

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL
OF THE VILLAGE OF BEISEKER FOR THE PURPOSE OF
DETERMINING THE FINAL LOCATION OF THE
SEWAGE LAGOON.

Present

Mayor L.L.Schmaltz
Councillor Adam Volker
Engineer R. Vickerman
Ratepayer Frank Schmaltz
Trustee J.H.Schmaltz
and A. Schmaltz, and Raymond Schmaltz

Mayor Schmaltz opened the meeting in the Mayor's office at 8:10 P.M., December 18, 1953. The Mayor explained the reason for the meeting to those present and outlined the various proposals for the location of the lagoon; there were three and all located on the land owned by F.J.Schmaltz and executed by trustee J.H.Schmaltz. The Mayor explained that proposal E was favored by the Department of Health and by the Council.

Mr. J.H.Schmaltz stated that the owners were not in favour of any of them.

Engineer R. Vickerman stated that there were other ways that were more expensive and thereby prohibitive and that the present proposal was less offensive and explained the scientific basis for his claims.

After some discussion the following points were stated:

J.H. " The farming point of view is bad."

Frank " There are proposed living quarters to be located nearby." and ruled out proposals E. & D.

J.H. " Proposal A is the most practical from a farming point of view but the farmers must be protected from contamination."

Mayor " The village must keep the costs down" and ruled out proposal A.

J.H. " The value of the land is \$100.00 plus inconvenience value and the cost of the existing canal @ \$500.00"


It was then stated by Mr. Frank Schmaltz that the Estate agrees that none of the proposals are satisfactory.

There being no further business to be discussed, the visitors to council were excused by the Mayor and all but the engineer retired.

Mr. Vickerman then proposed that because the cost of Plan A. amounted to \$14,100.00 plus I H.P. pump at \$60.00/ year that the village should purchase the land required for plan E (Creek Bed) at a cost of only \$14,500 and thereby gaining the satisfactory proposal favoured by the Department of Health. He also pointed out that if the other parties did not agree there was provision in the Act for expropriation.

After some discussion it was agreed that the Sec. investigate expropriation and be prepared for the next meeting with the claimants.

There being no further business to be taken up at this time Councillor Adam moved adjournment, Time; 10:30 P.M.

CARRIED

Mayor


Secretary-Treasurer