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RESOLUTION NO. 8

At a Special Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Duanesburg, duly called and held on the 2/ day of May, 1959, at the Town Garage, located on Route \$20, in said Town, at Eight o'clock, P. M., the following members were present:

HONORABLE

WALDEN CHRISTMAN HARRY A. JONES LE ROY KNOWLES MINARD ASH WILLIAM D. WADDELL Supervisor
Justice of the Peace
Justice of the Peace

Councilman Councilman

The meeting was duly called to order by the Supervisor.

The following Resolution was offered for adoption by and seconded by (suncilman) Och

WHEREAS, it is the responsibility of this Town Board to provide for the peace, good order and safety, and, further, to promote the health, safety and general welfare of the Town of Duanesburg, and

WHEREAS, it is the opinion of this Town Board that the conduct of motor vehicle races can be detrimental to the peace, welfare and good order of the people of the Town of Duanesburg,

NOW, THEREFORE, it is

RESOLVED, that pursuant to Section 130 of the Town Law of the State of New York, a Public Hearing on a proposed Town Ordinance to regulate motor vehicle races in the Town of Duanesburg be held on the 1076 day of 1959, at 1959, a

TOWN GARAGE, Route #20, Duanesburg, New York,

and that the Notice of said Public Hearing be published once in the SCHENECTADY UNION STAR, at least ten (10) days prior to the date specified for said Hearing, and that the Notice of the said Public Hearing shall be in substantially the following form:

# ON THE PROPOSED ENACTMENT OF AN ORDINANCE REGULATING MOTOR VEHICLE RACES IN THE TOWN OF DUANESBURG

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Section 130 of the Town Law of the State of New York, and pursuant to a Resolution of the Town Board of the Town of Duanesburg adopted on the 2/ day of May, 1959, that said Town Board will conduct a Public Hearing at the

TOWN GARAGE, Route #20, Duanesburg, New York,

on the /O day of time, 1959, at East o'clock, P. M., E. D. S. T., to consider the adoption of the following Ordinance, and at said time and place, all interested parties and citizens will be given ample opportunity to be heard either for or against the adoption of said proposed Ordinance, which proposed Ordinance is as follows:

ordinance no. 2

### AN ORDINANCE REGULATING MOTOR VEHICLE RACES IN THE TOWN OF DUANESBURG

THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF DUANESBURG, COUNTY OF SCHEN-ECTADY AND STATE OF NEW YORK, DOES ENACT AND ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: This Ordinance is enacted pursuant to authority granted by Section 130 of the Town Law of the State of New York, and shall be known as the MOTOR VEHICLE RACE ORDINANCE.

Section 2: It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to race motor vehicles, or to conduct or to promote races between motor vehicles, within the Town of Duanesburg, in such a manner as to cause unreasonably loud or disturbing noises of such a character, intensity or duration as to be detrimental to the peace, welfare or good order of the people, or in such a manner as to cause disorderly, noisy, riotous or turnsltuous conduct within the Town.

Section 3: Application for a Permit to race motor vehicles or to conduct or to promote races between motor vehicles shall be made to the Town Board of the Town of Duanesburg. Application for such Permit or Permits shall be made in writing to the Town Clerk of the Town of Buanesburg, and shall contain all necessary information, including name and address of applicant, location of proposed race, number of vehicles involved, including non-participating vehicles, dates and hours during which races will be conducted. Each Permit Application shall be accompanied by a Permit Fee of \$ \( \frac{10.00}{0.00} \), for each day of operation under the Permit. No Permit shall be issued unless adequate provision is made forefire protection and sanitary facilities, and protection of person and property.

Section 4: Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance be declared unconstitutional or invalid, for any reason, the remainder of said Ordinance shall not be affected thereby.

Section 5: A violation of this Ordinance or any provision thereof is hereby declared to be a Misdemeanor, and any person violating the same, upon conviction, may be punished by a fine not exceeding FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50.00) or by imprisonment not exceeding thirty days (30) or by both such fine and imprisonment. Each and every day that a violation of this Ordinance is committed, or is permitted to exist, shall constitute a separate offense.

Section 6: This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its adoption and publication as provided by Section 133 of the Town Law of the State of New York.

Approved as to form this 2 day of may, GEORGE E. SEVERSON, ESQ.	1959.
GEORGE E. SEVERSON, ESQ.	
Attorney for Town of Duanesburg	

DATED: DUANESBURG, NEW YORK, MAY 2/, 1959.

TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF DUAMESBURG,

By: MARSHALL E. DRINON

Upon roll call the foregoing Resolution was adopted by the following vote:

SUPERVISOR CHRISTMAN	voting	age
JUSTICE JONES	voting	au
justice knowles	voting	aye
COUNCILMAN ASH	voting	alu
COUNCILMAN WADDELL	voting	alex
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The Supervisor declared the same duly adopted.

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STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF SCHENECTADY TOWN OF DUANESBURG

SS:-

I, MARSHALL E. DRINON, do hereby certify that I am the Town Clerk of the Town of Duanesburg; that the attached Resolution is a true and accurate copy of the original thereof, adopted by the Town Board of the said Town at a Meeting duly called and held on the 2/ day of May, 1959; and of the whole thereof.

I further certify that each and every member of said Board had due and timely notice of said meeting.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the Town of Duanesburg this 2/ day of May, 1959.

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Under special meeting continued was the problem of reaching an agreement with the property owners for land on the Duanesburg-Churches road being built in the Town of Duanesburg.

road being built in the Town of Duanesburg.

Present were, John Nelarico, Edward C. Sturgess, P.H. Meerwaith,

A.H. Morris, Mryon Harrington, Neils Rask, Robert Frost, and Margaret
Grotevant.

Supervisor discussed the problem with the property owners and ask if anyone had anything to say. Mr. Rask said he would donate to the Town the amount pf property needed to build the road. Mr. Frost joined with Mr. Rask in donating his propertyneeded for the road, also Hollins and DeCarlo, Grotevant, and Nelarico, also Mr. Meerwaith, and Mr. Morris representing the Emanuel Baptist Church. Mr. Harrington asked \$600.00 for his property, and Mr. Sturgess said he wanted \$1000.00 for his property.

Property needed but was not represented was that of the Edna Little Pierce, and the McMillan property and Leahy property.

Mr. Sturgess stated he would suffer severe damage due to the removal of the large shade trees, and he would be required to put up a fence which would costthim quite a bit of money.

Mr. Harrington said the road would interfere with his septic tank and cellar drain.

Further discussion showed that everyone was satisfied except Mr. Sturgess and Mr. Harrington.

Motioned by Councilman Waddell, seconded by Councilman Ash, the Town Board hold a special meeting to discuss the matter further, whereby a satisfactory agreement could be reached. Meeting to be held in the Town Garage, Duanesburg, June 4,1959 at 8;00 P.M.

Adopted by roll call of 5 Ayes.

Moved by Justice Jones, seconded by Justice Knowles meeting adjourn.

Special meeting of the Town Board was held in the Town Garage for the purpose of reaching an agreement with the remaining property owners located on the new road being built known as Princetown-Churches Road, Town of Duanesburg.

Supervisor called the meeting to order at 8:15 P.M.

Clerk called the roll. Justice Jones Present
Mr. Sturgess Justice Knowles Present
Alfred Morris Councilman Ash Present
Chester Pierce Councilman Waddell Present
Myron Harrington Supervisor Christman Present

Supervisor Christman asked Mr. Sturgess if had changed his mind since the last meeting, and Mr. Sturgess said he had not.

Supv. Christman asked Mr. Sturgess, Why, he had changed his mind from the first time he had talked to the engineer and by the time he had written the Supervisor asking \$1000.00 The engineer stated he mentioned a figure of \$500.00 and marked it down, but Mr. Sturgess denied mentioning any figure.

Mr. Pierce who was representing his mother Edna Pierce said he would consider any reasonable price.

Supv. Christman and the Board discussed the matter of price the Town could afford, and they all agreed on \$150.00 per acre or portion thereof. Supv.asked all present if they would accept \$150.00 per acre, and all agreed except Mr. Sturgess, and he flatly refused.

RESOLUTION # 9

The following resolution was affered and Moved for adoption by Councilman Ash 1, seconded by Councilman Waddell, WHEREAS:

the following persons be paid a minimum of \$150.00 per

acre or portion thereof.

Myron & Elsie Harrington

Edna Little Pierce 0.995 Acres 0.528 Acres Irene Leahy and WHEREAS: the Town pay William McMillan \$100.00 per Acre as stated in the sworn option, and WHEREAS:, the Town Board pay \$1.00 aspperscribed by law to the following persons who donated their property, Robert B. Frost 1.445 Acres Robert B. Frost (Roland A. Hollins) 0.146 Acres (George A.DeCarlo ) (Rexford A Grodevant) Clark Grodevant 3.176 Acres (Margaret Angus John & Adelina Nelarico 0.160 Acres Niles Rask 4.832 Acres

Roll Call on the above resolution resulted in \$ Ayes.

Supv. Christman explained to Mr. Sturgess he would contact the County for advise on condemnation proceedings against his property.

Emanuel Baptist Church 2.32 Acres

Moved by Councilman Waddell, seconded by Justice Jones the meeting adjourn.

Town Clerk.

2.991 Acres

Special meeting of the Town Board of Duanesburg was held in the Town Garage, for the purpose of holding a Public Hearing on the adoption of a proposed ordinance regulating motor vehicle races in the Town of Duanesburg.

Supervisor called the meeting to order, and the Clerk called the roll.

Justice	Jones	Present
Justice	Knowles	Present
Councilman	Ash	Present
Councilman	Waddell	Present
Supervisor	Christman	Present

also present were Mr. Dagastino, president of a motor cycle club and Mr. Clark a club member. Mr. Sperbeck(Assessor) and Mr. Leon Foot of Bramand Corners Supervisor Christman asked the Clerk to read the proposed ordinance. Clerk read proposed ordinance of facing page.

Mr. Dagastino stated the ordinance was well constructed and stated he was very much in favor of this type ordinance but did not see why the Bown Board wanted to spend money to pass an Ordinance when it was not necessary, because the motorcycle club he belonged to did not intend to locate on the site across from Mr. Vernon Strobeck. The Board members explained to Mr. Dagastino that the Board received a petition from the Catholic Priest in Delanson, and the petition contained 28 signitures, so the Town Board had to take legal action. Mr. Dagastino said he was satisfied that the Board had to take the necessary action to protect other property owners.

Supervisor Christman asked if anyone else wished to be heard on the subject and as no one else did, the Supervisor called for a motion, WHEREAS, upon a Motion of Councilman Ash MANNAXXX, and seconded by Councilman Waddell, that the Ordinance duly enacted and known as the Motor Vehicle Race Ordinance, and following a public hearing shall be duly adopted.

Roll Call:	Councilman Ash	Aye
	Councilman Waddell	Aye
	Justice Knowles	Ауе
	Justice Jones	Aye
	Supervisor Christman	Aye
Supervisor	declared Ordinance duly a	adopted.

Bills were presented for audit.

Moved by Councilman Waddell, seconded by Justice Jones, the ball be paid.

Adopted by Roll call of 5 Ayes.

Supervisors accounts were audited and found to be correct, with the following checks outstanding.

General- 1784

Highway 6342

Moved by Waddell, seconded by Ash meeting adjourn.

## ORDINANCE NO. 2

## AN ORDINANCE REGULATING MOTOR VEHICLE RACKS IN THE TOWN OF DUANESSURG

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July 9,1959

Regular meeting of the Town Board held in the Town Garage Supervisor Christman called the meeting to order at 8:15P.M. Clerk called the roll,

Present were, Justice Jones
Knowles
Councilman Waddell
Supervisor Christman

Supv. opened the meeting under Public Hearing

Mr. White of the N.Y.Telephone Co. requested permission to lay a cable underground along the right side of North Ave, from route #7 to route #20. Mr. White assured the Board members that the dirt would be put back in place.

Councilman Waddell Moved and Justice Jones, seconded the Motion to grant permission to lay the cable.

Adopted by Roll Call of 4 Ayes.

Gilbert Wolfe of Quaker Street stated he had started a small race track on his property and then discovered an ordinance had been passed prohibiting racing. Mr Wolfe requested the ordinance be read. Clerk read the ordinance. Mr. Wolfe then asked if the ordinance could be ammended, to allow midget racing. Councilman Waddell said he thought the Board made a mistake by passing the ordinance, and now thought it should be ammended. Mr. Wolfe said he would furnish imformation as to size of motor, piston displacement and etc to help the Board to study the possible ammendment.

Harold Provost was next to ask if the Town had a trailer or Trailer Park ordinance. The Supervisor explained that the Town had no restrictions on either.

Meeting closed under Public Hearing and opened under Regular business.

Town Officers reports were read and approved.

Bills were presented for audit, Councilman Waddell, Moved and Justice Knowles seconded a Motion to pay bills.

Adopted by rollcall of 4 Ayes.

Election Inspectors names were submitted by the Democratic Town Chairman, and the Town Board approved as submitted.

Clerk read a letter from Edward C. Sturges; dated June 27, 1959 in regards to his willingness to further discuss a settlement for the property which is being taken to build the new road known as Princetown-Churches Road.

Clerk also read a letter dated June 22,1959 from Supv. Christman to Mr. Sturgess stating due to fact that all owners of other properties had settled for a reasonable sum, the Board had no other choice but to condem his. Letters were placed on file.

Motion by Councilman Waddell, seconded by Justice Knowles, that, the Town Clerk be authorized to contact an attorney for the purpose of representing the Town as Town Attorney on a salary basis not to exceede \$1200.00 per year.

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Adopted by roll call of 4 Ages
Councilman Waddeli, M ved and Justice Knowles seconded, a
motion, to engage Robert Rehbaum to make an aerial photo
map of the Town of Duanesburg, sum not to exceede \$100.00

Adopted by roll call of 4 Ayes

Motion by Justice Jones, seconded by Councilman Waddell, that the refund check from the State Fire Insurance be devided between the four Fire Companies.

Adopted by roll call of 4 Ayes.

Motion by Councilman Waddell, seconded by Justice Jones, that the Supt. of Highways be authorized to spend \$500.00 for tires.

Adopted by roll call of 4 Ayes.

Moved by Waddell, seconded by Jones meeting adjourn.

Regular meeting of the Town Board held in the Town Garage. Supv. Christman called the meeting to order and the Clerk called the Roll.

Councilman Ash lead the Board in pledge of Allegeince

Officers reports were read and approved.
Minutes of last meeting read and approved.
Bills were presented for audit, Councilman Ash, moved and
Justice Jones seconded a motion the bills be paid.
Roll Call resulted in 5 Ayes.

Clerk turned over a refund check in the amount of \$2.80 to the Supervisor, from Clarence Dobert representing the cancelled insurance policy on the old grader.

Election Inspectors were next appointed to serve for a period of one year.

Ruth Sandora

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Ruth Sandora

Ella Smith 120

Ruth Easton

Anna Hawes

Ethel Putnam

Helen Fidler

Margaret Martin

Carrie Borst

Elizabeth Mericle

Helen Fidler

Margaret Becker

Mildred Ash

Lilian Snyder

Edith Noman

Moved by Councilman Waddell, seconded by Councilman Ash the above Election Inspectors be approved.

Adopted by roll call of 5 Ayes.

Supervisors reports were audited and found to be correct, with the following checks outstanding. Highway # 6409 ~ 6422 General # 1833

Moved by Ash, seconded by Knowles the meeting be adjourned.

M & Srinon Town Clerk. Regular meeting of the Town Board held on September 10,1959 in the Town Garage.

Meeting called to order at 8;00 P.M. by Supv. Christman.

Clerk called the roll.

Justice Jones present
" Knowles "
Councilman Ash "

" Waddell Supervisor Christman

Councilman Ash lead in Pleadge of Allegeince.
Minutes of last meeting dispensed with.
Clerk read letter from Election Commissioners appointing
two Custodians for Election purposes, Appointed were Lynn
McDuffy and Caler White.

McDuffy and Galen White.

Bills were next presented for audit, and a Motion was made by Councilman Ash, seconded by Justice Jones the bills

be paid. Adopted by roll call of 5 Ayes.

Officers reports were presented and approved.

Supervisors reports were audited and approved with the following checks outsmanding. G- 1848 - H- 6460 - 6462 - 6465

Moved by Councilman Ash, seconded by Justice Jones meeting be adjourned.

October 6, 1959

Special meeting of the Town Board was held in the Town Garage. Supervisor called the meeting to order at 8:00 F.M. Clerk called the roll. Justice Jones Present

" Knowles
Councilman Waddell
" Ash
Supervisor Christman

Councilman Ash led in pledge of allegeince.

Clerk presented bills. Moved by Councilman Ash, seconded by Justice Jones the bills be paid. Adopted by roll call of 5 Ayes.

Clerk presented Preliminery Budget for year 1960 The Town Board discussed the budget each item at a time, and the following Resolution was offered and moved by Councilman Ash, seconded by Councilman Waddell:

Resolution # 10 RESOLVED, that the Freliminery  $B_{\rm u}$ dget for the Town of Duanesburg for the year 1960 as compiled and submitted by the Town Clerk be approved and adopted. the foregoing resolution was adopted by roll call of 5 Ayes.

Motion by Councilman Waddell, seconded by Councilman Ash, that a public hearing be held on the Preliminery Budget October 29,1959 at the Town Garage at 8:00 P.M. Adopted by roll call of 5 Ayes.

M. E. Trinon

October 29th 1959

Special meeting of the Town Board of Duanesburg was held in the Town Garage for the purpose of Adopting the Preliminary budget.

ret. Meeting called to order at 8;P.M. Meeting was called to order by Councilman Waddell, acting in the absence of Supervisor Christman Councilman Ash led in the pledge to the flag.

Present Clerk called the roll, Councilman Waddell

Ash Justice Jones Knowles

Supervisor Christman

#### RESOLUTION # 11

Councilman Waddell offered and moved the adoption of the

following resolution; seconded by Justice Jones:

RESOLVED, that due to the death of Supervisor Christmans sister Mrs. Emily Chrysler, and that the viewing hours are from 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M. that this meeting will adjourn until 9:00 P.M.

Adopted by roll call of 4 Ayes. Meeting adjourned

Meeting reopened at 9: 00P.M. Supervisor Christman called the meeting to order. Clerk called the roll. All present Clerk read the legal notice of hearing on Preliminary Budget.

Clerk read budget Item by Item. At the completion of reading the proposed budget Mr. Lester Rockwell asked if the amount in the budget under Highway Item # 3 in the amount of \$7,500.00 for repair of machinery was correct, compared to 7,000.00 for purchase of machinery. Superintendent answered the question by explaining that the F.W.D and the old Mack truck were quite expensive to keep operating and the Town did'nt have money to purshase new Trusks.

Mr. O'Connor objected to the increase in salaries to the Assessors. Mr. Christman answered by saying the Assessors put in for an increase in their estimates, and that there were

some expense to driving their cars around .

Mr. Ernest Eschert stated that he believed persons holding public office should be paid a decent wage, especially if they are doing a good job.

## RESOLUTION # 12

Councilman Waddell offered and moved the adoption of the following resolution, seconded by Justice Jones, WHEREAS the amount of \$7,500.00 in Item # 3 of the machinery fund for the purchase of machinery be reduced to \$7,000.00 and WHEREAS the amount of \$2000.00 in the contingent fund be reduced to \$1,000.00 and WHEREAS the returned in Whereas Item # 1 has the second with the second second with the second se \$ 1000.00 and WHERAS the revenues in Highway Item # 1 be increased from \$4000.00 to \$4250.00Adopted by roll call of 5 Ayes.

## RESOLUTION # 13

Councilman Ash offered and moved for adoption the following resolution, seconded by Councilman Waddell, WHEREAS the Preliminary Budget be adopted as ammended and known as the Annual Budget for the Town of Duanesburg for 1960 Adopted by roll call by 5 Ayes.

Moved by Councilman Ash, seconded by Justice Knowles the meeting ad journ.

M. E. Drinow

Regular meeting November 12,1959

Regular meeting of the Town Board was held in the Town Garage. Supervisor Christman called the meeting to order at 8:00 P.M. Clerk called the roll.

Present were

Justice Jones
Justice Knowles
Councilman Ash
Councilman Waddell
Supervisor Christman

Councilman Ash led in pledge to the flag. Minutes were dispensed with.

Supervisor opened meeting under public hearing, and Wrs Rexford Grodevant requested the Town/Ner for the land taken to build the road. Mrs. Grodevant requested the same payment of \$150.00 per acre or fraction thereof. The amount of land taken was 3.176 acres.

WHEREAS the Town pay \$150.00 per acre for land taken from Rexford, and Clark Grodevantand Margaret Angus, the foregoing resolution was seconded by Councilman Ash.

Adopted by roll call of 5 Ayes.

Bills presented for audit, Moved by Justice Jones, seconded by Councilman Ash the bills be paid as audited. Adopted by Roll Call of 5 Ayes.

Correspondence read and placed on file.

Supt. Fuez stated the lavatory, was plugged and meeded repairs.

Councilman Ash offered and moved the following resolution, RESOLUTION # 15

WHITEMAS the Supt. of highways has reported the mens lavatory was plugged and needed repairs, then the Town Board shall authorize the Supt. of Highways to see that the necessary repairs be made., seconded by Councilman Waddell.

Edopted by Roll Call of 5 Ayes.

Councilman Ash, moved for adoption the following resolution, RESOLUTION # 16

WHEREAS John James be appointed Dog Enumerator and Warden for the ensuing year for the Town of Duanesburg, seconded by Councilman Waddell.

Adopted by roll call of \$ Ayes.

Moved by Justice Knowles, seconded by Justice Jones meeting adjourned.

M. E. Drinow.