Bellerose Commonwealth Civic Association. 4/13/65 at P.S. 133

Minutes of the previous meeting read and accepted.

Mrs Fallon read and spoke on some of the correspondence such as the YMCA appeal for donations for the 239th Street Y.; the meetings of Local School Board 51-52; and correspondence from the Association of Neighborhood Councils of Greater New York. Mrs Fallon said she thought it might be worth while looking into the values or oppositions of this Organization.

Mr. Stormont reported on the last meeting of the Eastern Queens Civic Council. He said Sewer Assessment Protest forms would be ready next month. He also stressed the importance of all crimes, regardless of how minor, being reported to the police.

Mrs. Fallon said she had written to Sen. Halpern to see if it were possible to obtain a flag from the Capitol. We would not procede with buying a new flag until a reply was received on this.

Mrs. Fallon then spoke on the progress of Incorporation proceedings. A copy of our Constitution and officers was sent to Mr. Greenblatt who is to procede from there.

Next, we heard a report by Mr, Seminaro on our Installation Dance to be held Fri., June 11th at Cardo's on 222nd Street and Braddock Ave. He said the tickets were \$2.50 each and the capacity was 130 people. He urged everyone to buy tickets and make this dance a real success.

Mr. Stormont then gave the report of the Nominating Committee. The slate was not complete, but was given as completely as possible at that time.

Mrs. Fallon said that we had been sent 10 tickets to the Eastern Queens Council Installation Dinner-Dance on June 4th. A motion was made by Mrs. Gold and seconded by Mr. Whitley that we buy 5 tickets to this affair. It was carried unanimously.

The next topic discussed was the Proposed Sewer Assessments. Mrs. Fallon said there was nothing new to report. The assessments figures have not yet been posted in the City Record. When they are, we must move to get signatures on the Protest Petitions. Mr. McCarthy confirmed this information.

Proportional Representation was then explained to us and a discussion followed. Mr. McCarthy made a motion that this Organization go on Record as opposing Proportional Representation. This was seconded by Mr. O'Neill and was carried unanimously.

Mrs. Brown discussed the last Local School Board 51-52 meeting. She said that there was no formal brief submitted to the Board by the PTA of P.S. 133 or any Organization in this area. She also discussed many of the other changes proposed by the Board of Education and urged that we keep informed as any of these changes would affect all of us in our taxes.

Meeting adjourned at 10:00 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted, Joan Brown, Rec. Secy.