

April 13, 1965

Present: All commissioners, Mr. W. S. Donaldson.

#### Youth Commission

Mrs. V. Ripple, Father Wilkinson, Mr. B. Johnson, reported possible misunderstanding about the budget, and that they are in favor of a fulltime youth coordinator. This is why they are asking \$6500 plus \$1,000 expenses, and \$1200 for a secretary. The latter would act as secretary to the youth coordinator and the Youth Commission.

Presented resume of duties of a fulltime youth coordinator and reviewed same with commissioners. There is a need for more supervision at the playgrounds and this where a fulltime man would be spending a great deal of his time. Mr. Al Barthelme would be the person employed in this position, as it is the committee's feeling that he is the best person for this job. Father Wilkinson said he is offering the basement of the old St. Joseph's School for the office of the youth coordinator, but the commissioners will have to have a telephone installed.

The commissioners approved hiring a fulltime youth coordinator on the condition of a fulltime program, and a letter will be sent to the Youth Commission to this effect.

#### St. Mary's River Watershed

Mr. John Hall, representing the Soil Conservation Agency, requested that the commissioners make official their willingness to co-sponsor this program, by inserting same in the minutes, then the application can be sent in. There are no figures available at present as to what this would cost. Mr. Hall explained that if the flood control is not enough, the federal government will take on the cost of building all the structures and the county would have to obtain the easements. Until the work plan is drawn up there is no cost to the local people.

A survey party will come down and talk with the commissioners, and if recreation water is desired this will be included. It would be programmed first as flood control and this must be justified or the government will not go through with it. If the flood control falls through, the county can go ahead at their own expense. The dam is designed to have a 20 acre pool for flood control. If it is made larger for recreation, the cost would be divided between the county and the government, provided the county chooses to put this in the project. If recreation is included, then the county has to buy a strip of land around the area. Mr. Hall said the only restriction he would know of that might possibly be on this project would be that it must be open to the public. The strip of land can be bought outright, or easements can be obtained. This will be discussed with Mr. Guyther.

#### Roads

Mr. Thom Hall. Reported it would cost \$1,000 to surface treat and correct drainage on the Frank Brown Road, one tenth of a mile long. Mr. Burch will speak with Mr. Gabrelcik about the Shangri La Drive extension. Mr. Hall said about \$6,000 would take care of the rest of the skin patching, approximately ten days.



Graveling, grading and draining for county road #172, off St. John to Sandy Bottom, would cost \$14,000.

Reviewed letter from the Beavin Co. re Golden Beach Road. Total cost for engineering services would be \$22,600. The commissioners agreed that Phase I on the Golden Beach Road should be started, and letter to this effect will be sent to Beavins Co., with copies to Mr. Hall and Mr. Thompson.

Candy and Cigarette Machines

The commissioners agreed to placement of said machines in the courthouse.

(Mr. Guyther came in at this point.)

Health Department re Trailer Parks

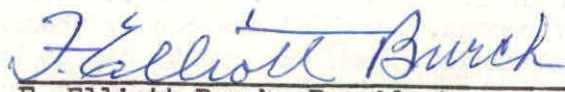
Mr. W. Miles said he has been requested by Dr. Houser to speak with the commissioners about trailer parks, as they have had many requests for new parks. Mentioned one by Mr. Mokry in Mechanicsville, and another by a Mr. Taylor on the St. Andrews Church Road. Also one from Mr. Puchetti at the Oakwood Lodge, and another from a party in the Loveville area.

It is the feeling of the Health Department that any trailer park with more than ten trailers should not be developed with septic tanks for sewage, but with sewage treatment plants or in locations where public sewage is available. The state Health Department has asked for an opinion from the county Health Department concerning the park requested by Mr. Mokry. The Health Department feels this should be done with a sewage treatment plant as there is no technical reason to say that this would create a health menace.

The county Health Department is asking for opinions on all these proposed trailer locations, and are asking if the commissioners want an opinion based on the sewage basis or for the good of they county. General discussion followed, and Mr. Miles will notify the Health Department to try to discourage the establishing of trailer parks in the county until such time as the planning study is completed.

Meeting adjourned.

Approved,

  
 F. Elliott Burch, President