

GENESEE COUNTY ASSOCIATION OF CLERKS AND TREASURERS
OCTOBER 3, 1990

ATTENDANCE: 39

The October Meeting was called to order by Don Becker, President, at 12:00 noon,
October 3, 1990 at Bosley's Restaurant.

Mr. Becker announced that meeting was the 196th meeting and the association was in its 18th year. Mr. Becker also said the Clerk's of Genesee County have formalized a Clerk's group, but hoped they would continue as part of the Clerk/Treasurer's Association also.

Loretta Manwaring, President of the Governmental Clerk's of Genesee County said the officers are Bill Walworth, Vice-President, Martha Lahring, Secretary and Carol Arovy, Treasurer. There will be a meeting in November to discuss whether we will be incorporating or remain as an association.

Mr. Becker said Spouses' Night Out will be held on October 26th at the Grand Blanc Golf Club at 6:30 P.M. The tickets are \$14.00 per person.

Janet Johnston announced that the City of Burton received the Michigan Municipal League's Achievement Award for have Computers at the Polling Places.

Cheryl Ladd read a thank you note from Loretta Manwaring for the flowers sent to her after her recent surgery.

Bob Myers, Genesee Township Clerk, said the Paws for Cause raised \$1,837.00 at the fund raiser for Joan's daughter.

Mr. Becker said Joan is a waitress at Bosley's. We will have them back again next year and through this fund raiser, this little girl will end up with a dog, as she is in a wheelchair.

NEW BUSINESS

Mr. Becker said the Michigan Consumer's Counsel has a booklet out "How To Review and Appeal Your Tax Assessment". The cost is \$30.00 per 1,000 and these are good to pass out to the customers.

A memo was sent from Bishop Airport Authority to send checks directly to the Bishop Airport Authority.

NEW BUSINESS

Mr. Hungerford was called to Jury Duty today, so Steve Tessler is here from the County to explain some of the new ideas they have. Next month will be Warren Vyvyan to explain the Drain Assessments. In December, Parks and Recreation will be coming back and will be giving passes for Crossroads Village.

Guest Speaker

Mr. Steve Tessler from Genesee County explained the new tax system has run into a snag on the graphics. Hopefully, for the winter taxes we will get Thetford Township and Forest Township up and running and will get everyone else by next

summers. The delinquent system will be up to par. Those who are on line, or who are interested in using the delinquent system, should sent Mr. Hungerford a letter from the Supervisor or Mayor or whoever is in charge because a password has to be issued. Once I have your password, I will come out to show you how to use it. If you are on line, we will give you ready access.

The Appraisal System has been put into service and units have tested them. In two (2) weeks, the results will be back from Lansing. Different units have different ways to backload. Vienna Township and Argentine are getting into this system. If you are in the system, you wouldn't have to stamp the book. When we send you your Winter copy, we have the pay dates in the book. The City of Burton did this last year.

We have been talking to a Computer Company located in Southfield and was very impressed. It is a unique company and they print services and special forms. They use a laser printer and can save you money because they do forms much easier. They have all the information necessary to send the bid back. If anyone is interested, please let us know.

As soon as we get the graphics mapping system up and running, we are going to the new Parcel Numbering System. It is a 10 digit number system and the first two digits will refer to State accounting unit.

Discussion was held in regards to the cost of mailing statements and various ways of saving on postage.

People who are on line with the County will be moved to the new system first. The County has already decided this.

Marge Bissonnette asked if there would be any changes in the forms. Mr. Tessler replied there would be no changes. The Parcel number will be on both sides.

Mr. Becker said the dog licenses are going up again from \$12.00 to \$15.00.

Mr. Barkey said he didn't know they were going up again until the day it was in the paper. Mr. Barkey noted the County Treasurer's Office will not be open on Monday's and Thursday's for the month of October so they can catch up on the backlog. Discussion was held in regards to the dog licenses.

NEXT MEETING - November 7, 1990 - Program - Warren Vyvyan, Genesee County Drains

FINANCIAL REPORT

Beginning Balance 10-01-90	\$45.45
Postage for Oct. Mtg.	-12.00
Guest Speaker Luncheon	- 5.50
Dues from October Mtg.	+28.15
Postage for Nov. Mtg.	-12.00
Ending Balance 10-30-90	\$44.10