

Brighton, Ill.
Aug. 1, 1966

The regular meeting of the Village Board was called to order by Mayor Ahlemeyer at 7P. M. in Village Hall.

Clerk called roll of trustees:

Present: Tuey, Wilson, Jones, Scheffel, Lucker, Hughes

Absent: None

Minutes of July 11 meeting were read. Jones made motion to accept.

Hughes seconded. Voice vote - carried.

Summary of B. F. Towse report of August 1, 1966:

General fund	\$10,840.15
Motor fuel tax fund	5,540.26
Bond and interest fund	6,769.57
Waterworks & Sewerage fund bond acc't	9,279.39
Waterworks & Sewerage fund bond reserves acc't	15,183.15
Waterworks & Sewerage fund construction acc't	10,425.66

Hughes made motion report be accepted and incorporated in minutes.

Tuey seconded. Voice vote - carried.

Water report given by H. C. Chase as follows:

Water customers billed - - - -

Metered customers	\$7,912.61
Tank sales	496.65
<i>Connection</i> Collection charges	22.00 ✓
Cost of water	1,062.56
Cost of power	168.67
Collection charges	Bank 76.24
	Ira Culp 37.94
	B&K Cafe 18.97

Hughes made motion to accept report and incorporate in minutes. Scheffel seconded. Voice vote - carried.

Chase reported receiving two bids on building -

Chism - \$5,604.05 King - \$5,963.00

Jones made motion to accept low bid. Lucker seconded.

Roll call vote - carried.

Chase advised that Water Company needs a new 3/4 T. Heavy-Duty truck
Wilson made motion to authorize Chase to draw up specifications and obtain bids. Hughes seconded. Voice vote - carried.

6 arrests were reported for July. Ron Aldridge is filling Adrian Smith's place while he is on vacation.

Atty. Bassett brought Board up-to-date on R&R Construction Co. suit. R&R are showing no interest in this.

The following bills were read by clerk:

Radi-Com Service	\$25.00
Illinois Power Co. - lighting	152.07
Adrian Smith -	338.50
Loretta Large - cleaning	4.00
Brighton Mun. Water & Sewer System - transfer	250.00
Geo. E. Kruse - mowing	18.00
Lampert Insurance Co. - Comp. fire engine	19.00
Lampert Insurance Co. - Police car ins.	255.00
Piasa Road Oil Co. - MFT	569.66
Brighton Mun. Water & Sewer System - refund	14.66
Luella Cravens - 3 mo. salary	125.00
Piasa Road Oil Co. - MFT	1472.63
Tom Thompson - Truck & Man - MFT	262.00
Danny Bates - labor - MFT	97.50
George Farmer - grader work	19.95

Wilson made motion bills be paid. Jones seconded.

Roll call vote - carried.

As a result of a Citizens Group attending the meeting, Lucker made motion to adopt a resolution concerning support to auditors and supervisor of Brighton Township, with recommendation that the Village of Brighton feels that the closing of the crossing involving recent fatalities would incur no hazard or undue burden on the crossing that will be maintained within the village limits of Brighton, and that the Village Board concurs with the Citizens Group in asking that consideration be given to the closing of the crossing. They seconded.

Voice vote - carried

Jones made motion a letter be written GM&O asking when they intend to comply with ICU order in improvement of warning equipment at crossing on Main Street. Scheffel seconded.

Voice vote - carried.

Jones made motion Board return \$14.66 credit from Illinois Bell which had been accepted in error. This to go to Water Company.

Roll call vote - carried.

Correspondence read by clerk.

MFT tax allotment - \$339.25 - Municipal tax remitted - \$815.64
Hughes made motion correspondence be accepted. Jones seconded.

Voice vote - carried.

Balance of street signs discussed. Any new signs needed, to be ordered and charged to General Fund.

Signs and tree limbs obstructing view at E. Center and Maple Sts. discussed. Hughes to mention to Laubscher.

Scheffel advised August 11 as completion date for oiling.

Wilson and Hughes offered help in carpenter work in construction of restrooms in village hall. Farmer has 2 plumbers who will donate time, and he is to organize work. Village Board going on record to pay up to \$500 besides connection fees which will be \$~~500~~²⁵⁰. Committee to work on figures.

Ahle Meyer will go to Springfield Aug. 2 to look at civil defense items.

Next meeting to be Tuesday, Sept. 6.

They made motion to adjourn. Lucker seconded.

Voice vote - carried.

Adjourned 9:55 P. M.

Luelle Craven
Village Clerk