

COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
MAY 8, 1995

President Simpson called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM with the following Councilors present: Mr. Schmitt, Mr. Zellner, Mr. Eline, Mr. Frazee, Ms. Giles, Mr. Troxell and Mr. Kreisher. Mrs. Gustafson was not present. Also in attendance were: Mayor Linn, Donald Oyler, Mr. Sterner, Chief Gantz, Mr. Weikert, Mr. Lawver, Mr. Little and Lucy Basalla of the Gettysburg Times.

Moved Mr. Schmitt, seconded Mr. Troxell to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried.

Moved Mr. Schmitt, seconded Mr. Zellner to approve the minutes of April 10 as presented. Motion carried.

Citizens in attendance:

Dan & Mary Dooley, 54 E. Middle St.; Robin Thomas, 56 E. Middle St.; Jack Hand, 57 E. Middle St.; Phyllis Varanelli, 58 E. Middle St.; Kathryn & Norman Reeher, 61 E. Middle St.; Roberta & Denis Sullivan, 33 E. Middle St.; Patricia Black, 28 E. High St.; Steve Allen, 19 E. High St.; Gary Hartman, 126 Baltimore St.; and Allen Weikert, 67 E. Middle St. attended to voice concern over the fire siren at the rear of 40 East High Street. They feel it should only be used for emergencies such as tornado alert.

Timothy Braband, president of the Gettysburg Fire Department acknowledged that the Department is aware of the concerns of the citizens. Fire Department officials have scheduled a meeting on May 31 at 7:30 PM at the fire department for a public information session.

Polly Parone, representing the Retail Merchants Association, had nothing to offer.

Joyce Jackson, 49 Steinwehr Avenue and Tammy Myers, 18 Seminary Avenue informed Council of their concern with transient vendors. They would prefer that Council not permit street vendors. They presented a petition to Council in support of their request.

Solicitor Oyler noted that Council cannot prohibit street vendors or transient business, and further that Council cannot charge fees for licenses beyond the actual cost of administering the ordinance.

Mayor Linn explained the application process. Applicants must complete an application in which both the Mayor and Chief of Police review prior to issuance of the permit. If for some reason the applicant is not suitable they are not be issued a permit.

Master Chief Michael Cohcoran and Senior Chief R. Scott Jahnke of the USS Gettysburg attended the meeting to observe Council.

Mr. Zellner had nothing to report for Human Relations.

Mr. Troxell reported that the Legislative Committee will meet on Monday, May 15 at 4:00. Straban and Cumberland Township Supervisors have been invited to discuss possibilities of mutual cooperation.

Moved Mr. Frazee, seconded Ms. Giles to approve HARB "consent Agenda" with the exception of Item F. Council requests additional information on the demolition of the St. James parsonage prior to giving its final approval. Motion carried unanimously.

Moved Mr. Frazee, seconded Mr. Troxell to approve the special meeting of HARB on May 4 to consider item H on the meeting agenda of April 26 - proposed alterations to the rear of 13 Steinwehr Avenue. Motion carried unanimously.

Moved Ms. Giles, seconded Mr. Schmitt to reappoint Dr. Harrison F. Harbach to the Civil Service Commission. This is a six (6) year term and will expire in May 2001. Motion carried.

Moved Mr. Schmitt, seconded Mr. Frazee to approve all bills and payrolls for the month. Motion carried unanimously.

Moved Mr. Kreisher, seconded Mr. Zellner to apply for County Aid funds this year in the amount of \$3,065.95. Motion carried unanimously.

Managers report:

USS Gettysburg crew has arrived. There will be a welcoming Tuesday morning at 9:00 AM in the Borough Office, and many other events are scheduled.

Due to a pedestrian's recent fall on their sidewalk, a notice was issued to Statler's Upholstery to repair their sidewalk on East Water Street.

Gettysburg Municipal Authority will be holding a meeting in Council Chambers on Monday, May 15 at 7:30 PM, to inform citizens of their plans to increase water usage from the Marsh Creek.

Moved Mr. Troxell, seconded Mr. Frazee to adopt the resolution honoring Sergeant Roosevelt Sistrunk on his retirement. Motion carried.

The PELRAS seminar attended by Chief Gantz and Manager Sterner was very beneficial. Information is available for those interested.

Mr. Little, noting the 50th anniversary of VE Day, acknowledged those veterans in attendance, including Mayor Linn, Mr. Frazee, and Mr. Troxell.

Mr. Oyler reported that another meeting will be held in Hanover concerning the Keystone Lawsuit. He will update Council at the next Council meeting.

Moved Mr. Frazee, seconded Ms. Giles to except the exoneration report from G. H. Harris Associates for tax year 1993. Motion carried unanimously.

Moved Mr. Schmitt, seconded Ms. Giles that Council not renew the contract with Marshall Miller Real Estate for the listing of 34 East Middle Street which is due to expire on May 15. Motion carried unanimously.

In an effort to sell the old office, Council directed that a public auction be held on June 20 at 10:00 AM in Council Chambers.

With no further business Mr. Schmitt moved seconded Ms. Giles to adjourn the meeting at 9:00 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sara L. Weaver".

Sara L. Weaver
Borough Secretary



**BOROUGH OF GETTYSBURG
ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

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Francis I. Linn, Mayor
Charles W. Sterner, Treasurer
and Borough Manager

Jean E. Simpson, President, Council
Jay R. Schmitt, Sr., Vice President
Sara L. Weaver, Borough Secretary
Donald G. Oyler, Borough Solicitor

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Roosevelt Sistrunk, more affectionately known as Slim, began his duties as a Gettysburg Borough Police Officer on September 1, 1968, and,

WHEREAS, Sergeant Sistrunk progressed through the ranks being promoted to Corporal on January 3, 1974, and promoted to the rank of Sergeant, the second highest ranking Police Officer in the Borough, on May 16, 1976, and,

WHEREAS, Sergeant Sistrunk has served the community faithfully, protecting the citizens and visitors of our town without regard for his own personal safety, and

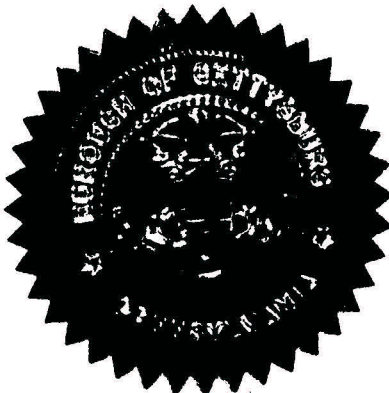
WHEREAS, throughout his tenure with the Gettysburg Police Department Sergeant Sistrunk was well known throughout the Borough, earning the admiration and respect of all Gettysburgians as well as his peers, and


WHEREAS, after nearly twenty seven years of dedicated public service Sergeant Sistrunk has announced his well deserved retirement.

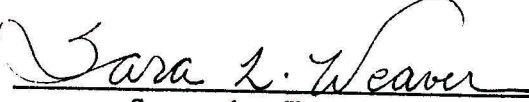
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Gettysburg, by unanimous action, and hereby records upon the minutes of this meeting, May 8, 1995, its commendation of

SERGEANT ROOSEVELT SISTRUNK

for his outstanding service to the Gettysburg community as a policeman extending over a period in excess of 26 years and for his dedication to the task of making the Borough of Gettysburg a safer place in which to live and work.




Jean E. Simpson
President of Council


Sara L. Weaver
Borough Secretary

REPORT DATE 04/12/95

G. H. HARRIS ASSOCIATES
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County of Adams
Boro of Gettysburg

* DENOTES CHANGE OF ADDRESS

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MI	ADDRESS	CITY	ST	ZIP	----- EXONERATED -----
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FOWLER	SHERMAN	F	* 4 LINCOLN WAY EAST	NEW OXFORD	PA	17350	5.50 NON-RESIDENT
WILDASIN	MICHELLE	R	* 42 LINCOLN WAY EAST	NEW OXFORD	PA	17340	5.50 NON-RESIDENT

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