

A regular meeting of the Board of Representatives of the City of Stamford, Conn. was held on Monday, December 3, 1956 in the Cafeteria of the Walter Dolan Jr. High School, Toms Road, Glenbrook. The meeting was called to order by the President, Mr. George V. Connors, at 8:30 P.M.

INVOCATION was given by Rev. Russell M. McGown, Pastor, First Congregational Church.

ROLL CALL was taken by the Clerk. There were 34 present and 6 absent. The absent members were: Mary Bankowski, Salvatore Giuliani, Joseph Iacovo, William Murphy, Edward Czupka and Helen Peatt.

ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES - Meeting of November 7, 1956.

MR. BAKER MOVED for acceptance of the Minutes. Seconded by Mr. Huizinga and CARRIED unanimously.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Steering Committee:

Mr. Connors, Chairman, presented the following report of his committee:

STEERING COMMITTEE REPORT Meeting held November 19, 1956

The Steering Committee of the Board of Representatives met in the Mayor's office, City Hall, at 8:10 P.M. on Monday, November 19, 1956. The following members were present: George V. Connors, Chairman; Alanson Fredericks, John Macrides, Stephen Kelly, Clement Raiteri, Jr., William C. Kaminski, Norton Rhoades, Joseph Iacovo, Rutherford Huizinga, Robert Lewis, Irving Snyder and Mr. Thomas Topping as replacement for Mr. Vitti. The absent members were: George Georgoulis, Helen Peatt and Vincent Vitti, who is ill.

The following communications were acted upon:

- (1) Letter dated November 8, 1956 from the Stamford Heart Association, Inc., requesting permission to place signs in various city parks in relation to their annual fund raising drive during February.

Referred to Parks and Recreation Committee.

- (2) Letter dated November 16, 1956 from Mayor Quigley referring to pending request from the Lions Club, asking for a return of the \$200 fee paid for the Circus during August.

In regard to this request, letters were read in regard to a similar request made by the Lions Club in April of 1952, in which they requested a waiver of the fee be given by the Board for Circus to appear in the month of June, 1952. A copy of the Board's answer dated May 1, 1952, written by the President of the Board at that time, John L. Cameron, was also read in which the request was denied, the Board unanimously agreeing at that time not to start the practice of waiving fees for affairs of this sort.

MR. LEWIS MOVED that a letter be written to the Lions Club, stating the policy of the Board of Representatives which was established in 1952 and also explaining that in the present case because the fee was already paid, it could not now be considered as a waiver, but as an appropriation problem, because in order to rebate this fee, it would have to go through as an emergency appropriation and go to the Board of

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Finance for approval before this Board would have any authority to act. Motion seconded by Mr. Huizinga and CARRIED by unanimous vote.

(3) Two letters from the Superintendent of Schools:

- (a) Letter dated November 14, 1956 requesting a \$13,536.14 transfer from the Capital Budget 1952/1953 Belltown-Willard (Newfield) school account to the 1953/1954 Capital Budget, Katherine T. Murphy School Addition.
- (b) Letter dated November 14, 1956, requesting an amendment to the 1956/1957 Capital Budget in the amount of \$200,000.00 for the purchase of a site for a senior high school and preliminary planning. The site recommended is the Simcn property on Newfield Avenue.

Both of the above letters were referred to the Education, Welfare and Government Committee.

- (4) Letter dated November 13, 1956 from Mrs. Doris Zuckert, 7th District Representative, regarding complaints she has been receiving from nearby residents in the vicinity of the Town and Country Shopping Center on Summer Street.

Referred to Health & Protection and Planning & Zoning Committee to report out.

- (5) Letter dated November 19, 1956 from Urban Redevelopment Commission, enclosing resolution authorizing filing of application for State financial assistance and execution of assistance agreement for West Main Street Urban Renewal Area.

Referred to Fiscal Committee regarding the financial part of the resolution, and to Legislative and Rules Committee to report out.

- (6) Carbon copy of letter dated November 13, 1956 to Commissioner of Highways from Retail Merchants Council of Stamford Chamber of Commerce re Pacific Street Underpass.

Ordered filed.

- (7) Letter dated November 8, 1956 from Peter Mascetti, protesting the granting of extension of time by the Planning Board to builder for Stony Brook Drive.

Referred to Planning and Zoning Committee.

- (8) Letter dated October 25, 1956 from Planning & Zoning Director regarding waivers to street pavement requirements granted by the Planning Board.

Referred to Public Works and Planning and Zoning Committees.

- (9) Letter dated October 18, 1956, addressed to Mr. Topping, complaining about a drainage problem, from Mr. George A. Daniels, Jr.

Referred to Public Works Committee.

- (10) Letter dated November 5, 1956 from Mrs. Carolyn Horner regarding Mansion House on Cove Island.

Referred to Parks and Recreation Committee.

- (11) Letter from Hart School PTA, dated October 17, 1956, urging the purchase of a Senior High School site.

Referred to Education, Welfare & Government Committee.

- (12) Carbon copy of letter dated November 13, 1956 to Chairman of Charter Revision Committee, from Chairman of Board of Finance, copies of which were also sent to other interested city departments, regarding schedule of meetings of the Board of Finance.

Referred to Fiscal Committee.

- (13) Carbon copy of letter dated November 10, 1956 from Chairman of Board of Finance to Mayor Quigley re City owned property to be acquired by the State for the Stamford-Darien Turnpike.

Referred to Fiscal Committee and Legislative & Rules Committee.

- (14) Carbon copy of letter dated October 24, 1956, to Mayor Quigley from Corporation Counsel on same subject as above letter.

Also referred to Fiscal Committee and Legislative & Rules Committee.

- (15) Carbon copy of letter dated October 25, 1956 to Board of Education from Planning and Zoning Director regarding request from Board of Education for Capital Budget 1956/57 amendment in amount of \$120,000 to be added to the \$200,000 for Ryle School addition, which letter requests further information from the Board of Education.

Referred to Education, Welfare & Government Committee and Fiscal Committee.

- (16) Carbon copy of letter dated October 30, 1956 from Mayor Quigley to Planning Board re Hoyt-Bedford Street Proposed War Memorial Park.

Ordered filed.

- (17) Letter to Mr. Connors, President of the Board, from Chairman of the Board of Finance, dated November 10, 1956 regarding auditors' report.

Ordered filed.

- (18) Carbon copy of letter dated October 24, 1956 to Mayor Quigley from Planning Board re improvements in schools to comply with State fire regulations - amendment to 1956/57 Capital Budget in amount of \$132,357 50.

Referred to Fiscal Committee and Education, Welfare & Government Committee.

- (19) Letter dated November 16, 1956, addressed to Mr. Topping from Mr. G. E. Collins, re bad road conditions on Loveland Road.

Referred to Public Works Committee.

- (20) Letter dated November 16, 1956 from Corporation Counsel regarding the seeking of a Special Act of the General Assembly in order to provide a pension for Mr. John Reilly, former Probation Officer, retired because of age.

Referred to Legislative & Rules Committee and Personnel Committee.

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Regarding fiscal matters referred to this Board, having been passed by the Board of Finance, Mr. Kaminski reported there was only one which had been approved by the Board of Finance. This was in reference to the Ferguson Library addition, \$20,000. (See Mayor's letter of October 9, 1956). The other item in the same letter was deferred by the Board of Finance.

Referred to Fiscal Committee and Education, Welfare & Government Committee.

MR. KELLY, Chairman of the Parks and Recreation Committee, requested that a place be left on the Agenda for housing for the Board of Recreation. On MOTION of Mr. Kaminski, duly seconded, this was approved.

MR. HUIZINGA brought up the question of police enforcement of Ordinance #57 in regard to littering of city streets by overloaded trucks. This was referred to the Committee on Health and Protection.

It was also decided to reserve a place on the Agenda for a report from the Mayor's Committee on High Ridge Veterans' Housing, the Chairman being Mr. Anthony Kolich, 13th District Representative.

There being no further business to come before the Committee, upon motion of Mr. Fredericks, duly seconded, the meeting adjourned at 10:15 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

George V. Connors, Chairman
Steering Committee

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Fiscal Committee:

Mr. Kaminski, Chairman, presented the following report of his committee:

Fiscal Committee Report
Meeting held Nov. 21, 1956

The Fiscal Committee held a meeting Wednesday, November 21, 1956 in the office of the Mayor.

There were only two items under consideration, these being the items passed by the Board of Finance on November 9, 1956.

- (1) Mayor's letter of Oct. 9, 1956 \$20,000 requested for Ferguson Library addition.

The Fiscal Committee recommends the approval of a re-appropriation of \$20,000, to be financed out of current taxes, rather than through the bond issue, covering plans, specifications and inspection for addition to Main Building of the Ferguson Library at Broad and Bedford Street.

- (2) Mayor's letter of Nov. 5, 1956 \$2,056.94 for Pension for Patrolman Louis Giancola.

The Fiscal Committee recommends approval of a pension for Patrolman Louis Giancola in the amount of \$2,056.94, effective Oct. 22, 1956, 8 months and 10 days, based on an annual pension of \$2,961.92, or 64% of his annual salary of \$4,628.00.

William C. Kaminski,
Chairman, Fiscal Committee

MR. KAMINSKI MOVED for approval of the following:

- (1) \$20,000 - Ferguson Library - Re-appropriation, to be financed out of current taxes, covering plans, specifications and inspection for addition to Main Building of Ferguson Library. (See Mayor's letter 10/9/56)

Seconded by Mr. Topping.

Mr. Macrides said the Committee on Education, Welfare & Government concurs in approval of the request.

VOTE taken on Mr. Kaminski's motion and CARRIED by unanimous vote.

MR. KAMINSKI MOVED for suspension of the rules in order to consider the following, because it had been inadvertently left out of the Agenda: Seconded by Mr. Rhoades and CARRIED unanimously.

- (2) PENSION, Patrolman Louis Giancola - \$2,056.94, effective Oct. 22, 1956, for 8 months and 10 days, based on annual pension of \$2,961.92, or 64% of his annual salary of \$4,628.00. (See Mayor's letter 11/5/56)

MR. KAMINSKI MOVED for approval of the above request. Seconded by Mr. Lewis. Mr. Milano said the Health & Protection Committee also concurs with the recommendations of the Fiscal Committee. CARRIED by unanimous vote.

Legislative & Rules Committee:

MR. RAITERI: "Due to the fact that we have a great number of people here tonight who are interested in only one item on our agenda, I would like to ask permission of the Board to take up item #7 on the agenda first." (Letter dated Nov. 19, 1956 from Urban Redevelopment Commission, enclosing proposed resolution authorizing filing of application for State financial assistance and execution of assistance agreement for West Main Street Urban Renewal Area)

There being no objection to Mr. Raiteri's proposal, he presented the following photostatic copy of letter in regard to this request:

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
Development Commission
State Office Building
Hartford, 15, Connecticut

November 29, 1956

City of Stamford
Urban Redevelopment Commission
159 Main Street
Stamford, Connecticut

Attention: Mr. Mark Harris, Executive Director

Gentlemen:

At the request of Mr. Mark Harris by telephone on November 29, 1956, the Development Commission is extending

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the deadline for filing forms FR-4 and FR-5 requesting assistance under the Flood Redevelopment Program because of extenuating circumstances until January 15, 1956.

Will you please file with this Commission a letter confirming the request for an extension made this date.

Very truly yours,

(signed) William Blakey
Planning Engineer

MR. RAITERI: "It was the impression of this Committee that people in the West Side Area have not been fully informed in regard to this question. Therefore, it is the feeling of this Committee that we recommend this matter be re-committed to Committee for report at the next meeting of the Board on January 7, 1957. We have been given permission to do this by the above letter from Mr. Blakey, the Planning Engineer of the State Development Commission, so we are not violating any authority by putting this off until the next Board meeting. I MOVE that the President appoint a six man bi-partisan Committee, to be called the Urban Redevelopment Committee of the Board of Representatives, whose duties it will be to investigate the desires of the people of said area and discuss them with the Urban Redevelopment Commission to try to bring about a program which will be beneficial to all concerned."

MR. RAITERI: "I also MOVE for re-commitment of the resolution to Committee for further study."

MR. VITTI requested a five minute recess. Seconded by Mr. Baker and Mr. Longo.

Mr. Raiteri asked what the purpose of the recess would be.

MR. VITTI: "For a Democratic caucus."

Mr. Georgoulis said he thought there should be some discussion first.

Mr. Raiteri objected to this, saying it cannot be allowed under the Rules.

MR. GEORGOULIS: "This is under personal privilege."

MR. FREDERICKS said a motion to recess is not debatable.

MR. GEORGOULIS: "I am not debating about the merits."

VOTE taken on holding a recess and CARRIED by unanimous vote, at 9:00 P.M.

The recess being over at 9:30 P.M., Mr. Connors called the meeting to order.

MR. RAITERI MOVED that item #7 on the Agenda be re-committed to Committee. Seconded by Mr. Baker.

MR. GEORGOULIS: "I would like to speak against the re-commitment. After the gory mess made at the East Side project, I am against this. We have enough land here in Stamford if the U.R.C. want to do something, let them go somewhere else. Furthermore, some residents from Greenwood Hill ask why this area has been included in this project - it is not a flood damaged area."

MR. NOLAN: "As a member of the Legislative and Rules Committee who has sat in on meetings regarding this, I am completely in accord with Mr. Georgoulis' feelings on this project. There are a lot of things about it that the Committee cannot and will not accept. Mr. Raiteri proposes to re-commit this matter. In effect, by doing this, it does put it off for one month. We are not voting on the project at all - we are voting whether we should put it off for another month. When we met we had the so-called leaders of the West side meet with us and discuss the problem."

MR. FREDERICKS: "The difficulty is one of objection to U.R.C. There is a lot to be said for the proposition. However, there is a lot of fear as to how it might work out in the future. I feel it is the function of this Board to try to cooperate and try to work out the problems involved. The City of Stamford would have to match, dollar for dollar, the funds given by the State. But, it would first have to go to the Planning Board, the Finance Board and then to the Board of Representatives, at which time the project itself would come under consideration. What the Legislative & Rules Committee has recommended is that we give them, or another committee, to be named by the President, time to enable them to sit down with the people and find out what the situation is.

"If we do as Mr. Georgoulis wants - either vote for or against this resolution, then we have lost whatever bargaining position we have. I think we should hold this over for the January meeting. I think we are better off to take the proposal of re-commitment to committee; let them talk with the people interested and find out what the people concerned want. The Legislative & Rules Committee does a tremendously good job. They have given this matter a great deal of consideration. I approve that this be referred to the Legislative & Rules Committee or else to a six-man bi-partisan committee to be appointed by this Board."

MR. MILANO said he concurred with Mr. Georgoulis. He said the people of the West side want no part of this proposition and want no part of what happened on Meadow Street. He said: "I feel this should not be re-committed to Committee."

MR. VITTI said he would go along with Mr. Milano and Mr. Georgoulis.

MR. RAITERI: "I think that Mr. Vitti, Mr. Georgoulis and Mr. Milano have put the rest of the members of this Board in a very embarrassing position. They have added to a lot of confusion in people's minds. We are voting now on the resolution that would appropriate funds IF IT GOES THROUGH. I think the people on the West side are entitled to an explanation of what is going on. There has been a great deal of confusion in the minds of the residents of the area included in the Urban Redevelopment project proposed in the West side of Stamford. The Board of Representatives is the most representative body of the people in the City government. Therefore, it is our responsibility to try to bring about an arrangement which will be agreeable to these people and the Urban Redevelopment Commission. After this goes back to Committee, then we can appoint a six-man committee to investigate this problem."

MR. WATERBURY said he agrees with Mr. Georgoulis and the Representative from the 3rd District. (Mr. Milano)

MR. VITTI: "I can't see where these hard feelings are coming from. The people in my district have faith in me to protect their interests or they wouldn't have elected me with such a large majority." APPLAUSE from the spectators.

MR. KAMINSKI: "I think this is the worst thing that has ever happened to this Board. I feel that these people need an explanation of what is going on and I agree with Mr. Raiteri and will support the motion to re-commit."

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MR. BARRY MOVED the question on the motion.

VOTE taken on re-committing item #7 on the Agenda to Committee. CARRIED by a vote of 28 in favor and 6 opposed.

MR. RAITERI re-stated his previous motion in regard to the appointment of a six man bi-partisan Committee to investigate the desires of the residents in the area under consideration. Seconded by Mrs. Zuckert. Mr. Raiteri also stated that this committee be appointed not later than Thursday, December 6th in order that they may work with the Legislative & Rules Committee. CARRIED by unanimous vote of the 3 members present.

MR. KAMINSKI MOVED for a recess at 10:00 P.M. in order to allow the spectators to leave. Seconded by Mr. Brett and CARRIED unanimously.

The President called the meeting to order at 10:10 P.M.

MR. RAITERI presented the following report of the Legislative & Rules Committee meeting held November 20, 1956:

REPORT OF LEGISLATIVE & RULES COMMITTEE
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A meeting of the Legislative & Rules Committee was held at 8:30 P.M. Tuesday evening November 20, 1956 at Avignone's Restaurant. Chairman Raiteri presided. All members of the Committee were present as was also Assistant Corporation Counsel Di Sesa.

The following items of business were considered and action taken as indicated:

1. Appeal from Zoning Board decision approving application of George Grunberger Holding Corporation for a change in zoning of property on Crystal Street.

Attached hereto as Appendix #1 are

- a. Transcript of Public Hearing Sept. 26, 1956
- b. Excerpts of Zoning Board Minutes Oct. 3, 1956
- c. Petition appealing decision Oct. 10, 1956
- d. Letter from George Dimenstein, Atty. Nov. 1, 1956
- e. Certificate from L. Bromfield Jr. Oct. 31, 1956

The letter from Mr. Dimenstein, supported by the certificate from Mr. Bromfield, challenged the validity of the petition appealing the Zoning Board decision on the basis of inadequate signatures under the requirements of the Charter.

The facts set forth in Mr. Bromfield's certificate were verified at the request of the Committee by the City Engineer's office as being substantially correct, as noted by the endorsement on the Bromfield certificate.

The Committee concluded, in view of the City Engineer's testimony, that the petition is in fact invalid and that there is therefore no bona fide appeal properly before the Board of Representatives. No action is therefore required.

2. Resolution for Adoption of "The Code of General Ordinances of

the City of Stamford, Connecticut, 1956."

The Committee recommends adoption of the resolution attached as Appendix #2.

3. Request for Change in Name of a portion of Crystal Lake Road.

The Committee has referred this request to the Corporation Counsel for further advisement as to course to be followed and therefore requests that the matter be recommitted.

4. Amendment of Ordinance No. 54 Supplemental to include a requirement for a Maintenance Bond as a Prerequisite to Acceptance of Roads as City Streets

After consultation with the Planning and Zoning Director and the Assistant Corporation Counsel, the Committee recommends that Ordinance No. 54 Supplemental be amended as set forth in Appendix #3 hereto and passed for publication.

5. Amendment of Performance Bond used by Planning Board to conform with Ordinance No. 54 Supplemental.

Attached hereto as Appendix #4 is letter dated October 18, 1956 from the Corporation Counsel transmitting a transcript of the wording of the performance bond revised by the addition of the phrase "and in accordance with the terms of the ordinances of the City."

This revised bond is presented for the information of the Board of Representatives. No action is required.

6. Pension for John Reilly.

The Committee requests that this matter be recommitted for further study as to the Legal requirements and necessary procedures.

7. The Committee recommends that proposed resolution requesting State financial assistance and execution of assistance agreement be recommitted for further study.

The meeting adjourned at 11:10 P.M.

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Respectfully submitted

Approved

E. B. BAKER
Clerk

C.L. Raiteri Jr.
Chairman

(1) Appeal from Zoning Board decision approving application of GEORGE GRUNBERGER HOLDING CORPORATION for a change in zoning of property on CRYSTAL STREET.

Mr. Raiteri read from his committee report on this matter (as set forth above) and MOVED that the petition be declared invalid for the reasons given in the committee report. Seconded by Mr. Topping and CARRIED by unanimous vote.

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(2) Adoption of Code of City Ordinances - 1956 Edition

MR. RAITERI MOVED for adoption of the enacting Ordinance, adopting the new revised and codified City Ordinance books, 1956 edition, for publication only, subject to the provisions of the State Statutes: Seconded by Mr. Snyder.

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING A NEW CODIFICATION AND REARRANGEMENT
OF THE EXISTING ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF STAMFORD, CONNECTICUT

WHEREAS, the Board of Representatives of the City of Stamford, Connecticut, by virtue and acting under authority of the City of Stamford Charter and the amendments thereto, has caused its ordinances of a general and permanent nature to be compiled and revised and the same are embodied in a compilation and revision thereof known as "The Code of General Ordinances of Stamford, Connecticut, 1956", and all of the procedural steps provided for in the said City of Stamford Charter and the amendments thereto, having been complied with, now therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE CITY OF STAMFORD, CONNECTICUT:

SECTION 1. That the ordinances of the City of Stamford, Connecticut, of a general and permanent nature, as codified in Chapters 1 to 31, both inclusive, are ordained as general ordinances and are adopted as "The Code of General Ordinances of Stamford, Connecticut, 1956."

SECTION 2. That all of the provisions of "The Code of General Ordinances of Stamford, Connecticut, 1956", shall be in full force and effect upon the adoption of this ordinance, and all ordinances of a general and permanent nature, adopted by the Board of Representatives in force on July 12, 1956, and not contained in "The Code of General Ordinances of Stamford, Connecticut, 1956", are hereby repealed from and after the adoption of this Ordinance, except as hereinafter provided.

SECTION 3. That the repeal provided for in the preceding section of this ordinance shall not affect any offense or act committed or done, or any penalty or forfeiture incurred or any contract or right established or accruing before the adoption of this Ordinance; nor shall such repeal affect any ordinance or resolution promising or guaranteeing the payment of money for the city or authorizing the issue of bonds of said city or any evidence of said city's indebtedness, or any contract or obligation assumed by the city; nor shall said repeal affect the administrative ordinances or resolutions of the Board of Representatives, not in conflict or inconsistent with the provisions of this Code; nor shall it affect any right or franchise conferred by any ordinance or resolution of the Board of Representatives on any person or corporation; nor shall it affect the annual appropriation ordinance; nor shall it affect any ordinance fixing salaries of the city officers and employees; nor shall it affect the Building Code; nor shall it affect the Electrical Code; nor shall it affect the Plumbing Code; nor shall it affect any zoning ordinance of the city; nor shall it affect any prosecution, suit or other proceeding pending, or any judgment rendered on or prior to the adoption of this ordinance; nor shall it affect any ordinance of the city adopted on final passage since the twelfth day of July, 1956.

Upon request, MR. HANRAHAN, CORPORATION COUNSEL, spoke in explanation. He said: "I would suggest that five copies of the bound volume of the 1956 edition of the Code of General Ordinances be open to inspection by the public, thereby eliminating the publication of the entire contents of the Ordinance book."

VOTE taken on adoption for publication of the above ordinance and CARRIED by unanimous vote of the 34 members present.

(3) Crystal Lake Road - Change of name to Sherry Lane

MR. RAITERI MOVED that this be re-committed to Committee for further study. Seconded by Mr. Nolan and CARRIED by a vote of 32 in favor and 2 opposed.

(4) Amendment to Ordinance No. 54 Supplemental - relating to the acceptance of roads as city streets.

MR. RAITERI said the Committee had consulted with the Planning and Zoning Director and the Assistant Corporation Counsel in regard to amending this ordinance and MOVED that the ordinance be amended by inserting in Section 4 of said ordinance, after the fourth line, which ends with the words: ".....by the Board of Representatives....." the following words:

".....and a proper bond has been furnished for the maintenance of said street or streets for a period of one year in accordance with specifications approved by the Planning Board,....."

Seconded by Mr. Topping.

MR. FREDERICKS questioned the Corporation Counsel about a maintenance bond. Mr. Hanrahan said the release of bond requires no action by the Board.

MR. McLAUGHLIN: "I would like to ask Mr. Fredericks a question in connection with the bonding company. If they do not maintain the road during the course of that year, how do we approve that road if they default?"

MR. FREDERICKS: "If the road is not being maintained by the contractor, then the City Engineer sends a letter to the bonding company with carbons to all concerned."

MR. KAMINSKI: "Is the Performance Bond a condition for subdivision and ultimate acceptance of the road?"

MR. BAKER: "I think the wording of that same section makes a specific exception."

VOTE taken on amendment to Ordinance No. 54 Supplemental and CARRIED unanimously.

(5) Draft of new Performance Bond

Mr. Raiteri read the draft of the new Performance Bond (See pages 1423, 1424, 1425 and 1426 of Minutes of November 7, 1956) Mr. Raiteri said this was for information only, and would have to conform with Ordinance No. 54 Supplemental.

(6) Pension for John Reilly, former Probation Officer.

MR. RAITERI presented the following communication from the Corporation Counsel in regard to this matter and requested that it be re-committed to committee for further study as to the legal requirements and procedures to be taken:

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CITY OF STAMFORD, CONN.
November 16, 1956

Mr. John C. Macrides
Board of Representatives
City Hall
Stamford, Connecticut

Dear John:

You may be familiar with the case of John Reilly who was employed in the City Court as a Probation Officer for approximately 23 years.

When the new probation system went into effect in City Court he was over age and his employment was terminated on September 1, 1956.

He has made application for retirement benefits to the City, but the existing statute requires 25 years of service.

He has no social security benefits, because as a City employee not under the merit system he was not enrolled in the Social Security Plan.

He could receive benefits from the State Program in the event he paid into the program the equivalent of pension payments for his length of service somewhere in excess of 23 years. Such a payment is beyond his economic ability.

It would seem to me if your Board is of the opinion that his case is a meritorious one, that a Special Act of the General Assembly could be sought providing for a pension to Mr. Reilly which would survive to his wife. The amount of pension could be adjusted to his length of service.

Very truly yours,

John M. Hanrahan
Corporation Counsel

Mr. Raiteri's motion to re-commit the above matter to committee was seconded by Mr. Baker and CARRIED unanimously.

MR. RAITERI: "At this time I want to take the opportunity to thank the members of the Legislative & Rules Committee for their faithful attendance at our meetings during the past year and their fine cooperation." Seconded by Mr. Russell and CARRIED by unanimous vote.

Public Works Committee:

MR. TOPPING, Chairman, presented the following report of his committee:

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE
Meeting held Nov. 27, 1956

Meeting held at 28 Lenox Avenue on November 27, 1956. Members present: Mr. Alan Ketcham and Thomas Topping. Mr. Kolich could not attend because of another committee meeting.

Matters discussed were, first, Loveland Road extension in Belltown. Letter from G. E. Collins, 68 Loveland Road, which was referred to this committee by the Steering Committee.

On investigation, it was found that the bond of the American Homes Construction Co., which was for the amount of \$7,485.00 due September 1956, was called by the Planning Board in May 1956 as the developer did not want to put in drains to a brook on the Veterans' project.

The bond was turned over to Mr. Hanrahan on May 29, 1956. To date, this Committee has no information as to the present status of the road and bond, and would like to refer this matter back to Committee for further study.

The American Homes Company has, at the present time, two bonds with the Planning Board, one for the amount of \$1,680.00, expiring January 1958 and one for \$20,546.00, expiring May 1958 - both on Dann Drive.

Second - littering: A meeting was held on November 28th at 3:30 P.M. at the City Garage. Members present were: Mr. Kolich, Mr. Ketcham and Mr. Topping. Mr. Aaron Chase was also present.

Mr. Chase reported that he had spotted 12 rubbish cans around the center of the City to see if it was possible to reduce the amount of waste paper and other refuse that is daily being thrown into our streets.

Mr. Chase also said that, now that the removal of leaves was about over, he could devote more time to cleaning the streets.

Our Ordinance regarding overloading of trucks and trackage from building operations, is apparently being violated constantly by contractors hauling dirt, and also by garbage collectors. This Committee would also like to have this item referred back to Committee for further study, with a view to looking into why we have no enforcement of this Ordinance, which was enacted to prevent dirt and dust producing materials from being spilled on the city streets.

Third - Letter from George A. Daniels, Jr., 59 Glen Avenue, Glenbrook, regarding drainage from DeLeo Drive. The Committee would like this item referred back to Committee for further study.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas J. Topping, Chairman

- (1) Letter from G. E. Collins, 68 Loveland Road, complaining about road completion and bad road conditions.

MR. TOPPING MOVED that this matter be referred back to committee for further study. Seconded by Mr. Hearing and CARRIED unanimously.

- (2) Littering of city streets, enforcement of Ordinance #57, Supplemental

MR. TOPPING MOVED that this matter be referred back to Committee. Seconded by Mr. Raiteri who suggested that this be referred to the Health & Protection Committee also. CARRIED.

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MR. TOPPING MOVED that permission be given to Mr. Milano to read his report in regard to the same subject. Seconded by Mr. Raiteri and CARRIED.

MR. MILANO, Chairman, Health & Protection Committee read his report in regard to this matter. (Note: See Health & Protection Committee, which follows)

MR. LEWIS: "Chief Kinsella pointed out to us at the time he consulted with Judge Buckley and the Judge requested that our Board amend Sec. 6 of Ordinance #57, where it says: '.....shall each be fined not more than twenty-five dollars for each offense.' Judge Buckley asked that it be changed to read: '.....not less than twenty-five dollars for each offense.'"

MR. LEWIS MOVED to hear from the Corporation Counsel. Seconded by Mr. Hearing and CARRIED unanimously.

MR. HANRAHAN: "I am not prepared to debate the subject, but it seems there is a State Statute on overloading. It seems to me that very few of these loads are worth more than \$25.00. I believe that the highest fine that was given was only \$15.00. I fail to see, in view of these circumstances, that the reason for not enforcing the Ordinance could be that the fine is too low."

MR. KETCHAM: "I would like to have Mr. Milano enlarge as to why this Ordinance is not enforceable."

MR. LEWIS: "In answer to Mr. Hanrahan, I don't believe the request of the Court pertained to the overloading factor as much as to Ordinance No. 54. I think we should go along with the Judge's request."

MR. FREDERICKS: "There are a lot of cases pending in our City Courts. I can see no reason why the fine should be raised. It is a question of enforcement."

MR. TOPPING MOVED that this be re-committed to Committee for further study. Seconded by Mr. Lewis and CARRIED unanimously.

(3) Letter from George A. Daniels Jr., 59 Glen Avenue, Glenbrook, re drainage problem from DeLeo Drive property under development.

MR. TOPPING said it was his belief that something would be included in the Capital Projects budget to take care of this situation. He MOVED that this also be re-committed to Committee for further study. Seconded by Mr. Ketcham and CARRIED by unanimous vote.

MR. SNYDER brought up the question again of item (2) regarding enforcement of Ordinance No. 57 and MOVED that a communication be sent to the Chief of Police, the City Prosecutor and the Senior City Judge, telling them that this Ordinance is not being enforced and the Board of Representatives would like a statement as to why it is not being enforced by the time of the next meeting of this Board. Seconded by Mr. Topping and CARRIED unanimously.

Health & Protection Committee:

MR. MILANO, Chairman, presented the following report of his committee:

HEALTH & PROTECTION COMMITTEE REPORT Meeting held November 28, 1956

The Health & Protection Committee met at the Police Department on Wednesday, November 28, 1956, with Chief Kinsella in regard to the

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complaints received from Mrs. Zuckert, 7th District Representative, from the residents in the area of Town & Country Shopping Center.

Chief Kinsella has taken up these various complaints with the Managers of the Shopping Center and said that the various complaints will be remedied.

Another matter also taken up with the Chief was the enforcement of Ordinance No. 57 (trucks littering city streets) which matter was brought up at the Steering Committee meeting by Mr. Huizinga. Chief Kinsella said he checked with the Court officials as to the pending cases of violators of this Ordinance, and that if violators could not be fined under Ordinance No. 57, he would have his men take violators to a weighing place, and if found overweight, fined accordingly.

Joseph Milano, Chairman
Stephen E. Kelly
Frank W. Longo
Robert Lewis
John L. DeForest

Planning & Zoning Committee:

MR. RUSSELL, Alternate Chairman of this Committee, presented the following reports

COMBINED MEETING HELD BY PLANNING & ZONING
COMMITTEE CONCERNING ROAD ACCEPTANCE PROBLEMS

Committee met on Friday, November 16th at 8 P.M., in the Mayor's office, with Walter Wachter, Charles White, Max Wolfson, Aaron Chase, Clem Raiteri, Thomas Topping. Planning Board members were all absent. The Committee members present were William Murphy and George Russell. Absent: Helen Peatt and Gerald Rybnick.

Discussed general procedure for handling performance bonds and general specifications for roads; also method of releasing bonds.

Discussed continued problem of many years with so-called existing City maintained streets that have never been officially accepted. Charles White to give committee complete list of all such streets with recommendations of ones which he feels are to specifications and should be accepted, so that Board may consider acceptance of same.

Discussed merits and necessity of one year road maintenance bonds which would start on release of performance bonds.

Discussed lack of street identifications on new roads and Walter Wachter suggests Board send a letter to the Planning Board, requesting a city-approved type street sign, preferably of a fluorescent or luminous nature, to be requested of contractors when they construct roads and before City acceptance.

Discussed undesirable situation concerning large volume of waivers of road width in the many new developments. Also, the failure of the Planning Board to pass waiver information on to the Board of Representatives at time when roads are being requested to be accepted. Charles White and Aaron Chase were very firm that granting waiver of roads of

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20 feet or so is undesirable in this day and age of motor traffic, and also handicaps movement of city maintenance trucks, particularly in snow removal weather.

Meeting continued to a future date when the Planning Board can be present.

Meeting adjourned at 11:45 P.M.

George E. Russell,
Acting Secretary

PLANNING & ZONING COMMITTEE REPORT ON ROADS
FOR ACCEPTANCE AT DECEMBER MEETING

It has become a difficult problem to this Committee to find the time and properly inspect all the roads, due to committee receiving list of roads approved by City Engineer at usually a date of not more than a few days before meeting of the Board. Most of the roads presented to the committee for this December meeting were received on Friday, November 30th. In the future, the committee will insist upon two weeks prior to the meeting date of the Board as a deadline for roads to be presented to the Board for acceptance.

The following roads are presented with the approval of the committee for acceptance:

CRYSTAL LAKE ROAD (Extension of 488 ft.) shown on Map #5138

WILDER ROAD, for 382 feet shown on Map #5138

Matters referred to the committee:

- (1) Letter of Doris Zuckert, 7th District Representative, which reported annoyances resulting from Town and Country Shopping Center, was discussed and the committee felt that no zoning violations were involved and suggests that this matter should be brought to the attention of the Police Department and the Health & Protection Committee of the Board

As a result of the combined meeting on roads, held on November 16th, the Committee plans to hold a meeting with the Personnel Director and the City Engineer to discuss the personnel shortage in this department.

William D. Murphy, Chairman
Planning & Zoning Committee

MR. RUSSELL requested that the roads, petitions for acceptance which are already in the hands of the committee, be held over until the January Board meeting.

MR. RUSSELL MOVED FOR ACCEPTANCE of:

CRYSTAL LAKE ROAD, extending westerly from the present accepted road, a distance of approximately 488 feet. Seconded by Mr. Ketcham and CARRIED unanimously.

WILDER ROAD, formerly called "Barnes Road", extending southerly from Crystal Lake

Road a distance of approximately 382 feet. Seconded by Mr. Ketcham and CARRIED unanimously.

In regard to the letter dated November 13 1956 (See Steering Committee report) fr Mrs. Doris Zuckert complaining of annoyances to residents in the vicinity of the Town and Country Shopping Center. Mr. Russell requested that this be brought to th attention of the Chief of Police and the Health & Protection Committee for further action.

LINWOOD LANE: The question of the acceptance of this road which was brought befo the Board at the November meeting and the acceptance turned down because of narrow width in spots Mr. Russell asked that this be referred to the Planning Board to clear up the problem and to request them not to release the bond on this Road until it is brought up to acceptable width and condition. He also requested that a lett be written to Mr. DeVita attorney in this case explaining that his request for r consideration was denied until such time as it is brought up to specifications. He requested a carbon copy of this letter be sent to the Planning Board.

Parks & Recreation Committee:

MR. KELLY presented the following committee report:

The Parks and Recreation Committee met at the Town Hall on Tuesday, November 27, 1956, at 8 P.M. with Charles Gilbert, Frank Longo and myself in attendance.

The Stamford Heart Association have requested permission of the Board of Representatives to place signs in the different parks in Stamford, namely, Central, Bedford Street, St. Johns, Main and South Streets, and Hope Street and Glenbrook Road, for their annual fund-raising drive during the month of February.

Your Committee asks the approval of the Board of Representatives for this request, pending the decision of the Park Commission, and I so move.

A letter from Mrs. W. S. Horner, of Long Ridge Road, was referred to the Parks & Recreation Committee. The letter is an appeal also being voiced by a large number of people in Stamford for the preservation of the Mansion House on Cove Island, for the people of Stamford to see and enjoy.

The Mansion House could be used for many worthwhile purposes, and even be used as a Museum, or for offices of the City government. Your Committee feels that the contents of this letter contains real constructive purpose, and should be given consideration and to that end, I move that it be referred to the Legislative and Rules Committee, the Health and Protection Committee and left with the Parks and Recreation Committee for further study, and a letter sent by the Secretary to Mayor Quigley, requesting that no action be taken to tear down the Mansion House on Cove Island, until all the facts are known.

The Chairman of the Parks & Recreation Committze of the Board of Representatives met with the Board of Recreation at their last regular meeting, and a discussion was held concerning permanent office and storage space. It was felt by the Board of Recreation that something should be done and a request for the use of the Precinct 2 Building was forwarded to Mayor Quigley, with copies being addressed to the Board of Representatives, Commissioner of Service, Pat Scarella, Chief of Police Joseph Kinsella, and the Parks and Recreation Committee.

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After 40 years of its existence, the Board should have permanent quarters. They have valuable apparatus and equipment stored all over the city and in many school buildings, which, in itself, creates hardships and problems, and is a very great handicap in the operation of its very extensive and valuable program.

They have also been led to believe that it is the plan of the Park Commission to tear down the present Recreation Department Building on Cove Island, which would find them without a home once again.

The Board of Recreation has requested the Mayor to take this matter up at his earliest convenience, and to advise them.

Stephen E. Kelly, Chairman
Frank Longo
Charles Gilbert

- (1) The Stamford Heart Association, Inc. (Letter of Nov. 8, 1956 - See Petitions)
- (2) Mansion House on Cove Island - Request from Mrs. W. S. Horner to retain.

MR. KELLY read a letter from the above woman, requesting that Mansion House on Cove Island be retained, either as offices for the city government or as a Museum.

MR. KELLY MOVED that this letter be referred to the Legislative & Rules Committee, the Health & Protection Committee and retained in the Parks & Recreation Committee for further study, and that a letter be sent to Mayor Quigley, requesting that no action be taken to tear down the Mansion House until all the facts are known, and further consideration can be given to this request and others like it. Seconded by Mr. Topping and CARRIED unanimously.

- (3) Board of Recreation - Use and occupancy of Precinct #2

Mr. Kelly stated that the Board of Recreation has requested the Mayor to consider their request and if the use of Precinct #2 can be given to them, if and when it is vacated by the Police Department.

MR. FREDERICKS: "At the last meeting, the Legislative and Rules Committee recommitted the question of Precinct #2 with the understanding that there would be a meeting with the Chief of Police and interested parties in regard to the disposition of Precinct #2."

Personnel Committee:

Pensions for Katherine T. Quinn, sister of deceased city employee

MR. RYBNICK said the committee wishes to have this matter referred to the Legislative & Rules Committee and so MOVED. Seconded by Mr. Rhoades and CARRIED by unanimous vote.

Education, Welfare & Government Committee:

MR. MACRIDES, Chairman, presented the following committee report:

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The Committee on Education, Welfare & Government met at the offices of Macrides, Zezima & Schwartz at 7:00 P.M. on Tuesday, November 27, 1956. Mr. Gilbert and Mr. Macrides were present.

The Committee studied the request for the re-appropriation of \$20,000. for the drawing of plans and specifications for the Ferguson Library addition out of current taxes instead of the originally approved bond issue, and decided that the re-appropriation should be granted.

The Committee also took notice of a speech made by President Albert N. Jorgensen of the University of Connecticut, wherein he invited the people of Stamford to take the initial steps toward acquiring a separate branch campus in the City of Stamford. The Committee strongly recommends a letter be sent to President Jorgensen by the Board of Representatives, advising him of our very strong desire for a branch in this City, and asking him what steps he deems necessary to be taken by us in the future on this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

John C. Macrides, Chairman

MR. MACRIDES MOVED that a letter be sent to President Jorgensen of the University of Connecticut, advising him of the desire of the Board that a branch of the University be located in Stamford and asking him what steps he deems necessary to be taken by us in the near future. Seconded by Mr. Fredericks.

MR. RHOADES said he was very much in favor of having a branch of the University located in Stamford.

VOTE taken on Mr. Macrides' motion: CARRIED unanimously.

*Special Committee on High Ridge Veterans' Housing (Mayor's Committee, appointed by him in August 1955 and re-activated in June 1956)

MR. KOLICH, Chairman of this Committee read his report on their findings.

Mr. Rybnick said he had recommended that these houses be sold to the Veterans living in them at a previous meeting of this Board.

*(Note: No copy given to the Secretary, so cannot be printed in Minutes.)

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

Appointment, CITY HOUSING AUTHORITY -

City of Stamford, Connecticut

December 3, 1956

Mr. George V. Connors, President
Board of Representatives

Dear Mr. Connors:

This is to inform you that I have appointed

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ANTHONY J. MARRUCCO, 55 Blachley Road
as a member of our CITY HOUSING AUTHORITY.

His term will expire October 1, 1961.

Very truly yours,

Thomas F. J. Quigley, Mayor

Appointment, BOARD OF TAX REVIEW -
City of Stamford, Connecticut

December 3, 1956

Mr. George V. Connors, President
Board of Representatives

Dear Mr. Connors:

I would like to submit the following nomination
to be approved by your Board:

BOARD OF TAX REVIEW:

John R. Boyd, 20 evergreen Court

Term to expire - December 1, 1956

Mr. Boyd is a member of the Democratic Party.

Very truly yours,

Thomas F. J. Quigley, Mayor

Appointment, URBAN RE-DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION:
City of Stamford, Connecticut

December 3, 1956

Mr. George V. Connors, President
Board of Representatives

Dear Mr. Connors:

I would like to submit the following nomination,
to be approved by your Board:

URBAN RE-DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION:

Harry E. Terhune, 47 Brinckerhoff Avenue

(To replace Mr. Frank X. Lennon)

Yours very truly,

Thomas F. J. Quigley, Mayor

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Appointments, various:

City of Stamford, Connecticut

December 3, 1956

Mr. George V. Connors, President
Board of Representatives
Stamford, Conn.

Dear Mr. Connors:

I would like to submit the following nominations, to be passed upon by the Board of Representatives:

PARKING AUTHORITY: HUGH J. MATHEWS, 42 Gurley Road
To be re-appointed.
Mr. Mathews is a member of the Democratic Party.
Term to expire Jan. 1, 1960

ZONING BOARD: ALEXANDER R. KLAHR, 109 Woodmere Road.
Mr. Klahr is a member of the Democratic Party.
Term to expire December 1, 1961

PLANNING BOARD: JOHN J. DENHAM, 46 Rock Ledge Drive.
Mr. Denham is a member of the Democratic Party.
To be re-appointed. Term to expire December 1, 1961

PARK COMMISSION: MRS. BINDLEY GILLESPIE, 125 Ocean Drive West
To fill vacancy of John F. Power. Mrs. Gillespie
is a member of the Republican Party.
Term to expire December 1, 1960

J. WALTER KENNEDY, 70 Third Street
Mr. Kennedy is a member of the Democratic Party.
Term to expire December 1, 1961

SEWER COMMISSION: WILLIAM T. TROY, 16 Revere Drive
Mr. Troy is a member of the Democratic Party.
To be re-appointed. Term to expire December 1, 1961

SALVATORE CATINO, 38 Prince Place
Mr. Catino is a member of the Republican Party.
To replace Michael J. Sweeney. Term to expire December 1, 1959

BOARD OF TAXATION: SHERMAN H. BLAKE, 90 Orange Street
Mr. Blake is a member of the Democratic Party.
To be re-appointed. Term to expire December 1, 1961

THOMAS BURNS, 1416 Hope Street, Springdale
Mr. Burns is a member of the Democratic Party.
To replace Harold H. Rowe.
Term to expire December 1, 1958

FLOOD & EROSION CONTROL BOARD:

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EDWARD J. FRATTAROLI, 5 Brinckerhoff Avenue
Mr. Frattaroli is a member of the Republican Party
To be re-appointed. Term to expire December 1, 1961

BOARD OF TAX REVIEW: WILLIAM W. OGLE, 22 James Street
Mr. Ogle is a member of the Democratic Party.
To replace Gerald J. Rybnick.
Term to expire December 1, 1957

PETER J. SILEO, 25 Ponus Avenue
Mr. Sileo is a member of the Democratic Party.
Term to expire December 1, 1961

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS:

ANTHONY W. WALSH, 5 Washington Court
Mr. Walsh is a member of the Democratic Party.
To be re-appointed.
Term to expire December 1, 1961

HUBBARD HEIGHTS GOLF

COURSE COMMISSION: ROGER O'CONNOR, 18 Brightside Drive
Mr. O'Connor is a member of the Democratic Party
To replace Anthony J. Marrucco
Term to expire December 1, 1961

PUBLIC WELFARE COMMISSION:

FREDERICK M. LIONE, 763 Shippan Avenue
Mr. Lione is a member of the Republican Party
To be re-appointed. Term to expire December 1, 1959

BOARD OF RECREATION:

SAMUEL M. GOLD, 100 Turn-of-River Road
Mr. Gold is a member of the Democratic Party.
To be re-appointed. Term to expire December 1, 1961

Very truly yours

Thomas F. J. Quigley Mayor

PETITIONS:

Petition No. 226 from The Stamford Heart Association Inc., 318 Hope Street,
Glenbrook - Requesting signs be placed in various City parks. (See report to the
Board from Parks & Recreation Committee for details)

MR. KELLY MOVED for approval of this request, subject to the approval of the Park
Commission. Seconded by Mr. Longo and CARRIED unanimously.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM OTHER BOARDS AND INDIVIDUALS

- (1) The following letter was presented and referred to the Legislative & Rules,
Personnel and Fiscal Committees:

MOORE & EPIFANIO
Gurley Bldg.
Stamford, Conn.

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Honorable Board of Representatives
City Hall
Stamford, Connecticut

Honorable Sirs:

The Classified Employees of the City of Stamford respectfully petition your Honorable Board to amend the Ordinance.....known as "CLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES PENSION PLAN" as follows:

SECTION 2 (d) and (e) Repeal. Substitute in their stead the following:

SEC. 2 (e) An annual appropriation to said fund by the City of Stamford as determined by the Board of Finance and approved by the Board of Representatives, of an amount when added to the total sum of the funds on hand will be sufficient to pay the pensions or any other indebtedness payable from said fund.

SECTION 5 (c) Repeal. Substitute in its stead the following:

SEC. 5 (c) The Trustees shall retire any member upon his written request who shall have completed twenty-five (25) years or more of service and who shall have reached the age of fifty (50) years or over in the case of a female employee and fifty-five (55) years or over in the case of a male employee. Such retirement to be effective one month after receipt of the written request for retirement.

SECTION 6 (a) Repeal. Substitute in its stead the following:

SEC. 6 PENSIONS (a) Service Retirement. Any member who is retired under the provisions of Section 5 (a) (b) or (c) as amended herein shall receive annually from said fund, for the remainder of his or her natural life a sum equal to one-fiftieth of his or her average final salary multiplied by the number of years of his or her service. In no event shall such pension payment be an amount which will be in excess of two-thirds of his or her average final salary, or, if he or she has had more than twenty-five (25) years of service, will be less than one thousand (\$1,000.) dollars annually. Social Security benefits due and payable at the time of retirement or due and payable in the future shall be credited on said sum.

SECTION 6 (e) Repeal. Substitute in its stead the following:

SEC. 6 (e) All pensions payable hereunder shall be paid in monthly installments and after the payment preceding the death of the person entitled to receive the payments, said pension shall survive and be paid to the widow or widower if he or she is determined by the Trustees to be substantially dependent upon the deceased employee, until his or her death or remarriage and thereafter, such part of the pension as the Trustees shall feel reasonable shall be paid to the children of such deceased employee who are under the age of eighteen (18) years. In case there is no surviving spouse, said pension shall be paid to the children of the deceased employee under the age of eighteen (18) years, in such proportion as said Board of Trustees shall decide.

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SEC. 12. Any law or laws inconsistent with the foregoing amendments shall be void in so far as the said law or laws as inconsistent herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

CLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES

By Moore & Epifanio,
Their Attorney

- (2) The following letter was presented and referred to the Personnel Committee and Health and Protection Committee:

CITY OF STAMFORD, CONNECTICUT

November 24, 1956

Mr. George V. Connors, President
Board of Representatives
Stamford, Connecticut

Dear Mr. Connors:

It is requested that a supernumerary fireman who is training with the regular Fire Department, without compensation, be considered an employee of the City in order that he be covered by the State of Connecticut Workmen's Compensation Act, in the event he is injured while training.

An early reply will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY

A. J. Donahue, Chairman

cc: Mayor Quigley
Joseph A. Czeskik
Clement Raiteri
Chief Richardson

- (3) The following letter was presented and a copy ordered sent to the Planning Board for their information:

City of Stamford, Connecticut

November 27, 1956

Mr. George V. Connors, President
Board of Representatives
City of Stamford, Conn.

Dear Mr. Connors:

At a meeting of the Board of Representatives, held November 7, 1956, the following action was taken: that your Board notify the City Engineer to hold up release of the bond on Woodridge

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Drive, until it was brought up to acceptable condition.

This is to advise you that the City Engineer does not release any bonds on any sub-divisions. It is solely a function of the Planning Board.

The usual procedure is that the Planning Board requests of me the information as to whether or not the contractor has complied with all the requirements of his bond. When I notify them that such work has been completed, the Planning Board makes the releases.

Very truly yours,

Charles W. White, City Engineer

NEW BUSINESS

MR. RHOADES MOVED that a card be sent to Mrs. Helen Peatt, wishing her a speedy recovery from her recent illness. Seconded by several voices and CARRIED by unanimous vote.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Board, on MOTION of MR. FREDERICK seconded by several voices, the meeting was adjourned at 11:55 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

George V. Connors

George V. Connors,
President
Board of Representatives

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