #1.

Balance brought forward May 31. $ 6.058.80
Received during the June :- 855.63
Less. Bonds & Coupons Paid $ 3090.00
Balance June 30th 1940. $ 3814.43

Machinery and Truck Fund :-

Balance brought forward May 31. $ 867.03
Received during the June :- 0

(no disbursments in June)

Balance brought forward June 30. 1940. $ 867.03

Total cash available in all above funds June 30. 1940. $ 12467.72

Wilkins Twp Pa, June 6-1940.

Wilkins Township Board of Commissioners held joint special meeting with No 3 Fire Company at the Franklin Fire House Bldg, and members were present as follows: Chairman Mr. Nicht, Vice Chairman Mr. Rose Mr. Straley and Mr. Augustine. Absent Mr. Ayers.

Mr Shafer President of #3 Fire Co called the meeting to order at 8:00 PM and he announced that this meeting supposed to be regular Fire Co Meeting but since Board of Commissioners decided to meet Fire Company to nite we are ready to turn this joint Meeting over to them so they can proceed with it. He asked Mr Nicht to take Chair and proceed with meeting.

Mr Nicht took chair and proceeded with the meeting by calling on Mr Shafer to outlines the purpose of joint Meeting

Mr Shafer stated, that purpose of this Meeting was to ask Board of Commissioners if they would go along with #3 Fire Co to purchase New Fire Truck for them same as they did with #1 Fire Co. since Money was available, and that #3 Fire Co did not expect any more from the Board of Commissioners than they gave #1 Co.

Chairman Mr Nicht asked Members present at this meeting to express their opinion so we can come to some understanding with #3 Fire Co

Mr Augustine spoke the subject and he thought that the Board of Comm Cant go into purchasing of New Fire Truck because did not appropriate any thing in 1940 budget for such purchase but they may be able to do something in Next years budget

Mr Straley took the floor and he did not agree with Mr Augustine because Mr Augustine did not know himself how financially we stand he asked Chairman Nicht, to let the Secretary outline Financial standing of our Township, so we will have something to go by

Secretary read the financial report and he also outlined several appropriations that so far have never been touched yet, Amounting to close to $1000.00 and that Commissioners can easy purchase this, specially since we received almost $10000.00 from Penna Water Co.

After lengthy discussion it was moved by Mr Straley seconded by Mr Rose that we advertise for Bids for new Fire Truck, bids to be opened at special meeting July 8th 1940 at Franklin Fire House, and that Board of Commissioners give toward this Fire Truck, as much as they did to No 1 Company that is $1250.00

all Members Voting Yes. Motion Carried

There being no further business Board adjourned

Michael Blazowich
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Wilkins Twp Pa June 20th 1940

Wilkins Twp Board of Commissioners held their Special Meeting on above date at #1 Fire House and Members present as follows Chairman Mr Neibl, Mr Ross Augustine Straley and Ayers.

Chairman Mr Neibl Called the Meeting to Order at 8:00 PM and he announces that he called this meeting for the following reasons. First that We have in his possession Warrant that Secretary Blagovich issued to Rockes Bros. for $769.14 and signed it under protest, and as such, that Treasurer Mr Goodwin refused to sign it for fear that his Bonding Company will not Stand for such Check

Chairman Mr Neibl demanded explanation from the Secretary Secretary Blagovich made the following explanation

Do to the fact that this check involves $769.14 of tax payers money and that section of the State Code provides that any material or equipment that has to be used on Township streets in excess of $500.00 Board of Comm must advertise 2 weeks in local papers asking for Bids, and after getting such bids they must award bids to the lowest bidder

And do to the fact that all transactions in Connection with Rocky shovel was done outside of Township, not only this that the Commissioners, did not advertise and with such action they entirely ignored the State Code, but they also did this deal outside of Twp; and not at the Meeting whereby we don't have anything to show in our Minutes about this deal for $769.14 of tax payers money under such circumstances to protect myself from going to jail is signed said check under protest

Secretary also cited the Case of North Braddock School Board were just recently the Secretary and two members of the Board were indicted by Court for the same thing or not as bad, he also told Chairman Neibl that at last regular meeting held on June 3rd he told Commissioners that to protect himself he is going to sign check under protest

Mr Straley fully agrees with action that Secretary took especially when we dont have any Contract with Mr Hosbach. that Board of Commissioners would be sure that they will get at least some stone to cover some of the money that is involved in this Stone shovel

Mr Straley also stated that if he had anything to do with this check he would put two more protests on it

Second Charge- Chairman Neibl brought out to Copy of letter that Secretary sent to State planning Commission, and asked Secretary to read it Secy read it and then Chairman Neibl Neibl asked him who authorized him to write to State planning Commission this letter, and tell them that Wilkins Township did not have no money Secretary answered him that at this time he write the letter wilkins Twp didn't have no money because Board of Commissioners were ready and they passed the Motion to borrow $10000.00 from Turtle Creek Bank to run them Townships it is true that the Twp received almost $10000.00 from Penn Water Co but way after the letter was sent to Harrisburg and if wouldn't been for Secretary and Commissioner Straley this money never would Come to Twp

Third Charge - Chairman Neibl asked the secretary what he had on the Minutes about the money received from Penn. Water Co Secretary told him that he entered in the Minutes what history from beginning to the end

and that it Covers 4 pages & it. Whereby he Can't answered word for word, he asked Commissioners at regular Meeting May 6th if they would Secretary to read that & history & Water question and that they did not want them to be read it, they Coming back even, and demand Verbal history but if they wish minutes will be read at next Meeting

Upon explanation from Secretary on all above charges Chairman Reikle demanded resignation from the Secretary and in turn Secretary told him he will not resign unless he didn't have any charges against him that would justify his demand and also since Secretary that is all in state Code, by which Board of Comm. must govern themselves by but they are welcome to dismiss Secretary anytime they see fit

After the Secretary answers Chairman Mr Reikle entertains the Motion that Secretary Chair be declared Vacant. Moved by Mr Augustine who also made remark that he put Secretary on and that he is going to take him off that Secretary's Chair be declared Vacant, Motion was seconded by Mr Ayers

Roll Call on Motion Augustine yes Ayers yes Ross yes, Straley no - Reikle yes. 4 Voting yes and 1 Voting no Secretary was given Honorable Board & Commissioners. Chairman absent. Mr Schmidt Solicitor to act as Secretary

Mr Straley reported that due to Complaint which he received he appointed Mr Ceryanic as a Policeman until July 1st 1940. He sent Mr Ceryanic to justice of peace Berger to be sworn in, he further states that he spoke with Commissioners Augustine and Ross and received their approval of his having appointed Mr Ceryanic as a temporary Police Officer

Moved by Mr Augustine seconded by Mr Ayers that the appointment of Mr Ceryanic as acting Police Officer until regular Meeting on July 1st 1940 be approved. Motion was passed

Mr Straley asked the Solicitor relative to a charge of Rockey of $90.00 for the hire of Steam Shovel. The Solicitor answered that if the Commissioners hired the said Steam Shovel at $50.00 per day even though the shovel was actually operated only one & 1/2 days the Twp would be liable for the use of said Steam Shovel for the Rate of $50.00 for each day or part of day.

Mr Straley reported that a railing on Dorothy St steps should be erected as there is likelihood that some one may be injured

Mr Augustine spoke at length regarding status of Twp tractor. He reports that it will cost approx $600.00 to rebuild and that at the present time it is merely taking up space. as to present condition in Case one be sold as junk

Moved by Mr Ross seconded by Mr Augustine that the Secretary advertise the Tractor for sale thus Motion carried

Mr Augustine stated that Mr Kelley & Brown Apt had reported to him that Beaver on Ivy St was clogged up by stone and dirt and stated that person would be cleaned out

Mr Augustine also reports that it is desirable that Scraper be hired to level off roads there was much discussion relative to this and a suggestion was made that Scraper be hired by the day, said Scraper to be under direct supervision of Road Supervisor

Moved by Ross seconded by Straley to adjourn

End of Roll

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