

Brighton, Ill.

Jan. 5, 1953

The Brighton Village Board met on the above date at the Village Hall in regular session. The meeting was called to order by the Pres. Harold G. Bott with the following answering the roll call:

Geo. St.Cin...C. Rathgeb.....Fred Scheffel...Gene Bott
 ABSENT: Wm. Lucker Jr.

The minutes of the last regular meeting (Dec. 1, 1952) were read and approved as read upon a motion by St.Cin and a second by Scheffel.

The following Treasurers report was read and recorded:

General Fund.....	\$1,875.74
Motor Fuel Tax Fund.....	None
Brighton Municipal Water	50.00
Contingency Fund.....	1,968.64
Bond & Interest Fund.....	9,881.38
Construction Fund.....	10,166.20
Brighton Municipal Water Bill Account...	5,023.14

Bott moved and Rathgeb seconded the motion to approve report as read.
 Motion carried.

The following bills were read:

Illinois Power Co.....82.40 & 219....	84.59
Fred Ziegenbein.....	90.00
V. W. Schroeder.....	20.80
Brighton Telephone Co.....	3.21
Brighton Merc. Co.....	.92
Lester Gailter.....V. H.	2.25
Havelka Co. (147. & 125).....	272.00
Illinois Power Co.....Water Account...	23.67
H. C. Chase.....Reading Meters.....	61.20
H. C. Chase.....Installing Services....	435.98
James G. Murphy.....Services on Books..	15.00
Alton Water Co.....	138.60
A. A. Moehle...Postmaster....Cards.....	29.96
Glen Elmore....Burying dog.....	1.00
Wells Trucking Service....(Rock).....	36.45
Werts Trucking Service....Labor & Rock..	94.33
Ike Waller.....Labor.....	3.75

Scheffel moved and St.Cin seconded the motion to allow the bills and same be charged to proper accounts.

ROLL CALL VOTE: YEAS: St.Cin, Rathgeb, Scheffel, Bott.

NAYS: None

Bills ordered paid.

The Correspondence for the month was read.

Including a complain from Mrs. J. W. Long concerning side walk on North Street

Bott moved and Rathgeb seconded the motion to have side-walk repaired and Fred Scheffel to drain side walk.

Motion carried.

Bott moved and Rathgeb seconded the motion to ~~increase~~ allow the nite watchman, Fred Ziegenbein, \$35.00 per month increase for expenses of car etc., making a total of \$125.00 per month statting Jan. 1, 1953.

Roll Call Vote: YEAS: St.Cin, Rathgeb, Scheffel, Bott.

NAYS: NONE.

The Brighton Village Board met on the above date in regular session at the Village Hall. The meeting was called to order by Trustee Fred Scheffel acting as Mayor pro-tem in the absence of the Mayor, Harold G. Bott. The following answering the roll Call:

Geo. StCin.....Fred Scheffel.....Gene Bott....Wm. Lucker Jr.
ABSENT: C. Rathgeb, Pres. H. G. Bott, Treas. Harry Roady
Clerk. Paul L. Warner.

The Minutes of the last regular meeting (Jan. 5, 1953) were read and approved as read upon a motion by St.Cin and a second by Bott.

The following Treas. report was read:

General Fund Balance.....	\$ 1336.44
Motor Fuel Tax Fund.....	None.
Brighton Municipal Water Fund.....	20.00
Bond & Interest Fund.....	6902.63
Contingency Fund.....	1968.64
Construction Fund.....	10166.20
Brighton Municipal Water Bill Account..	5,774.80

Bott moved and St.Cin seconded the motion to approve report.
Motion Carried.

The following Bills were read:

Illinois Power Co...St.Ltx..	\$82.40	V.H.	\$1.30..	\$ 83.70-G
Conway Lumber Mill.....Lumber.....				11.52-G
<i>Virgil Cannon</i> (Coal).....				24.00-G v.h
Fred Ziegenbein.....				125.00 1/2 G
Illinois Power Co.....Pumping Station....				28.33-W
Alton Water Co.....Jan. Account.....				161.11-W
H. C. Chase...Reading & billing 313 meters..				62.60-W
H. C. Chase...Labor & Material for Install 2 S.				60.93-W

Bott moved and Lucker seconded the motion to allow the bills and charge same to proper accounts.

ROLL CALL VOTE: YEAS: Scheffel, StCin, Bott, Lucker. NAYS: None
Bills ordered paid.

The Audit Report No. 15 for the Motor Fuel Tax Funds from Jan. 1, 1951 to December 31, 1951 was presented to the Board for approval.

Bott moved and St.Cin seconded the motion to approve same.

ROLL CALL VOTE: YEAS: Scheffel, Bott, StCin, Lucker.
Nays: None

Bott moved and St.Cin seconded the motion to grant permission to the Brighton Picnic Association to use the Streets for their annual Picnic in June 1953.

Motion carried.

Harold Woof complaint concerning tile at his intersection of highway. The Village Board members were inform to have the names of their Judges and Clerks for the Village election on April 21, 1953.

Being no other business to come before the meeting Bott moved and St.Cin seconded the motion to adjourn.
Meeting adjourned.

Wm. Lucker Jr. Clerk Pro- Tem
By Paul L. Warner Clerk

The Brighton Village Board met on the above date in regular session at the Village Hall. The meeting was called to order by the President Harold G. Bott, with the following answering the roll call:

Geo. St.Cin
Cletus Rathgeb
Fred Scheffel
Gene Bott
Treas. Harry Roady & Clerk Paul L. Warner
ABSENT: Wm. Lucker Jr.

The minutes of the last regular meeting (Feb. 2, 1953) were read and approved as read upon a motion by Bott and a second by Rathgeb.

The following Treasurer's report was read by the Treas. Harry Roady:

General Fund Balance.....	\$1,342.22
Motor Fuel Tax Fund.....	None
Brighton Municipal Water Fund.....	"
Bond & Interest Fund.....	6,902.63
Contingency Fund.....	1,968.64
Construction Fund.....	10,166.20
Brighton Municipal Water Bill Acc't.....	3,420.90

St.Cin moved and Scheffel seconded the motion to approve Treas. report. Motion carried.

The following bills were read:

Illinois Power Co...(V.H...\$127 & St.\$82.40)...	\$	83.67-G
The Business Supply Co...(Election Supplies)...		4.76-G
Fred Ziegenbein....(V.H.-\$6.00..Dog-\$2.00-\$125.)		133.00-G
Werts Truck Service(V.Hall\$17.36-Street \$10.00)		27.36-G v.h.
3-M Firemen's Assh. Dues....1953.....		5.00-G F.D.
Botts Garage (Intra Comm. set & Lanterns.\$11.58)		47.38-G F.D.
Water Works:		
Illinois Power Co.....		26.37
Alton Water Co.....		127.59
James Buford...(Repairing Jail).....		40.00

Bott moved and Rathgeb seconded the motion to allow the bills and charge same to proper accounts.

Roll Call Vote:

YEAS: St.Cin, Rathgeb, Scheffel & Bott.

Bills ordered paid and charged to proper accounts.

The Insurance on the Village Hall was tabled to next meeting and also secure cost of Libelity Ins. on the Fire Engine Truck.

Water Works Report:

Final Estimate requested soas to complete same before May 1, 1953. Chase reported that new switches had been installed in the pumping station and same were working O.K. A meter Service at the Byrd residence should be reset as it was put in the wrong place.

The Public Housing program was discussed and tabled to next meeting.

The 1953 Annual Appropriation for Motor Fuel Funds was brought before the Board together with the improvement of the new road coming into Brighton by the G. M. & O. R.R. Tower. Same was referred to the Street & ally Committee to look into.

St.Cin moved and Bott seconded the motion to have dirt between the sidewalk and the Village Hall removed and 3/8" rock placed around the Village Hall.

Roll Call Vote: YEAS: St.Cin, Rathgeb, Scheffel, Bott.
NAYS: None.

Motion carried.

The following names were submitted for the Election Board April 21, 1953

St.Cin.....Lucille	St.Cin	F. Scheffel....	Elizabeth Ziegenbe
C. Rathgeb.	Mildred Woof	G. Bott.....	
Harold Bott.		Wm. Lucker Jr..	

Same were not approved as list was not complete.

The following delinquent List of Vehicle Tax Licenses was read by the Clerk

Robert McAfee
 Claude McAfee
 Norman Eddington
 Arnold Meeden
 John Long

Same was referred to the Village Attorney to procede to collect same.

The side-walk condition of the Village was presented to the board and when weather conditions permitts work on same will be taken up.

Being no other business to come before the meeting, Scheffel moved and St.Cin seconded the motion to adjourn.

Meeting adjourned.

Paul P. Warner

Village Clerk

Baron Fisher
Charlotte Roody
Lucille Montague

The Brighton Village Board met on the above date in regular session at the Village Hall. The meeting was called to order by the President Harold G. Bott with the following answering the roll call:

Fred Scheffel	Geo. St.Cin
Gene Bott	Cletus Rathgeb
Wm. Lucker Jr.	

ABSENT: None.

The minutes of the last regular meeting (Mar. 2, 1953) were read by the Clerk and Bott moved and Scheffel seconded the motion to approve same. Motion carried.

The Treas. Harry Roady gave the following report:

General Fund Balance.....	\$	1,367.75
M. F. Tax Fund.....		None
Brighton Municipal Water Fund.....		20.00
Bond and Interest Account.....		6,902.63
Contingency Fund.....		1,928.64
Brighton Municipal Water Bill Account,....		4,411.44
Construction Fund (Alton).....		10,166.20

Lucker moved and Rathgeb seconded the motion to accept report as read. Motion carried.

The following Bills were read:

Lampert Insurance Agency (V.Hall Ins.)...\$	184.50-V.H.
Pilchers Service Station (Gas.Fire Dept).	8.66-F.D.
Truman Schnieder (Village Dump).....	5.00-G.
Brighton Merc. (Fire Dept.).....	.66-F.D.
Wells Truck Service (Rock for Geogene Ac)	96.98-G.
H. A. Grabbe Const. Co. (Pipe for Butts).	28.80-G.
Illinois Power Co.....(Sheet Lights)..	82.40-G.
Fred Ziegenbein (Salary).....	125.00-G.
Brighton News (Police Tickets).....	6.00-G.
Water Account: Harry Hartman, Recorder (Rightaway)	10.00-Cont.
Alton Water Co.....	138.45-W.B.
Brighton News (Printing Water Tickets)....	24.50-W.B.
A. A. Moehle (Postal Cards).....	100.00-W.B.
H. C. Chase (Meter Connection & Install.)	47.82-W.B.
H. C. Chase (Reading & bill.Feb. & Mar.)	125.00-W.B.
Illinois Power Co.....(Pump Station)....	21.43-W.B.
(Fire Hydrant rental bill tabled \$1316.25)	

St.Cin moved and Bott seconded the motion to allow the bills and charge same to proper accounts.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

YEAS: Scheffel, Bott, Lucker, St.Cin & Rathgeb.
NAYS: None.

Bills ordered paid.

The H. A. Grabbe Construction Co. bill for the Fosterburg Road Main in the amount of \$1,761.70 was read and Bott moved and St.Cin seconded the motion to allow same, same to be paid out of the Contingency Fund.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

YEAS: Scheffel, Bott, Lucker, St.Cin & Rathgeb.
NAYS: None.

Bill ordered paid.

The Final Estimate of the H. A. Grabbe Construction Co. in the amount of \$12,568.94 was presented and a discussion was held on same on a number of items including Location of a meter on the Godfrey Road and the number of flushing hydrants.

St. Cin moved and Rathgeb seconded the motion to allow the bill subject to the above items, The Auditors recommendations on transfere and the R. F. C. approval.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

YEAS: Scheffel, Bott, Lucker, St. Cin & Rathgeb.

NAYS: None

Motion carried.

The Final account of the Abraham Engineering Co. in the amount of \$1195.86 was presented and a summary of others payments was called for, which was presented. Bott moved and Lucker seconded the motion to allow bill. subject to

ROLL CALL VOTE:

R. F. C. approval.

Yeas: Scheffel, Bott, Lucker, St. Cin & Rathgeb.

NAYS: NONE

Bill ordered paid.

Bott moved and St. Cin seconded the motion to grant permission to have H. C. Chase to have Water Contract Agreements for renters and property owners printed.

Motion Carried.

A REPORT WAS GIVEN CONCERNING THE IMPROVEMENTS ON NORTH MARKET STREET. RESOLUTION NO. 6-52 DESIGNATING OF ARTERIAL STREETS UNDER THE MOTOR FUEL TAX LAW--was presented Designating 'NORTH MARKET STREET' from Center Street to the North Village Limits as Arterial Street No. 14 and as an ARTERIAL Street.

Bott moved and Rathgeb seconded the motion to adopt said Resolution.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

YEAS: Scheffel, Bott, Lucker, St. Cin & Rathgeb.

NAYS: NONE

Motion carried.

Bott moved and Lucker seconded the motion to approve the following list as Judges & Clerks at the Village Annual Election on April 21, 1953 at the Village Hall. Motion Carried and same approved.

JUDGES

CLERKS

Lucille St. Cin
Mildred Woof
Elizabeth Ziegenbein

Helen Ash
Charlotte Roady
Lucille Montague

The matter of securing Gates for the Main R. R. crossing in Brighton was referred to the Village Attorney.

The Village Board's attention was called to the need of 'SLOW & STOP' Signs at a number of points, this matter was referred to the Street and Alley Committee for further recommendations.

Being no other business to come before the meeting Bott moved and Scheffel seconded the motion to adjourn. Meeting adjourned.

Paul P. Warner Clerk.

The Brighton Village Board met on the above date at a called meeting to act upon a number of matters that needed immediate attention. The meetin was called to order by the President Harold G. Bott with the following answering the roll:

Bott, Scheffel, Rathgeb And St.Cin.
Clerk Warner and Treas. Harry Roady.

ABSENT: Wm. Lucker Jr.

RESOLUTION NO. #7-52 was read setting forth the following transfers \$992.88 from Bond and Interest Fund to Contingency. (1949 Acc. Int.) \$261.01 from Water Bill account to Contingency fund to replace funds used to pay water-bills, printing etc.

Bott moved and Scheffel seconded the motion to approve same.

YEAS...
ROLL CALL VOTE: Bott, Scheffel, Rathgeb & St.Cin.
NAYS... None.

Carried.

A report from the Street & Alley Committee, Scheffel Ch. , on the improvements of N. Market Street as a result of the meeting with the County Road and Bridge Committee and Johnson. It was agreed to contact Sheppard to have him consider a survey of the project.

The Estimate for the M. F. Tax Program for the 1953 work was presented in the amount of \$4645.00 was approve by a motion by Scheffel and a second by Bott.

The Appropriation for the M. F. T. Program for the 1953 year was present in the amount of \$4500.00. Scheffel moved and Rathgeb seconded the motion to approve same. Motion carried.

It was agreed that the next meeting would be April 23 rd. to canvass the votes and finish up the years business.

Being no other business to come before the meeting, Scheffel moved and St.Cin seconded the motion to adjourn. Meeting adjourned.

Paul L. Warner Clerk.

The Brighton Village Board met on the above date at a called meeting to Canvass the votes of the Village Election and to pay bills for same and salaries, finishing the years business.
The meeting was called to order by the Pres. Harold G. Bott with the following answering the roll call:

Geo. St.Cin, Cletus Rathgeb, Fred Scheffel
ABSENT: Wm. Lucker Jr.

The President appointed the following committee to canvass the Votes:
Eugene Bott, Fred Scheffel and Cletus Rathgeb.

The following report was submitted by the Canvass committee each candidate receiving the number of votes opposite his name:

<u>PEOPLES PARTY</u>		<u>CONSOLIDATED PARTY</u>	
Harold G. Bott...Pres.....	285	Wm. Bates.....Pres....	61
Gordon Lampert...Clerk.....	289	Elden Bott....Clerk...62	
Geo. St.Cin.....Trustee.....	255	Victor WaldenTrustee.59	
Albert Oertel....Trustee.....	284	Otto Woods....Trustee.56	
Malcolm Anders...Trustee.....	242	George McNear.Trustee.44	
<u>PROGRESSIVE PARTY</u>		<u>CITIZENS PARTY</u>	
Raymond Heidemann..Pres.....	112	Frank T. Carr.Trustee.26	
Esther Jones.....Clerk.....	92		
Raymond Schoeberle.Trustee...163			
Melvin Ebblor.....Trustee...169			
Elmer Bott.....Trustee...89			

Bott moved and Scheffel seconded the motion to approve report of canvass Committee and declare the following elected to their respective offices, they having received the majority of votes:

Harold G. BottPresident...
Gordon Lampert.....Clerk
Geo. St.Cin.....Trustee
Albert Oertel.....Trustee
Malcolm Anders.....Trustee.

Motion carried and same duly elected to their offices for a term of 4 Yrs.

The following bills for the last of the year and the election were read:

Norman Eddington....Culvert.....	\$	6.50
Gazette News...(Bunker Hill..Elect)		46.70
Elizabeth Ziegenbein..Election Judge		5.00
Mildred Wooff.....	" "	5.00
Lucille St.Cin.....	" "	5.00
Charlottee Roady.....	" Clerk.	5.00
Helen Ash.....	" "	5.00
Lucille Montague.....	" "	5.00
Harold Bott.....1953 Salary.....		80.00
Geo. St.Cin.....	" "	32.00
Cletus Rathgeb	" "	26.00
Fred Scheffel	" "	34.00
Eugene Bott.....	" "	34.00
Wm. Lucker Jr.....	" "	22.00
Hemphill & Kelsey..	" "	100.00
Paul L. Warner	" "	(EX.16.95)186.45
Glen Elmore Fire Engineer.....		50.00
Havelka Co.....(Oil).....		50.00
H. C. Chase (Installing 270 Meters).		270.00

Scheffel moved and Rathgeb seconded the motion to allow the bills and charge to proper accounts.

Roll Call Vote: YEAS: St.Cin, Rathgeb, Bott, & Scheffel
NAYS: NONE

Bills ordered paid.

The Village Clerk reported the following delinquent Vehicle License:

Norman Eddington
Claude McAfee
Aronld Meeden

St.Cin moved and Scheffel seconded the motion to retain Richard Scheffel to Audit the Village Books for the past year.

Scheffel moved and Rathgeb seconded the motion to advertise for bids on 100 tons of 3/4" rock for the year 1953.
Motion carried.

Being no other business to come before the meeting St.Cin moved and Rathgeb seconded the motion to adjourn.
Meeting adjourned.

Paul P. Warner Clerk.

The Brighton Village Board met on the above date in regular session at the Village Hall. The meeting was called to order by the President Harold G. Bott, with the following answering the roll call:

Geo. St Cin, Cletus Rathgeb, Eugene Bott, Fred Scheffel
Wm. Lucker Jr., Treas. Harry Roady, & Clerk Paul L. Warner.

The minutes of the last meeting (April, 1953) and called meetings of April 16, 1953 and April 23, 1953 were read and approved as read upon a motion by Bott and seconded by St Cin.

The Treasurer gave the following report:

General Fund Balance -----	\$ 265.60
M.F. Tax Fund -----	None
Brighton Municipal Water Fund -----	20.00
Bond & Interest Fund-----	3771.98
Contingency Fund-----	2402.77
Brighton Municipal Water Bill Fund-----	4981.24
Construction Fund (Alton)-----	\$10166.20

Scheffel moved Bott seconded the motion to accept report as read. Motion carried.

The reelected president Harold Bott and the newly elected Clerk Gordon Lampert and Trustees Albert Oertel and Malcolm Anders received their oaths of office and were sworn in by the Village Clerk.

The old Trustees, Cletus Rathgeb and Clerk Paul L. Warner retired giving their seats to the newly elected officers.

Paul Warner the retiring Clerk thanked the Board for the cooperation he has received the past four years. Bott moved St Cin seconded the motion to give Warner a standing vote of thanks for his work as Clerk the past four years.

ROLL CALL OF VOTE

YEAS: Standing- Bott, Oertel, Lucker, Scheffel,
St Cin, Anders.

NAYS-None

The following bills were read:

Fred Ziegenbein-----	\$ 125.00
Brighton Telephone Co.-----	8.04
Geo. B. Barnard Co.-----	50.25
Illinois Power Co.-----	82.40
Harry Roady (Treas. Salary)-----	140.30
Alfred Watson (Labor on Streets)-----	3.00
Fred Ziegenbein (Erection Elec. Booths)-----	3.25
Walter Long (Janitor Service)-----	5.25
Dan Blodget (Cleaning dumping grounds)-----	15.00
Harold Chase (Reading meters)-----	62.20
Harold Chase (Meter connections)-----	151.64
Alton Water Co.-----	142.12
Illinois Power Co.-----	19.24

Bott moved Scheffel seconded the motion to allow the bills and charge same to proper accounts.

ROLL CALL VOTE

YEAS- Bott, Oertel, Lucker, Scheffel, St Cin, Anders
NAYS- None

Bills ordered paid and charge to proper accounts.

The following appointments were read for the year of 1953

Attorney-----	Hemphill & Kelsey
Village Marshall-----	Fred Ziegenbein
Treasurer-----	Harry Roady
Fire Engineer-----	Glen Elmore
Ass't. Fire Chief-----	V.W. Schroeder
Board of Health-----	Dr. F.N. Orr Rollie Lee George Kruse
Finance Committee-----	Eugene Bott Fred Scheffel Wm. Lucker Jr.
Village Hall Manager-----	Geo. St Cin
Street & Alley Committee-----	Fred Scheffel Albert Oertel Malcom Anders
Building & Alterations Committee-----	Albert Oertel Geo. St Cin Wm. Lucker Jr.
Liquor Committee-----	Eugene Bott Geo. St Cin Malcom Anders
Supt. of Water Plant-----	Harold Chase

Lucker moved Bott seconded the motion to approve same.

ROLL CALL VOTE

YEAS: Bott, Oertel, Lucker, Scheffel, St Cin, Anders
NAYS: None

Correspondence was received and read from Evelyn Cardinal thanking the Board in behalf of the Civic League for the use of the Village Hall as a public library.

Correspondence was also received and read from the Division of Highways, notifying the Board of the change of address of Mr. William M. Dutelle, Engineer of Local roads & streets.

The application for liquor license and bond of Victor A. Oltman was read.

Bott moved St Cin seconded the motion to issue a liquor license to Victor A. Oltman

ROLL CALL VOTE:

YEAS: Bott, Oertel, Lucker, Scheffel, St Cin, Anders
NAYS: None

The application for liquor license and bond of Joseph Marino was read

Bott moved Scheffel seconded the motion to issue a liquor license to Joseph Marino.

ROLL CALL VOTE

YEAS: Bott, Oertel, Lucker, Scheffel, St Cin, Anders
NAYS: None

A resolution was read whereas the Village of Brighton would install, operate, and maintain a two inch water pipe line under State Route 117 at Station 661/70, Jersey County, Ill.; Also read was a permit to install such water line from the Division of Highways.

Bott moved Anders seconded motion to table resolution and permit, for action at a later date.

ROLL CALL VOTE

YEAS: Bott, Certel, Lucker, Scheffel, St Cin, Anders

NAYS: None

Being no other business to come before the meeting, Scheffel moved Lucker seconded the motion to Adjourn.
Meeting adjourned.

Lowdon Sampert Clerk.