

May 5, 1959

All Commissioners and their attorney were present at today's regular session.

Mr. Robert King, Supt of Bd. of Education came in about the State School Budget and asked that the present salary of teachers be maintained and talked about a pavement at Carver Hts school- Also requested A-J, due since Nov 1957

Group from the 8th Dist. came in about the Fire Tax which is collectable for 59- J.B.Caldwell, Pres., J A King, VP, T R McKee, Treas and Geo Gillott, sec of the Lex. Park Vol. Fire Dept Incorporated. Mr. Lipski will meet with this group and set up the Fire Tax, the LPVFD must submit a budget and itemize all expenses-Laws of Md. 1957 Estimated these collections will be highest by Dec The LVFD must secure a bond for \$10,000.00

8th D group submitted a bill from Barker Sign Co for labor and material in construction and erection of street signs in Lex. Pk. Paid by Voucher #15740-\$400.00

Mr. Lipski came with the 1959 Tax Bills all ready to be mailed.

SRC- Check for \$2,500.00 CFG #6394- May 5-59 for work on Sanitary Fills delvd to JDBond
" " 1,000.00 CGF #6393 Apr 31 was given for this work

Balance in Tall Timbers Special Erosion Relief acct \$4,784.09

Mark Pratt- Dept. Shrf requested permission to bid on wharf at St Geo Isl-will be notified when Bids are requested.

Mrs. Madeline Carroll Miles, Hollywood came in about public having used father's land for dumping trash etc., wants to be paid for use of land prior to May 1, and wants \$100 per yr for use of 10Acre tract- Mr. Bond will inspect the land and if it can be used, Mr. Sterling will prepare contract -Cullens lot*

Wm. M Loker, Jr., Atty came to request that Marva Pt. sub-div road be inspected by Mr. Bond and also requested if approved that County agree to accept same for maintenance. Mr. Bond will make the necessary inspection and test and report next meeting

Mr. Bond will advise Commissioners the cost of calcium 1 mi.

7D- Bushwood wharf needs repairs- SRC will have man inspect wharf and advise what is necessary to repair same. Also signs to be ordered to place on all public landings- "PUBLIC LANDINGS USE AT OWN RISK" 16 signs ordered from State Use Industri

Mr. Lipski will be in the latter part of June. He agrees that separate accounts should be maintained for State School Loans- SRC Loans- Mosquito Control- Tall Timbers In 1959 collections for Tall Timbers taxes for ERP have amounted to \$10,510.47 but have not been transferrad by Treas to Commissioners-as required by law. Hereafter Mr. Donaldson will advise Coms every 60 days as to amount of these ERP taxes collected

Board adjourned at 4³⁰ pm approved

Leonard S. Olvey
president.

R E S O L U T I O N

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Under and by virtue of the provisions of Chap. 32 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland (Special Session 1947), as amended, authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of St. Mary's County, Maryland, to designate by resolution the type of coin operated machines subject to the Gross Receipt Tax and License Fee as therein set forth.

BE IT RESOLVED by the County Commissioners of St. Mary's County, Maryland, in regular meeting assembled, that the following coin operated machines displaying a metal tag or other tag, obtained under and subject to the conditions hereinafter set forth, shall be legal and lawful in St. Mary's County:-

All coin operated machines known as Shuffle Board, bowling alley, pool table and similar devices, whether discharging coins or not, shall be subject to a Gross Receipt Tax of Ten Per Centum (10%) to be collected by the Comptroller of the State of Maryland, under the provisions of Chapter 601, Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, Session of 1947; and in addition to said Gross Receipt Tax said machines shall each be subject to an annual license fee of Twenty Five (\$25.00) Dollars; said license to be issued by the Clerk of the Circuit Court for St. Mary's County, Maryland, after the following conditions have been met by the applicant for licenses and approved by the said County Commissioners.

1. Every applicant for a license shall first satisfy the Board that he is a bona fide resident of the County; ownership of a real estate for more than two years or registration as a voter in St. Mary's County shall be conclusive evidence of residence.
2. Before any license shall be issued the applicant shall apply under oath to said board of County Commissioners in writing, on a form to be supplied by said Board, stating his or her name, and address, date of registration as a voter, and location and description of real estate owned, the number of machines to be licensed, the description and kind of machine, with the serial number of each of said machines, and location at which machine is to be operated.
3. The applicant shall further state under oath that no person, firm or corporation, not a resident of St. Mary's County, will share either directly or indirectly, in the proceeds or profits of any machine or machines so designated and licensed.
4. Before any license is issued the applicant shall agree with said Board in the application as follows:- that he will report monthly to said Board the amount of gross receipt tax paid to the State Comptroller under the provisions of this Resolution, that he will not willfully or knowingly allow children under the age of 16 years to play any of said machines, and that no unlicensed machines will be kept on the premises, and that for violation of any of the above covenants the Board may revoke or suspend the license and retain the license fee paid.
5. The application for said license shall be signed, and sworn to by the

owner of the machine and the proprietor of the premises where said machine or machines are to be located and operated.

6. When the Board is satisfied that said conditions have been met, a certificate will be issued to the Clerk of the Circuit Court, authorizing the issuance of said license.

7. The license so issued shall run from May 1st to the May 1st next, at an annual fee of Twenty Five (\$25.00) Dollars per machine.

8. The Clerk of the Circuit Court is hereby authorized, after the approval of said Board, upon payment of the fee as aforesaid, to issue said license subject to the conditions herein imposed and issue a tag, to be displayed on each machine, with words printed or engraved thereon "LICENSED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. MARY'S COUNTY, EXPIRES MAY 1, 1960" or other appropriate year.

9. It is understood that all provisions of this Resolution relative to collection of Gross Receipt Tax of ten per centum (10%) shall not apply to the town of Leonardtown, Maryland.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the County Commissioners of St. Mary's County, Maryland, that this Resolution repeals the Resolution passed by the County Commissioners of St. Mary's County, Maryland, at its regular meeting on April 26, 1955, pertaining to certain coin operated machines, but this Resolution is supplementary to and does not affect the Resolution passed by the County Commissioners of St. Mary's County, Maryland, at its regular meetings held on December 16, 1947 and May 7, 1957, pertaining to coin operated machines.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall take effect as of May 1, 1959.

DATED: April 28, 1959

Leonard S. Alvey
Leonard S. Alvey, Chairman

C. Byron Guy
C. Byron Guy, Member

John M. Hodges
John M. Hodges, Member

ATTEST:

Sara M. King
Sara M. King, Clerk