

Special Meeting

Council met at the Clerks Office on  
Monday the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February 1881.

Members all Present

Reeve in the Chair

The Reeve stated that there should  
be a settlement with the Collector for  
1879 before the Auditors meet.

Mr. Jas. Morrison

Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Wink, Moves that the Collector  
for 1879, receive the sum of \$10- extra  
Remuneration for Collecting for said year  
he, not being aware at the time the  
Appointment was made, and the salary  
fixed, that the Collecting of the school  
Money was included.

Carried

The Council then Adjourned

H. Draper  
Clerk

Isaac Marvett. Reeve

Members of Council  
for the Township of North Guilford  
for the year 1881

	Jan.	Feb.	May	June	Aug.	Oct.	Dec.				
	17	28	30	6	29	17	12				
Isaac Merritt, Treas.	/	/	/	/	/	/	/				
D. H. Sprague, D. New	/	/	/	/	/	/	/				
W. M. Van Norman	/	/	/	/	/	/	/				
J. Finch	/	/	/	/	/	/	/				
J. Willoughby	/	/	/	/	/	/	/				

Councillors

Bellhaven 17<sup>th</sup> Jan. 1881

The Council Elect met on the above date, and after having taken the necessary Declarations of Office, and Qualification, the following named Members took their seats. Viz.

Isaac Marriott, Reeve, David H Sprague Deputy Reeve, R. M. Van Norman, Stephen Finch, and Joshua Willoughby, Councillors.

Reeve in the Chair

Minutes of Previous Meeting read & Confirmed

A Communication from the Clerk of West Quillimbury, with accompanying Blank Petitions Concerning the lowering of the Water in Lake Simcoe and two or three Bills were laid before the Council.

Res. No. 1

Mr. Sprague

Sec. <sup>d</sup> by Mr. Finch, Moves that all Bills and Communications be received, and taken up in order.

Carried

2

Mr. Sprague

Sec. <sup>d</sup> by Mr. Finch, Moves, that the Bill of R. M. Van Norman, for Stationary, amounting to \$2-09<sup>2</sup> and also of H. Draper, for copying, Births, Marriages & Deaths, for going for Normal Papers, & distributing, Express Charge, amounting to \$11<sup>44</sup> be paid

Carried

3

Mr. Willoughby,  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Van Norman Moves that  
Luther Draper, send receive the sum  
of \$4 - Per Month, for 3 Months, he being  
an indigent Person, and that the  
Reeve Grant his Order Monthly for  
the same

Carried

4

Mr. Hinch,  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Sprague Moves that the  
sum of \$1 - be refunded to John, and  
Sarah Jane Corner, it being Dog tax  
wrongly assessed

Carried

5

Mr. Sprague,  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Hinch, Moves that a Committee  
consisting of the Reeve, Mr. Van Norman  
and the Mover, be Appointed to examine  
and report on the Treasurers Bonds; Also,  
to destroy all Papers in the Clerk and  
Treasurers Office which is not necessary  
to be kept.

Carried

6

Mr. Van Norman,  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Willoughby Moves that the  
Reeve be Appointed as Delegate to Present  
Memorials with reference to the lowering  
of the water in Lake Simcoe on behalf  
of the Township of North Guilford.

Carried

7

Mr. Van Norman,  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Willoughby Moves, that  
all Money appointed for Roads in 1850  
and the work not performed be refunded  
except on the Town Line between East  
and North Guilford.

Carried

8 Mr. Van Norman  
 Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Willoughby, Moves that the  
 Clerk be instructed to Communicate with  
 the Publishers of the Newmarket Era,  
 Sutton Times, and the North York Reformer  
 and receive Tenders for the Municipal  
 Printing for the year 1881.

Carried

9 Mr. Birch,  
 Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Sprague Moves, that Edward  
 Patchell be granted the sum of \$4<sup>00</sup> and  
 that R. M. Van Norman be appointed to  
 supply the necessaries of life to that amount.

Carried

10 Mr. Sprague,  
 Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Birch, Moves that Joseph  
 Stickland receive the sum of \$5<sup>00</sup> he  
 being an indigent Person and unable to work.

Carried

Mr. Van Norman then introduced a  
 By Law in Blank form for the appoint-  
 ment of Township Auditors, an Assessor  
 and a Collector for the Current year.

The By-Law was read a first and  
 second time, and the Council went  
 into Committee of the Whole thereon

Mr. Sprague in the Chair  
 In Committee the Blanks were filled  
 up as follows: <sup>Auditor</sup> John Sowerby and  
 William Williams, Assessor Willard  
 Bennett, Collector, Josiah Willoughby.

Committee rose and Reported the By-Law  
with the Blanks filled up.

Report, received, and Adopted

The By-Law was then read a third time  
and Passed

11 Mr. Tarr. Norman,  
Sec<sup>y</sup> by Mr. Sprague Moved that this  
Council do now adjourn, to meet  
again on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of February next.  
Carried

# Draper. Clerk Isaac Harritt Reeve

Bellhaven 28<sup>th</sup> February 1881

Council Met on the above date

Members all Present.

Reeve in the Chair

Minutes of Previous Meeting read, and  
Confirmed.

— Communications —

From the Town Clerk at Bournemouth,  
with Accompanying Blank Petition to the Legislature  
asking for an Amendment to the Assessment  
act, and from S. W. McKethick of  
Orangeville, offering to supply the muni-  
cipality with Road Scrapers.

Tenders

From E. Jackson, Thos. Hutchiff and W. G.  
Keowny for Municipal Printing for 1881

Petition

From A. B. Sheppard, asking aid for Mrs  
Willoughby

The Auditor's Report, and  
several Bills were laid before the Council

— Resolution —

1 Mr. Sprague

Seconded by Mr. Van Norman, moves that  
all Communications, Tenders Petitions  
Bills, and the Auditor's Report be  
received, and that the Council go  
into Committee of the whole thereon

Carried

The Council then went into Committee of the Whole.

Mr. Sprague in the Chair.

The Committee Rose and Reported

Report received and adopted.

And the Report read as follows.

Council in Committee of the Whole  
Report as follows.

1 That the Bill of E. Jackson Esq. and also the Bill of John Newburn, for keep of Charles Inman be laid over for some further information.

2 That the Bill of J. Marritt, Money advanced in sending Charles Inman to the Hospital amounting to \$8<sup>40</sup> and \$2<sup>80</sup> Cash paid Hart and Rawlinson, be paid.

3 That the Tender of Tho<sup>d</sup> Radcliff, for the Municipal Printing be accepted, it being the lowest Tender.

4 That the Bill of Tho<sup>d</sup> Glover for overseeing Contract on the road amounting to \$2<sup>00</sup> be paid

5 That William Willoughby receive the sum of \$12<sup>00</sup> to assist in maintaining his family, he, being sick, and unable to work.

Over



6

That R. M. Van Norman be instructed to furnish the necessaries of life to Edward Patchel to the amount of \$4<sup>00</sup> per month for three months, and that the Reeve grant his Order on the Treasurer monthly for the same.

7

That the Auditor's Report as now finally audited, be adopted.

Adopted.

(Signed) Isaac Marritt Reeve

Res. No. 2

Mr. Wrench,

Seconded by Mr. Sprague Moves that William Williams and John Sawyer receive the sum of three dollars each for auditing the Township accounts for the year 1850.

Carried

3

Mr. Willoughby,

Seconded by Mr. Van Norman Moves that the action of the Reeve in applying the Non-Resident tax money to pay off the indebtedness to the County for expenses incurred in surveying the 4th Concession be sustained and that the Treasurer be instructed to pay to the Reeve the sum of \$15<sup>54</sup> the amount of Non-Resident land tax being \$184<sup>16</sup> and the amount due to the County on account of such survey being \$200—

Carried

4 Mr. Van Norman,  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Willoughby moves that Robert  
Barker receive the sum of \$7<sup>50</sup> for  
3 Sheep killed by Dog  
Carried

5 Mr. Van Norman,  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Willoughby moves that the  
Clerk be instructed to get 200 Copies  
of the Auditor Report Printed (in detail)  
for general distribution  
Carried

6 Mr. Sprague,  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Birch moves, that William  
Ardell be instructed to Procure 10 Pieces  
of Cedar timber 18 ft. long and not less  
than 10 inches at the small end that  
he receive the sum of 35 cent. Per Piece  
when delivered on the side road between  
Lots No 20 & 21 in the 6<sup>th</sup> Concession  
Carried

Mr. Van Norman then introduced a By Law  
in Blank form for the Appointment of Overseers  
of Highways, Pound Keepers and Fence Viewers  
for the current year

The By Law Passed through its several  
Stages and was finally Passed.

7 Mr. Birch  
Seconded by Mr. Sprague Moves that this  
Council do now adjourn to meet again  
at this place on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of May next,  
Then to meet as a Court of Revision and  
for the Transaction of general Township business  
Carried

H Draper } The Council then adjourned  
Clerk } Isaac Marvitt Reeve

Clerks Office 1<sup>st</sup> April 1881

A Special Meeting of the Council  
was held on the Above date

Members all Present

Reeve in the Chair

The Reeve stated that in looking  
over the Auditors Report he had  
found that there was a mistake.  
As the Dog tax for 1880 had not been  
entered, and the Clergy Reserve  
fund had been overlooked.

Mr. T. Morrison.

Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Willoughby, Moves that,  
Owing to a mistake being detected  
in the Auditors Report, with regard  
to Dog Tax, and Clergy Reserve fund,  
the Report be referred back to the  
Auditors for correction.

Carried

The Council then adjourned

H. Draper, Clerk Isaac Marriott Reeve

Clerks Office 2<sup>nd</sup> May 1889

A Special Meeting of the Council  
was held on the above date, for the  
purpose of receiving and adopting the  
Auditors Report as amended

Received in the Chair

Moved and seconded that the  
Auditors Report for 1888, as amended  
be received and adopted.

Carried

The Council then Adjourned

H. Draper, Clerk } Isaac V. Smith, Receiver





3 Mr. Sprague  
 Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mrs. Winch. Moves, that the sum  
 of \$5 be Paid to John Newburn for his  
 trouble in Conjunction with the keep  
 of Charles Ferrman — Carried

4 Mr. Van Hornum  
 Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Willoughby Moves that  
 the Revere be instructed to examine  
 the Collectors Roll with reference to  
 back Taxes on the N. E. 1/4 Lot No. 15. Can 6.  
 and take the necessary steps to have  
 any error corrected Carried

5 Mr. Sprague  
 Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mrs. Winch. Moves, that Noah  
 Warr receive the sum of \$3<sup>00</sup> for  
 one sheep killed by Dogs. Carried

6 Mr. Sprague  
 Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mrs. Van Hornum. Moves that James  
 Robinson receive the sum of \$2<sup>00</sup> for  
 ditching on the Pass Line from the  
 4<sup>th</sup> Concession to the sluice away, and  
 opening and rebuilding the same } Carried

7 Mr. Sprague  
 Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mrs. Van Hornum Moves, that the  
 Revere and Willoughby be instructed  
 to watch the case of Appeal from the  
 Equalization Committee of the County  
 Council, and use their own discretion  
 with reference to employing an Attorney  
 summoning witnesses &c on behalf of  
 this Municipality and also to draw from  
 the Township Treasurer sufficient  
 funds to defray the expenses in connection  
 therewith Carried

8 Mr. Church.  
 Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Sprague Moves that Timothy  
 Harmon receive the sum of 19 cents Per  
 Rod for clearing out the 7<sup>th</sup> Concession  
 2 Rods wide, commencing at the  
 side Road between Lots 15 & 16 and  
 extending to Mr. Elden's South Line  
 The Resolv<sup>e</sup> to Grant his Order for Payment  
 upon receiving a Certificate from D. #  
 Sprague stating the Number of Rods completely  
 Carried

9 Mr. Farr Norman  
 Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Sprague Moves that this  
 Council do now Adjourn to meet  
 again on Monday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of June  
 next at 1 O'clock P. M.  
 Carried

The Council then Adjourned

# Draper Clerk } Isaac Morrill Reeve



Bellhaven 6<sup>th</sup> June 1881

Court of Revision Met Pursuant to  
Adjournment on the above date

Members all Present

Mr. Marritt in the Chair

The Assessment Roll with the  
several alterations made by the assessors  
was again laid before the Court.

Mr. Van Norman  
seconded by Mr. Willoughby moves  
that the assessment roll as finally  
revised be now adopted.  
Carried

H. Draper Clerk } Isaac Marritt Chairman

Belhaven 6<sup>th</sup> June 1881

Council Met Pursuant to Adjournment  
on the above date -

Members all Present

Keene in the Chair

Minutes of Previous Meeting read and  
Confirmed

A Communication was received from  
W. P. Cole on Road Matters.

Also several Applications were made  
for Money on the Road.

The Committee Appointed to examine  
Certain Roads handed in their Report.

This Report was taken up, Read, and  
Adopted in Council.

And the Report read as follows:

The Town Committee beg to report  
as follows.

We saw the 7<sup>th</sup> Commission and  
found it about the same as reported  
by the Contractor and left word for  
him to commence work. We also  
saw the side road between Lots 15 & 16  
and think it not advisable to make  
any Appropriation unless the 8<sup>th</sup> Com.  
is first opened out, which would probably  
cost at the present time \$300- or more

we

We saw the side road leading from the  
Mass Line to the Lake Shore between Lots  
10 & 11, and think it necessary that an  
appropriation be made of say thirty dollars <sup>or</sup> 50<sup>¢</sup>  
to remove the stone, and we would  
recommend that Peter Bennett be appointed  
Commissioner to expend the same in accordance  
with a resolution passed by Town No. 6.

We also saw the 5<sup>th</sup> concession and would  
recommend an appropriation of ~~forty~~ <sup>81.75</sup> dollars  
to be made to fill in where the road has washed  
away opposite Lot No. 9, and that Stephen  
Winkel be appointed to oversee the expenditure  
of the same

(Signed)

M. W. Carr, Chairman

Chairman

The Council then went into Committee of  
the whole for the purpose of making some  
further grants on the road.

Mr. Carr, Chairman in the Chair

The Committee rose and Reported

Report Received & Adopted

And the Report read as follows:

Your Committee would recommend  
that a grant of one hundred dollars be  
made on the Town Line East of Havenston  
to meet the grant made by the Council  
of East Guilford and that the Recorder  
be Commissioner to expend the same.

- 2 That the Receiver be instructed to Grant his Order for the Payment of one half of the improvement made by the two Townships on the Town Line near Baldwin
- 3 That a Grant of ten dollars be made on the side road between Lots 20 & 21 in the 4<sup>th</sup> To be expended under the supervision of the Overseer of said Road Division in accordance with Council. By Law No. 6
- 4 That a Grant of forty dollars be made on the 4<sup>th</sup> Concession north of the Baseline and that D. H. Sprague <sup>J. Willoughby</sup> be commissioned to expend the same
- 5 That a Grant of fifteen dollars be made on the 4<sup>th</sup> Con. south of the Baseline under the supervision of the Overseer of Road Division No. 14 in accordance with Council. By Law No. 6

(Signed)  
M. W. Van Norman  
Chairman

Res. 1 Mr. Van Norman.  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Willoughby Moves that  
Wm Woods & J. E. Sprague be instructed  
to do the Statute labor accruing on Lots  
27-28 & 29. (con. B in Road Division No. 7  
Carried

2 Mr. Finch.  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Sprague Moves that Caleb Mann  
be allowed to perform his Statute on  
the Baseline in Road Division No. 38  
Carried

3 Mr. Sprague  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Birch Moves that the  
Contract let by the Reeve and Wilboughby  
to John Parks to repair the Road on the  
Lake Shore opposite Lot 18 in the Lake  
Concession be confirmed Carried

4 Mr. Birch  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Sprague Moves that Resolution  
No. 3 Passed 17<sup>th</sup> January 1881 be, and  
it is hereby Resolved Carried

5 Mr. Birch,  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Sprague Moves that Mr.  
McNeil be allowed to perform his Statute  
labor accruing on Lot No. 1, Con. 2. on the  
Town Line West of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Concession Carried

Mr. Fairman then introduced a By Law  
to make some slight alterations in the  
Road Provisions and to reduce the  
statute labour one fourth for the year 1881

The By Law Passed through its several Stages  
and was finally Passed.

Mr. Sprague  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Birch Moves that this Council  
do now adjourn to meet again on the  
29<sup>th</sup> day of August next. Carried

The Council then adjourned

H. Draper, Clerk } Isaac Marritt Reeve

Belhaven 29<sup>th</sup> Aug, 1881

Council met on the Above date

Members all Present

The Reeve in the Chair

Minutes of Previous Meeting read & Confirmed

Communications

From County Clerk stating amount of County taxes required to be raised for the Current year

From W. Aire and Company, Successors to Hart & Howlinson.

From the Trustees of the several School sections, stating amount to be raised in the said School sections

Bills

A Bill from the Toronto General Hospital, for Maintenance and treatment of Charles Jarran, a Newspaper Ant \$26-00

From Geo. Coe's son repairing road scraper. \$2-00

From Cole's Manure Provision furnished Shika Draper \$3-00

From Edward Morton for damage done Horse and buggy breaking through Causeway \$6-00

And also 2 or 3 Applications asking Pay for sheep killed by Dogs were laid before the Council

Res No. 1

Mr. Van Norman, Sec.<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Willoughby  
 Moves that all Bills and Communications  
 now before the Council be received and  
 taken up in Order.

Carried

2

Mr. Willoughby  
 Sec.<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Van Norman, Moves,  
 That the Reeve Grant his Order  
 to Geo. Wight for the sum of \$9<sup>58</sup>  
 for goods supplied to G. Stickland, also  
 to Stephen Wrench for necessaries of  
 life furnished to "Red York" <sup>and \$57</sup> both  
 being indigent persons.

Carried

3

Mr. Willoughby,  
 Sec.<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Wrench, Moves,  
 that the Reeve, Deputy Reeve, and  
 Mr. Van Norman be a Committee to  
 make the estimates, and report to this  
 Council forthwith the rates required  
 to be levied for the current year.

Carried

4

Mr. Wrench,  
 Sec.<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Sprague, Moves  
 that the Reeve be authorized to pay  
 for gravel purchased by the several  
 Overseers of Highways in their Road  
 Divisions upon receiving a Certificate  
 from the Clerk that the necessary  
 returns have been made.

Carried

5

Mr. Willoughby  
 Sec.<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Van Norman Moves,  
 that the bill of Caleb Mann amounting  
 to \$3<sup>20</sup> for provisions furnished Elisha  
 Draper be paid.

Carried

6 Mr. Sprague,  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Winch Moves  
that Neil Morton receive the sum of  
\$3 - for bread furnished Fred. York  
Carried

7 Mr. Winch,  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Van Norman Moves  
that John Swain receive the sum  
of \$1<sup>50</sup> for one lamb killed by Dogs,  
being one half the value  
Carried

8 Mr. Sprague,  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Winch, Moves  
that Caleb Mann be authorized to  
furnish Elisha Draper Provisions to  
the amount of six dollars, and present  
his bill to this Council.  
Carried

9 Mr. Van Norman,  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Willoughby Moves,  
that Joseph Henderson receive the sum  
of \$8<sup>50</sup> for three sheep killed, and one  
damaged by Dogs.  
Carried

10 Mr. Sprague  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Winch, Moves  
that Neil Morton be allowed to  
furnish Fredrick York with bread  
not to exceed 5 loaves Per week,  
and present his bill at the next  
Council Meeting.  
Carried

11 Mr. Van Norman,  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Willoughby Moves  
that the bill of Geo. Cowleson for  
repairing road scraper amounting to \$2-00  
be paid  
Carried



12 Mr. Van Hornman,  
 Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Sprague Moves,  
 that P. Morton receive the sum of \$5-00  
 for damage to Horse and Wagon by  
 breaking through the bridge in road  
 Division No. 30

Carried

A By Law was then Passed authorizing  
 Trustees S. S. No. 7 to borrow \$400- for  
 building a new School House  
 Also —

A By Law was introduced and Passed  
 levying the rate for the current year,  
 being a rate of five Mills for all  
 Purposes except Trustees General  
 School rate.

13 Mr. Van Hornman,  
 Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Sprague Moves  
 that this Council do now adjourn  
 to meet again at this place on Monday  
 the 17<sup>th</sup> day of October 1881 for the  
 transaction of General Township business  
 Carried

The Council then Adjourned

H. Draper  
 Clerk

Isaac Marritt Reeve

Belhaven 17<sup>th</sup> October 1887

Council met on the above date

Members all Present

Reeve in the Chair

Minutes of Previous Meeting read & Approved

The Treasurer and Collectors Bonds were submitted to the Council for Approval, also several Bills were laid before the Council, and also, some Verbal Applications for Money on the Roads, and for support of the Poor.

Res. No. 1 Mr. Sprague

Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Birch Moves that all Bills and communications be received and taken up in Order.

Carried

2 Mr. Van Norman

Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Willoughby Moves that the sum of \$10- be granted to J. Cydesman on the Centre Road opposite Lots 11 & 12 in the 7<sup>th</sup> Concession, and make his return to the Clerk under Council By Law No. 6

Carried

3 Mr. Sprague

Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Birch Moves that Simpson Horner receive the sum of \$2<sup>50</sup> for 10 Pieces of Cedar Procured for Culvert on the Bass line.

Carried

- 4 Mr. Farr Norman  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Willoughby Moves that Paul  
Perrault receive the sum of \$10 - for use  
of Bridge and Road for Township Purpose  
for the year 1881. Carried
- 5 Mr. Farr Norman  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Willoughby Moves that the  
Bond Presented by the Collector be approved  
and that the Clerk be instructed to hand  
over the Roll to the Collector Carried
- 6 Mr. Sprague  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Winch Moves that the Bill  
of H. Draper, Clerk for Express Charges,  
Postage, Envelopes &c. and also for Selecting  
Jurors for 1882 amounting to \$11 <sup>52</sup> /  
be paid. Carried
- 7 Mr. Willoughby,  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Farr Norman Moves that the  
Bill of Neil Morton amounting to \$4 <sup>41</sup> /  
for bread furnished F York be paid  
Carried -
- 8 Mr. Winch,  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Sprague Moves that William  
Willoughby receive \$10 - he, being sick  
and his family being in want of clothing  
and that the Reeve grant his Order  
for the same Carried
- 9 Mr. Farr Norman,  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Winch Moves that the Bond  
Presented by the Treasurer of this Municip-  
-ality be accepted as satisfactory Carried

10 Mr. Sprague.

Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Winch Moves that the Bill of Hart and Company amounting to 79<sup>cts</sup> and also the Bill of the General Hospital amounting to \$26-<sup>00</sup> be Paid and that the Reeve Grant his Order for the same.

Carried

11 Mr. Sprague.

Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Winch Moves that this Council do now Adjourn to meet again at this Place on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of December next.

Carried

The Council then Adjourned

# Draper, Clerk } Isaac Marritt Reeve

Bethaven, 12<sup>th</sup> December 1851

Council met on the above date

Members all Present

Keene in the Chair

Minutes of Previous Meeting read and confirmed

The following Communications viz.

From Dr. H. M. Spooner with reference to Horse injured by breaking through sluice on the Road

From Thos. Ellis Complaining of wrong Assessment for Dog.

From John Sawyerby also Complaining of being wrongly Assessed for Dog.

A Petition of D. Mr. Willan & 36 others asking a Grant of money on the Town Line between East & North Quillinbury.

And several Bills were laid before the Council

- Res. No. 1 Mr. Sprague.  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Wrench, moves that all Bills and Communications be received and that the Council resolve itself into Committee of the whole on the same at 1 O. Clock. P. M.  
Carried
- 2 Mr. Willoughby, Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Van Horneman. Moves that the Bill of Caleb Mearns for Necessaries furnished Elisha Draper amounting to \$6<sup>14</sup> be Paid and also that the sum of \$5-00 be placed in the hands of the said Caleb Mearns for further supplies to the said Elisha Draper and that he make his returns to the Council at its next meeting  
Carried

3 Mr. Van Norman, seconded by Mr. Willoughby moves that the Bill of D. McMillan amounting to \$1<sup>50</sup> for gravel purchased in East Gwillimbury be paid

Carried

4 Mr. Sprague, Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Birch moves that the Township collector be instructed to accept from Mr. Baxter \$6<sup>12</sup> being one third of the amount of back taxes charged against lands occupied by Mrs. Reid in 1878. Mr. Baxter only being responsible for taxes chargeable against part of Lot 16 in the Lake Concession which Mrs. Reid occupied in 1878

Carried

5 Mr. Sprague, Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Birch moves that the Petition of D. McMillan and others be laid over until the next meeting of this Council

Carried

6 Mr. Van Norman, Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Sprague moves that the Receiver be, and he is hereby authorized to grant his Order on the Treasurer to the Secretary of the several school sections (by their procuring the necessary Certificate from the Trustees) for the several amounts set down in the Schedule hereunto Annexed, and that the seal of the Corporation be attached to this Resolution.

Carried

Schedule

School section No. 1-	\$342-50
" " " 2	397-57 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
" " " 3	374-82
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7 Mr. Willoughby, Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Sprague Moves that the Bill of Stephen Winch amounting to \$12<sup>00</sup> being Amount Paid by him on Contract let to Timothy Harman on the 7<sup>th</sup> Commission be Paid, and that said Amount be deducted from the Price of Contract when the Contract is Completed.

Carried  
8 Mr. Van Norman, Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Willoughby Moves that the time for the Collector to make his Returns be extended until the 14<sup>th</sup> day of January next 1882.

Carried  
9 Mr. Sprague, Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Winch Moves that Elijah Mosser be instructed to expend \$10- in Procuring the Necessaries of life for Joseph Stickland, and that he Present his Bill at the Next Meeting of Council

Carried  
It being one O. Clock the Council Resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Remainder of the Bill &c.

Mr. Sprague in the Chair

Committee Rose and Reported the Report.

Report Received & Adopted

Report read as follows

Council in Committee of the Whole report as follow:

That your Committee would recommend the Payment of the following Bills

Bill of Geo. Pollock for Plank for Culvert  
Road Division No. 18. \$1-50

- Of Van Heier for flour and Meal furnished  
J. Stickland — — — \$3-43
- Of J. A. Sheppard repairing road scrapers 1-10
- " E. Jackson Printing &c. 8-50
- " D. E. Blake Cedar for Culvert, Per J. Warriner 0-50
- " Wm. Ardell Cedar for Culvert & use of R. Scrapers 3-75
- " Thos. Ratcliff Printing &c. 38-05
- " David Draper, Culvert & Ditch 6-00
- " Phil Morton Bread &c furnished F. York 4-00
- " C. P. Dermody Sheep killed by Dogs 4-00
- " Jas. Hamilton filling Ditch on 6<sup>th</sup> Corn 0-75
- " John Sawyer, wrongly assessed for Dog 1-00
- " W. P. Cole for use of Road for T<sup>h</sup> Purposes 5-00
- " Dr. Spooner damage done to Horse by breaking  
through Culvert. 20-00

signed D. H. Spooner Chairman  
Mr. Van Norman asked leave to introduce  
a By Law fixing the Place for holding the  
Nominations and Municipal Elections for 1882  
Appointing Deputy Returning Officers &c.

Leave was granted & the By Law introduced

By Law Passed through its several stages  
and was finally Passed



A By Law was also introduced in Blank form for Paying the Councillors & other Officers

The By Law was read a first & second time and the Council went into Committee of the whole thereon

Mr. T. M. Norman in the Chair

Committee rose and Reported the By Law with the blanks filled up

Report Received & Adopted

The By Law was then read a third time and Passed.

Mr. Birch. Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Sprague Moves that this Council do now Adjourn sine die  
Carried

The Council then Adjourned

#Draper. Clerk Isaac Marriott Reeve

Belhaven. 26<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1881

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A Special Meeting of Council was held  
on the above date called by the Reeve  
for the Purpose of Considering the Matter  
of back taxes due on Lot No. 13 - Con. 6 (S. E. 1/4)

— Members all Present —

Reeve in the Chair

Mr. Willoughby:

Sec<sup>d</sup> by Mr. Finch Moves that the Collector  
be instructed to accept from Wm. Mahoney  
or John Smith the Amount of taxes charged  
against the S. E. Quarter of Lot No. 13. Con. 6 in  
the years 1878 & 79. being \$21<sup>06</sup> less \$1<sup>50</sup> Reduction  
of Road work in 1879.

Carried

Council then Adjourned

# Draper Clerk      Isaac Merrill Reeve

Belhaven 30th December 1881

A Special Meeting of the Council was held on the above date

Members all Present

Reeve in the Chair

The Reeve stated that the Corporation was sued by Jeremiah Graham on account of collection of taxes for survey of the 8th Concession and it would be necessary to take immediate action in the matter and for that reason he had called the Council together

N. M. Farr Motion.  
Sec<sup>d</sup> by J. Willoughby Moves that the Reeve be instructed to take legal opinion from J. Mr. Dougal on the claim of Graham for damage against the Corporation, with authority to employ them to defend the suit.  
Carried

The Council then Adjourned

#Drapier, Clerk Isaac Marriott Reeve