

**MINUTES
MAYOR AND COUNCIL
BOROUGH OF NORWOOD
PUBLIC MEETING
May 1, 2007**

The Public Meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Norwood was held at Borough Hall on the above date.

Mayor Barsa called the meeting to order at 7:15 PM.

Mayor Barsa led the Council and those in attendance in a salute to the American flag and asked for a moment of silence and asked those present to remember former Councilman Peter Altenbach, Jr. who passed away one year ago.

Mayor Barsa stated:

“ Adequate notice of this meeting has been provided in accordance with the Open Public Meeting Law, P.L. 1975, Ch. 231, setting forth the time, date, place and purpose of this Public Meeting through a legal notice published in the Press Journal on January 11, 2007, filing a copy in the Borough Clerk’s office and posting on the bulletin board.”

Roll Call:

Mayor Barsa	Present
Councilman Brizzolara	Present
Councilman Knigin	Absent
Council President Scott	Present
Councilman Guercio	Present
Councilwoman Senatore	Present
Councilman Condoleo	Present

Also Present:

Andrew Fede, Esq.	Borough Attorney
Michael Neglia	Borough Engineer
Christopher Taverna	Borough Engineer

Mayor Barsa pointed out the fire exits.

Public Hearing on Ordinance 07:07

Mayor Barsa stated that he had before him Ordinance 07:07 for Council action entitled:

CALENDAR YEAR 2007 ORDINANCE TO EXCEED THE MUNICIPAL
BUDGET APPROPRIATION LIMITS AND TO ESTABLISH A CAP BANK
(N.J.S.A.40A:4-45.14)

Mr. Scott offered a motion to open the meeting to the public. The motion was seconded by Mr. Guercio with all Council Members present voting in favor of the motion. No one wishing to be heard, it was moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Guercio to close the meeting to the public. All Council Members present voted in favor of the motion.

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A motion to adopt Ordinance 07:07 was made by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Guercio. On the roll call vote:

Ayes: Scott, Guercio, Senatore and Condoleo
Nays: Brizzolara
Absent: Knigin

There being four (4) ayes and one nay, the ordinance was finally adopted and will take effect upon publication in the Press Journal.

Hearing on 2007 Municipal Budget:

Mayor Barsa asked for a motion to adopt Resolution 07:84 authorizing the Budget to be read by title only.

The motion was made by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Guercio with all Council Members present voting aye.

Mayor Barsa asked for a motion to open the meeting to the public for discussion on the 2007 Municipal Budget. The motion was made by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Guercio with all Council Members present voting aye.

Mayor Emeritus Michael Kaplan, 237 Tappan Road congratulated the governing body on putting together a sound budget and said that he noticed that sufficient funds were provided in the S/W line in the Police Department for promotions. Mayor Kaplan expressed his feelings on why it was important to the morale of the Department for the Council to move forward with the promotions. Mrs. Senatore thanked Mayor Kaplan for his support and agreed that the Council should move forward with the promotions since the Police Department doesn't have the right personnel in charge and not enough officers to effectively run the Department.

Mr. George Hertzberg, 24 Carter Street asked why the Mayor and Council did not provide the public with a detailed report on the reasons for substantial increases in certain line items in the Budget. Mr. Hertzberg said he would like to see a detailed letter to the residents in the same format used by the Board of Education to explain their budget. Mr. Hertzberg went on to explain that the public was entitled to justification for the 18% increase in the Police Department S/W. Mayor Barsa explained that the police salaries are the result of a collective bargaining agreement. A discussion ensued regarding the increase in criminal and drug activity in the Borough and insufficient staff as a major factor for the increase in overtime expenditures. Mr. Brizzolara informed that he was still waiting for a report from Mrs. Senatore regarding possible cuts to the police budget.

There being no other member of the public wishing to be heard, it was moved by Mr. Brizzolara and seconded by Mr. Scott to close the meeting to the public with all Council Members present voting in favor of the motion.

Mayor Barsa called for a motion to approve the 2007 Municipal Budget (Resolution 07:85). It was moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Condoleo to adopt the 2007 Municipal Budget (Resolution 07:85). On the roll call vote:

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Ayes: Scott, Guercio, Senatore, and Condoleo
Nays: Brizzolara
Absent: Knigin

With a roll call vote of four (4) ayes and one nay the 2007 Municipal Budget was approved. Mayor Barsa thanked the Finance Committee, Borough Auditor, CFO and Administrator for the work they did on the Budget. Councilwoman Senatore said that in her eight years on the Council this was the best budget ever.

Public Comment:

A motion to open the meeting to the public was made by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Guercio with all Council Members present voting in favor of the motion.

Mr. George Hertzberg, 24 Carter Street stated that he felt the people of Norwood had the right to see the justification for the increases in the police salary portion of the budget. Mrs. Senatore responded that because of the increase in overtime last year the Council agreed to the hiring of an additional police officer. Mayor Barsa invited Chief Krapels to address Mr. Hertzberg's concerns. Chief Krapels reviewed the need for two men on duty during the midnight shift, the yearly cost in overtime to cover that shift, the additional training mandated by the State and Federal Government and the increase in population in the Borough as contributing factors for the increase in the police department salary and wage line.

Mr. Murray Bass, Piermont Road congratulated the Mayor and Council on putting together the Budget.

There being no other member of the public wishing to be heard, it was moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mrs. Senatore to close the meeting to the public with all Council Members present voting in favor of the motion.

Mayor Barsa read the following proclamations:

Celebrate Arbor Day

WHEREAS, In 1872, J. Sterling Morton proposed to the Nebraska Board of Agriculture that a special day be set aside for the planting of trees, and

WHEREAS, this holiday, call Arbor Day, was first observed with the planting of more than a million trees in Nebraska, and

WHEREAS, trees can reduce the erosion of our precious topsoil by wind and water, cut heating and cooling costs, moderate the temperature, clean the air, produce life-giving oxygen and provide habitat for wildlife, and

WHEREAS, trees are a renewable resource giving us paper, wood for our homes, fuel for our fires and countless other wood products, and

WHEREAS, trees in our town increase property values, enhance the economic vitality of business areas and beautify our community, and

WHEREAS, trees wherever they are planted are a source of joy and spiritual renewal.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, James P. Barsa, Mayor of the Borough of Norwood, do hereby proclaim April 27, 2007 as Arbor Day in the Borough of Norwood, and I urge all citizens to celebrate Arbor Day and support efforts to protect our trees and woodlands, and

FURTHER, I urge all citizens to plant trees to gladden the heart and promote the well-being of this and future generations

“Municipal Clerk’s Week”

WHEREAS, the Office of the Municipal Clerk, a time honored and vital part of local government exists throughout the world; and

WHEREAS, the Office of the Municipal Clerk is the oldest among public servants; and

WHEREAS, Municipal Clerks have pledged to be ever mindful of their neutrality and impartiality, rendering equal service to all; and

WHEREAS, the Municipal Clerk serves as the information center on functions of local government and community; and

WHEREAS, Municipal Clerks continually strive to improve the administration of the affairs of the Office of the Municipal Clerk through participation in education programs, seminars, workshops and the annual meetings of their state, province, county and international professional organizations; and

WHEREAS, it is most appropriate that we recognize the accomplishments of the Office of the Municipal Clerk.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, James P. Barsa, Mayor of the Borough of Norwood, do recognize the week of April 29 through May 5, 2007 as Municipal Clerks Week and further extend appreciation to our Municipal Clerk, Lorraine McMackin, and our Deputy Clerk, Carol Donovan and to all Municipal Clerks for the vital services they perform and their exemplary dedication to the communities they represent.

“American Cancer Society Day”

WHEREAS, over one million people get cancer each year, approximately one out of every two American men and one out of every three American women will have some type of cancer at some point during their lifetime; and

WHEREAS, risk factors for cancer can include a person’s age, family medical history or can be related to lifestyle choices such as tobacco and alcohol use, diet, and sun exposure; and

WHEREAS, the towns of Garfield, Lodi, and Saddle Brook are joining forces with the American Cancer Society to proclaim May 5, 2007, as American Cancer Society Day; and

WHEREAS, this special day will increase awareness of cancer in the community and will be dedicated to fundraising money that will help in the research to fight this disease; and

WHEREAS, these activities represent the hope that those lost to cancer will never be forgotten, that those who face cancer will be supported, and that one day cancer will be eliminated; and

WHEREAS, the research will provide for better diagnostic tools and innovative treatments that will help provide hope and healing to those who have been diagnosed with cancer; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that I, James P. Barsa, Mayor of the Borough of Norwood do hereby declare May 5, 2007 as American Cancer Society Day and urge the residents of the Borough to join and support any activities that will further the research of cancer; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be sent to Bergen County Executive Dennis McNerney, the Bergen County Department of Human Services and Health Services, Gilda’s Club in Hackensack, and to the Clerk of each of the 70 municipalities of Bergen County.

Correspondence:

Mayor Barsa read the following correspondence into the record:

1. Thank you note from the Doty Family
2. Invitation from the Borough of Harrington Park for a Regional Meeting on Common Environmental Issues and Water Resource on May 2, 2007 at 7:30 PM
3. Letter from Assemblywoman Vandervalk thanking the Mayor and Council for their concern for the preservation of the Garden State Preservation Trust

Mayor Barsa informed that anyone wishing a copy of the correspondence could request it from the Borough Clerk.

Consent Agenda:

Mayor Barsa reviewed the items on the Consent Agenda and asked if any Council Member wished to remove an item. Mr. Condoleo requested Resolution 07:88 be removed from the Consent Agenda for further discussion. Mayor Barsa requested a motion to approve the Consent Agenda consisting of the following items:

- Approval of the minutes of February 28, March 14 and 28, 2007 Work/Executive Session; March 21, 2007 Special Budget Meeting and April 3, 2007 Public Meeting
- 07:86 Authorizing the payment of bills and vouchers in the amount of \$631,679.10
- 07:87 Authorizing the Mayor to sign the Treatment Works Approval for the LaTour Subdivision
- 07:88 Requesting New Jersey Transit provide bus service between the towns in the Northern Valley and the Edgewater Ferry Terminal
- 07:89 Opposing the extension of polling hours from 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
- 07:90 Opposing the New Jersey Transit Rate Increase
- 07:91 Supporting the Click It or Ticket Mobilization Campaign
- 07:92 Authorizing the issuance of Raffle Licenses 07:08, 07:09 and 07:10 to Holy Family Interparochial School
- 07:93 Approving the issuance of a Solicitor's Permit to Ahmad Yasin, 25 Donald Street, Clifton, NJ

It was moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Condoleo to approve the Consent Agenda. On the roll call vote, all Council Members present voted for the motion.

After some discussion regarding Resolution 07:88, the consensus of the Council was to discuss this resolution further at the May 16 work session.

Introduction of Ordinance 07:10

Mayor Barsa stated that he had before him Ordinance 07:10 for Council action entitled:

**AMENDING THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF
NORWOOD TO MODIFY AND RE-DESIGNATE SECTION
231-13 REQUIRING CHANGE OF USE APPROVAL**

It was moved by Mr. Condoleo and seconded by Mrs. Scott to introduce this ordinance on its first hearing. All Council Members present voted in favor of the motion. Mayor Barsa informed that the public hearing on this ordinance would be held on June 6, 2007.

Introduction of Ordinance 07:11

Mayor Barsa stated that he had before him Ordinance 07:11 for Council action entitled:

**VACATING AND RELOCATING PORTIONS OF A
DRAINAGE EASEMENT ON LOT 1.01, BLOCK 18 IN THE
BOROUGH OF NORWOOD**

It was moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Condoleo to introduce this ordinance on its first hearing. All Council Members present voted in favor of the motion. Mayor Barsa informed that the public hearing on this ordinance would be held on June 6, 2007.

Public Hearing of Ordinance 07:08:

Mayor Barsa stated that he had before him Ordinance 07:08 for Council action entitled:

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AN EMERGENCY
APPROPRIATION N.J.S.A. 40A:5-53**

Mr. Guercio offered a motion to open the meeting to the public. The motion was seconded by Mr. Scott with all Council Members present voting in favor of the motion. No one wishing to be heard, it was moved by Mr. Brizzolara and seconded by Mr. Scott to close the meeting to the public. All Council Members present voted in favor of the motion.

A motion to adopt Ordinance 07:08 was made by Mr. Guercio and seconded by Ms. Senatore with all Council Members present voting in favor of the motion. Mayor Barsa announced that the ordinance was finally adopted and will take effect upon publication in the Press Journal.

Public Hearing of Ordinance 07:09:

Mayor Barsa stated that he had before him Ordinance 07:09 for Council action entitled:

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ACQUISITION OF
PROPERTY KNOWN AS BLOCK 123, LOT 4 IN THE
BOROUGH OF NORWOOD**

Mr. Scott offered a motion to open the meeting to the public. The motion was seconded by Mr. Condoleo with all Council Members present voting in favor of the motion. No one wishing to be heard, it was moved by Mr. Brizzolara and seconded Mr. Scott to close the meeting to the public. All Council Members present voted in favor of the motion.

A motion to adopt Ordinance 07:09 was made by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mr. Guercio with all Council Members present voting in favor of the motion. Mayor Barsa announced that the ordinance was finally adopted and will take effect upon publication in the Press Journal.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Councilman Brizzolara:

Mr. Brizzolara reminded that Thursday, May 17th is the next Planning Board Meeting and an application will be heard to permit a restaurant to go in at the new building on Livingston Street.

Mr. Brizzolara requested that the Tax Assessor be invited to the next work session to discuss the number of tax appeals that have been filed and what the Borough's liability and risks are. The Clerk was instructed to invite Mr. Guercio.

Councilman Knigin: In the absence of Mr. Knigin no reports were given.

Council President Scott:

Mr. Scott had nothing to report at this time.

Councilman Guercio:

Board of Health: The next meeting of the Board of Health will be Monday, May 7, 2007 at 7:45 p.m.

Department of Public Works: Mr. Guercio thanked the members of the DPW for the excellent job they did during the recent nor'easter.

Councilwoman Senatore:

Police: Ms. Senatore informed that the Mayor and Council received a letter from a factory worker who was injured on the job, thanking the Norwood Police Department for coming to his aid.

Senior Club: Next meeting is Monday, May 7th at the Senior Center. Any resident of the town is welcome to join the Seniors on their many trips.

Councilman Condoleo:

Recreation: There was nothing new to report.

Finance: Mr. Condoleo thanked the Finance Committee, the CFO and the Auditor for their hard work in putting the Budget together.

Fire Department: Read the monthly report (Attachment "A"). Mr. Condoleo offered a motion to appoint Jason Sheppard as an Explorer. Mr. Scott requested that the motion be postponed until the Council could discuss it at the next work session. Mayor Barsa requested that the appointment be placed on the agenda for the May 16 work session.

Mayor Barsa informed that the June 6, 2007 Public Meeting will be held at Fox Hill Manor. Mayor Barsa also thanked the Finance Committee for their hard work on the budget and said he felt the budget was sound.

General Public Comment:

It was moved by Mr. Scott and seconded by Mrs. Senatore to open the meeting to the public for comment. All Council Members present voted for the motion.

Mr. Alan Olsen, 65 Kensington Avenue, Chairman, Shade Tree Committee addressed the Mayor and Council regarding flooding issues on Blanch and Kensington. Mr. Olsen distributed a copy of a letter sent to Norwood Planning Board on April 18, 1997 (See Attachment "B"). Mr. Olsen referenced a drainage pipe protruding from Ms. Donna Vellekamp's property as a major contributor to the recent flooding in the rear of the properties on Kensington Avenue. Mayor Barsa said that he would look at the area tomorrow with the Borough Engineer.

Mr. Michael Neglia, Borough Engineer informed the public that he spoke with the County regarding the need for curbing on Blanche Avenue and the County has agreed to install curbs along the street. Mr. Neglia explained that this will help with some of the water runoff, but that the area has a high water table causing most of the homeowners to install sump pumps. Mr. Neglia informed that the drainage pipe on Ms. Vellekamp's property is coming from Mr. Glen Wiggers' rear yard. Mr. Neglia said he would have to investigate it further, but said that he felt the flooding had nothing to do with the Borough, that it was a private matter.

Mr. Olsen, 65 Kensington Avenue informed that the catch basins on Somerset were blocked. Mr. Olsen suggested that the Borough install a drainage pipe in the rear of the homes on Kensington Avenue.

Mr. Paul Renaud, Construction Official said that he had toured Mr. Wiggers' property today and all of the water on that property is collecting in a seepage pit and draining from there. Mr. Renaud said he felt that the new house under construction on Blanch Avenue was contributing to the flooding and he would address this with the contractor. Mr. Neglia explained how a seepage pit works for the benefit of the public.

Mrs. Mary Benardella, 800 Broadway requested that the curbing along Broadway be replaced because the water draining from Tappan Road down Broadway is creating a gully and is difficult to walk along the street. Mayor Barsa asked Councilman Guercio to inform the DPW of the need for the repair. Mrs. Benardella also thanked the Mayor and Council for the acquisition of the Haring Cemetery and wanted to know if the area would be fenced off. Mayor Barsa said it would have a fence installed.

Ms. Donna Vellekamp, 800 Blanch Avenue informed that the drainage pipe discharges on her property and that it starts on Mr. Wiggers property and comes out onto her property. Ms. Vellekamp explained that most of the water is contained on her property, but during the recent storm it was impossible to stop the flooding. Ms. Vellekamp said she would like the pipe to remain since it takes care of the drainage issues on her property and Mr. Wiggers.

Mr. Richard Giaconne, 45 Kensington Avenue said that even during Hurricane Floyd they didn't have water, but that the problem began about two years ago.

Mr. Jason, 53 Kensington Avenue said that he is a three year resident and never experienced a water problem until they began building the new houses on Blanch Avenue. The water draining from Blanch Avenue is causing ponding of water on his property and Mrs. Hitt's.

Mr. Russell, 37 Kensington Avenue moved into his house in 1984 and immediately had a water problem. He diverted his downspouts away from his house through a piping system out to Kensington Avenue. Mr. Russell informed that the homes on Kensington are small and the residents try to utilize all of their living space including the basements. Mr. Russell asked what the Borough requirements are regarding impervious surface coverage for new construction and suggested that the Borough undertake a study to see if a more elaborate drainage system should be required. Mr. Russell said he felt the flooding problem is not being caused by one resident, but that it is the result of many years of over building that has created a lack of percolation. Mr. Russell said that he didn't think the pipe on Ms. Vellekamp's property is the only pipe that diverts water onto Kensington Avenue, but there were several others. Mr. Neglia responded to Mr. Russell's question regarding the Borough policy on impervious surface coverage by stating that the policy is zero increase in runoff allowance. They are not allowed to increase the runoff without storing the runoff. Mr. Neglia said that he would look at the swimming pool plan to see if any drainage was put on the plan. Mr. Neglia also said that it would be very complicated and expensive for the Borough to install a drainage system in the rear of the homes on Kensington Avenue and that not all residents would be willing to sign easement agreements with the Borough.

Chief of Police, Jeff Krapels said that the storm was rated a 500 year storm and informed that residents can file with FEMA if they had any storm related damage. Chief Krapels gave the FEMA website address.

Mrs. Haynoski, Kensington Avenue said that she is a resident of 42 years and has always had water, but this was the first time she had water in her basement to the extent that her furniture and "junk" was floating.

Mr. George Hertzberg, 24 Carter Street informed that he has complained on numerous occasions about sump pumps on Broadway discharging into the street and creating an icing condition during the winter. Also, residents on Carter and Birch are discharging their sump pumps into the street. He would like the Borough to address this issue. Mr. Neglia responded that he was aware of the problem through an e-mail from the Borough Clerk and that this could be alleviated by running a drain behind the curb that ties in the sump pumps and has them drain into the catch basins. Mr. Neglia said that there is plenty of drainage for the roadway. The drainage behind the curb would roughly cost the Borough \$50,000 to do, but it has not been a practice for the Borough to do this in the past. Councilman Brizzolara asked if this would be a precedent. Mr. Neglia said that he didn't know if it set a precedent, but it has never been done before in Norwood. Mr. Hertzberg again asked that the Mayor and Council provide more information and explanation regarding the increases in certain areas of the budget like the police department. Mr. Hertzberg said he felt that the public should see the justifications for the increases. Mayor Barsa said he would consider the suggestion next year.

Mrs. Robin Giaconne, 45 Kensington Avenue wanted to know when the drainage pipe was installed and when the pools were also installed. She said that they have two sump pumps and never had a problem with water. She has called the Building Department since October 2005 complaining about the water problem. She would like to have the pipe removed if it is illegal or at the minimal capped.

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Mayor Barsa sympathizes with the residents of Norwood who suffered damage as a result of the storm and he wants to address the residents' concerns and hopefully, the Borough will not see another storm like this one.

Councilman Scott said that he has been a Norwood resident for almost 70 years and he has never had water on his property before. He has 6" of standing water in the rear of his property. He said that as a resident of Norwood we all know that the town has water problems and the over development doesn't help, but hopefully with the conservation of the Central Woods it will help.

No other member of the public wishing to be heard, a motion to close the meeting to the public was made by Mr. Scott, seconded by Mr. Guercio and declared carried upon the affirmative vote of all Council Members present.

At 9:00 PM, a motion was made by Mr. Guercio and seconded by Mrs. Senatore to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,



Lorraine L. McMackin, RMC, CMC
Administrator/Clerk



NORWOOD FIRE CO. NO. 1, INC.

602 BROADWAY

NORWOOD, NEW JERSEY 07648



CHIEFS REPORT FOR APRIL 2007

FIRE CALLS

Building Fire	<u>11</u>
Brush Fire	<u>0</u>
Automobile Fire	<u>0</u>
Accident Assist	<u>1</u>
Rescue	<u>0</u>
Hazmat	<u>0</u>
False Alarm	<u>7</u>
Other Emergency	<u>7</u>

OTHER NON EMERGENCY CALLS

Company Drills	<u>1</u>
Mutual Aid Drills	<u> </u>
Schools	<u>3</u>
House Duties	<u>2</u>
Miscellaneous	<u>17</u>

TOTAL CALLS 26

Man Hours Expended

Fires	<u>542.8</u>
Drills	<u>28.5</u>
Training	<u>36.6</u>
House Duties	<u>12.5</u>
Miscellaneous	<u>151.4</u>

TOTAL MAN HOURS 771.8

TOTALS THROUGH MONTH OF

APRIL 2007

Fires	<u>601.8</u>
Drills & Other	<u>602</u>

TOTAL MAN HOURS 2,243.8

Respectfully Submitted,

Richard J. Hess, Chief
Norwood Fire Company No. 1

April 18, 1997

Mayor and Council
Borough of Norwood

At the planning Board session of April 17, 1997, the enclosed presentation dated April 4, 1997 was distributed to the planning board members, discussed and entered into the minutes.

We, the homeowners listed on the document, residing in the southeast portion of the Borough (see attached map), request that this document be recalled and reconsidered before any future property subdivisions are granted in the water flow area shown on the attached map.

Thank you for your consideration.



Allen T. Olsen
65 Kensington Avenue

BOROUGH OF NORWOOD

PLANNING BOARD PRESENTATION

APRIL 17, 1997

ATTACHED STATEMENT PRESENTED ON
4/17/97 CONTAINED A LIST OF 65 CONCERNED
INDIVIDUALS. A TOTAL OF 43 ATTENDED THIS
AND 2 PRIOR SESSIONS.

ON MAY 6, 1997 COUNCILMAN KAPLAN
READ INTO RECORD THIS STATEMENT
AS PART OF PLANNING COMMITTEE REPORT.

ALLEN T. OLSEN
65 KENSINGTON AVE.

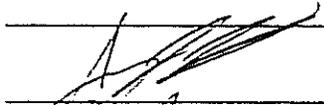
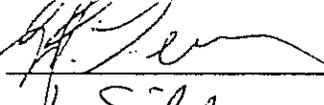
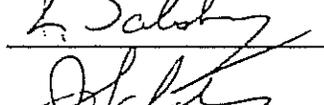
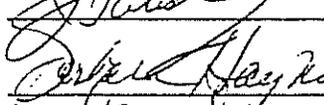
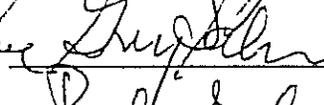
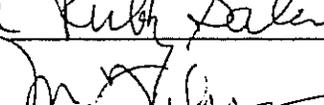
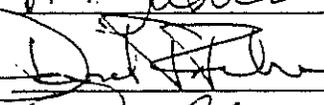
To: The Borough of Norwood

The following homeowners residing in the Southeast portion of the Borough on Kensington Ave., Wyndham Road, Blanch Ave., Somerset Road and the lower end of Summit Street request that this document be read into the minutes of this meeting entered into public record.

The purpose of this document is to identify the obvious presence of a vast underground water flow. This water flow is evident in the form of wet and mildewed basements, soggy lawns, running surface water, street cave-ins and broken street pavement in the areas of flow.

Ray McKenna, former mayor, had requested that an engineering survey be performed to identify the scope of the water problem. As a result of this 1970's alleged survey, the attached map shows the vastness of this underground flow. This flow emanates from high water table from the Oradell Reservoir runoff from numerous springs and ground water. It was also indicated that the disturbance of soil in the form of excavating, backfilling, regrading and soil removal, as well as tree removal, would upset the balance of this natural water flow. Residents who have had water problems, potentially could see their problems worsen. Those residents who currently have no water problems, could have this arid condition change.

Attachment

Resident Name	Address	Signature
JAY L. LEVY	39 Somerset Rd	
MARCY R. LEVY	39 Somerset Rd.	
Linda Salisbury	20 Kensington Ave	
John Salisbury	20 Kensington Ave	
BARBARA HAYNOSKI	21 Kensington Ave	
Gregory Salamo	24 Kensington Ave	
Ruby Salamo	24 Kensington Ave	
Marilyn Fuhrmann	69 Kensington	
DAVID J. FUHRMANN	69 KENSINGTON AVE	
PAUL WALTHER	82 KENSINGTON AV	

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Resident Name PRINT	Address	Signature
JOE MANZO	121 Kensington Ave	<i>Joe Manzo</i>
ROBERT J. HARDT	10 KENSINGTON	<i>Robert J. Hardt</i>
Dorothy Clair	112 Kensington Ave.	<i>Dorothy Clair</i>
GEORGE LESTERU	31 Kensington Ave	<i>George Lesteru</i>
JOE ISGRU	115 SOMERSET RD	<i>Joe Isgru</i>
<i>Walter</i>	112 SOMERSET RD	<i>Walter</i>
Jung Soo	17 Somerset Rd.	<i>Jung Soo</i>
James Kim	55 Kensington Ave	<i>James Kim</i>
Walter Feyer	760 Blanch Ave	<i>Walter Feyer</i>
WENDY LAZAR	760 Blanch Ave	<i>Wendy Lazar</i>

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Lila Deitch	" "	<i>Lila Deitch</i>
Dot Samuelson	62 KENSINGTON	<i>Dot Samuelson</i>
ED SAMUELSEN	" "	<i>Ed Samuelson</i>
Jane W. Platt	51 Kensington Ave	<i>Jane W. Platt</i>
David Cullen	44 Kensington Ave.	<i>David Cullen</i>
Pete Attenbach	53 Kensington Ave	<i>Pete Attenbach</i>
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KATHARINE FROST	11 Kensington Ave	<i>Katharine Frost</i>

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FRANK BOWLING	28 KENSINGTON AVE	<i>Frank Bowling</i>
ELAINE BOWLING	28 KENSINGTON AVE	<i>Elaine Bowling</i>
MICHAEL Denise Kaplan	860 Blanch Ave	<i>Michael Kaplan</i>
Rasik & Chandrika Patel	36 Summit St Norwood	<i>Rasik Patel</i>
Glen Wiggers	806 Blanch Ave.	<i>Glen Wiggers</i>
Anne Wiggers	806 Blanch Ave	<i>Anne Wiggers</i>
Robert MAUER	119 Kensington Ave	<i>Robert Mauer</i>

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RICK RUSSELL	371 KENSINGTON AVE	Rick Russell
John S Haws	35 Kensington Ave	John S Haws
Benj. HAYNOSKI	21 Kensington Ave.	Benjamin Haynoski
Robin Haar	142 Kensington AVE	Robin Haar
DONALD LUDWIG	31 SOMERSET ROAD	Donald L. Ludwig
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Donald R Lehmann	125 Somerset Rd	Donald R Lehmann

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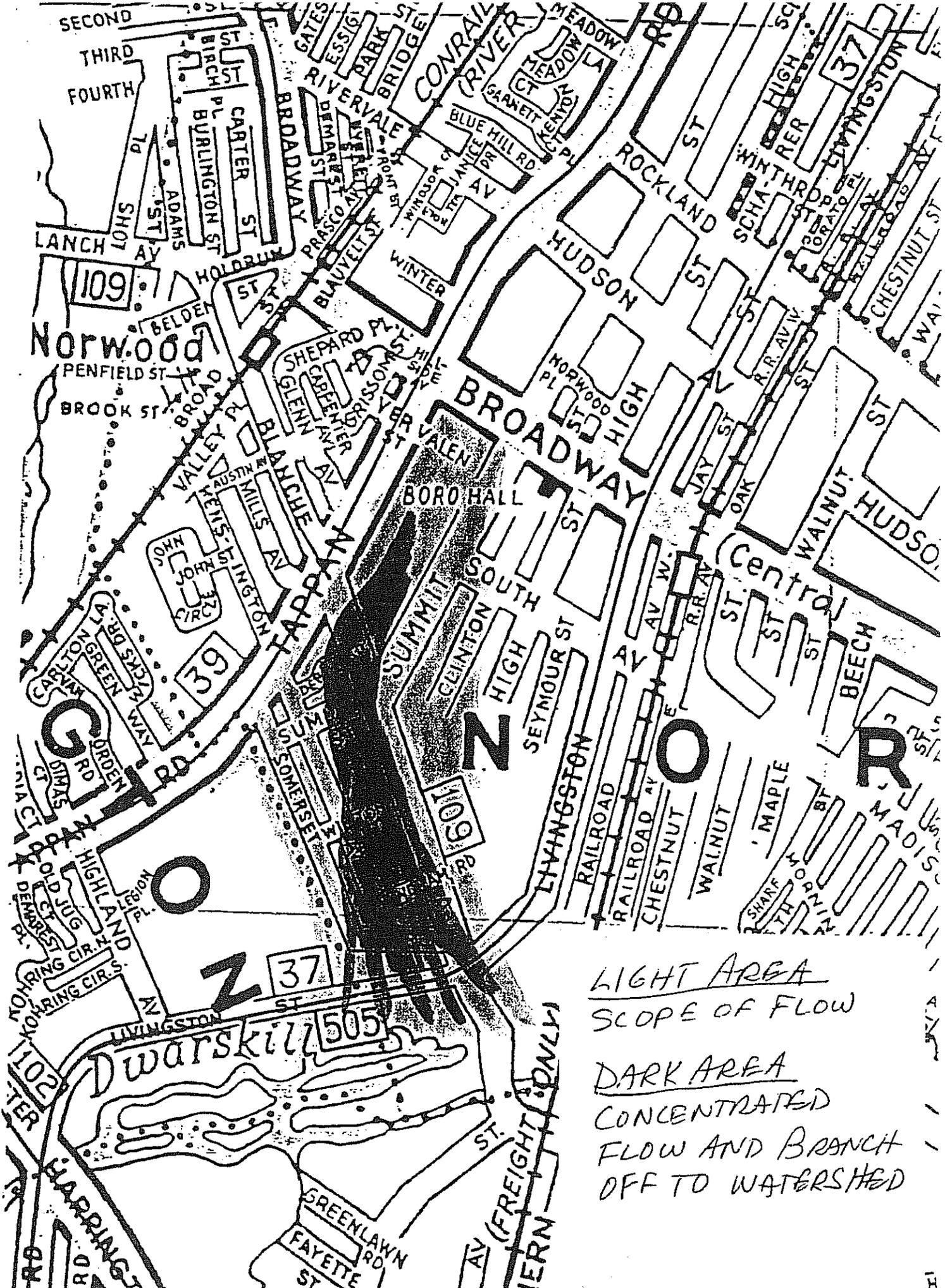
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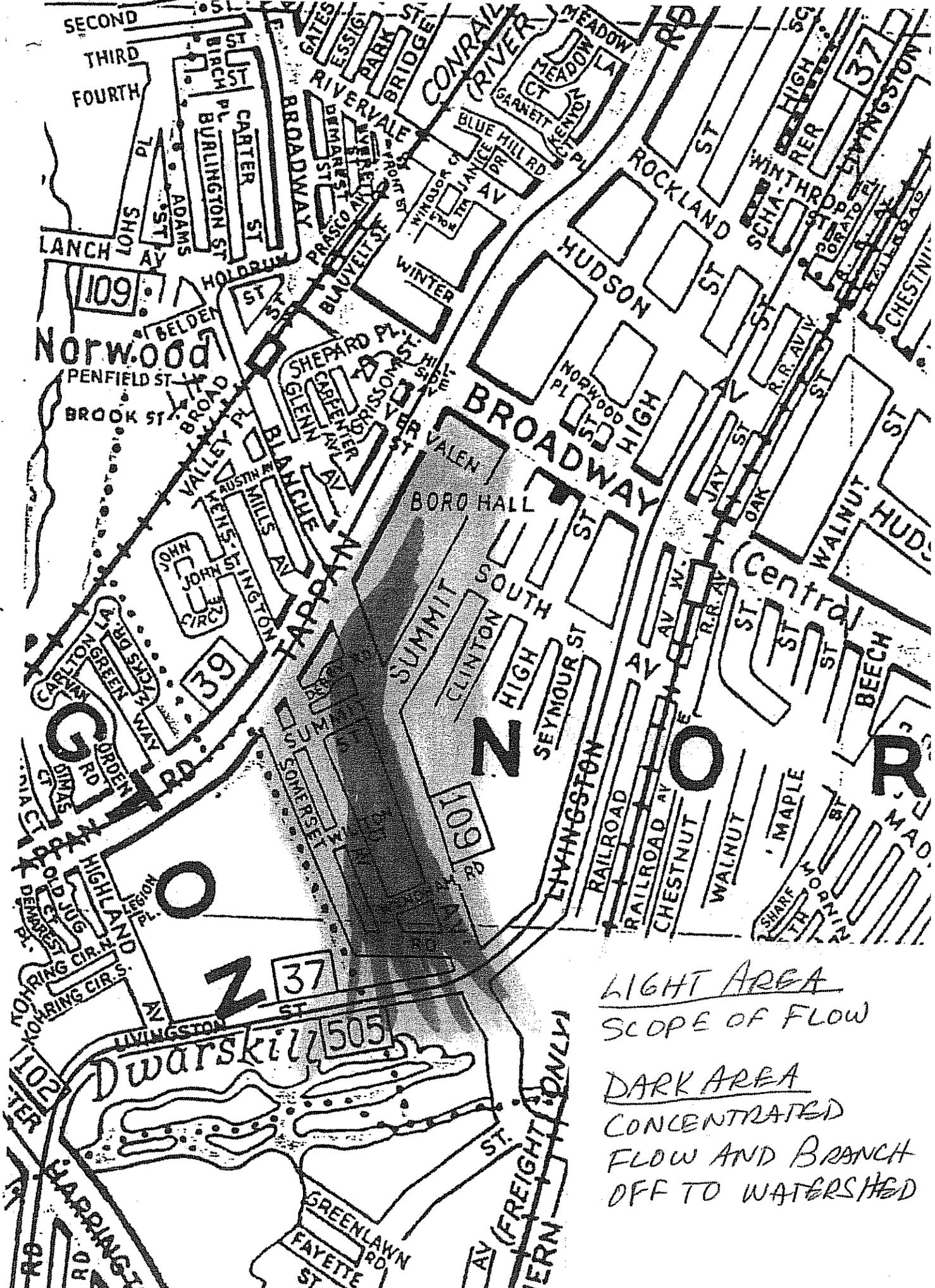
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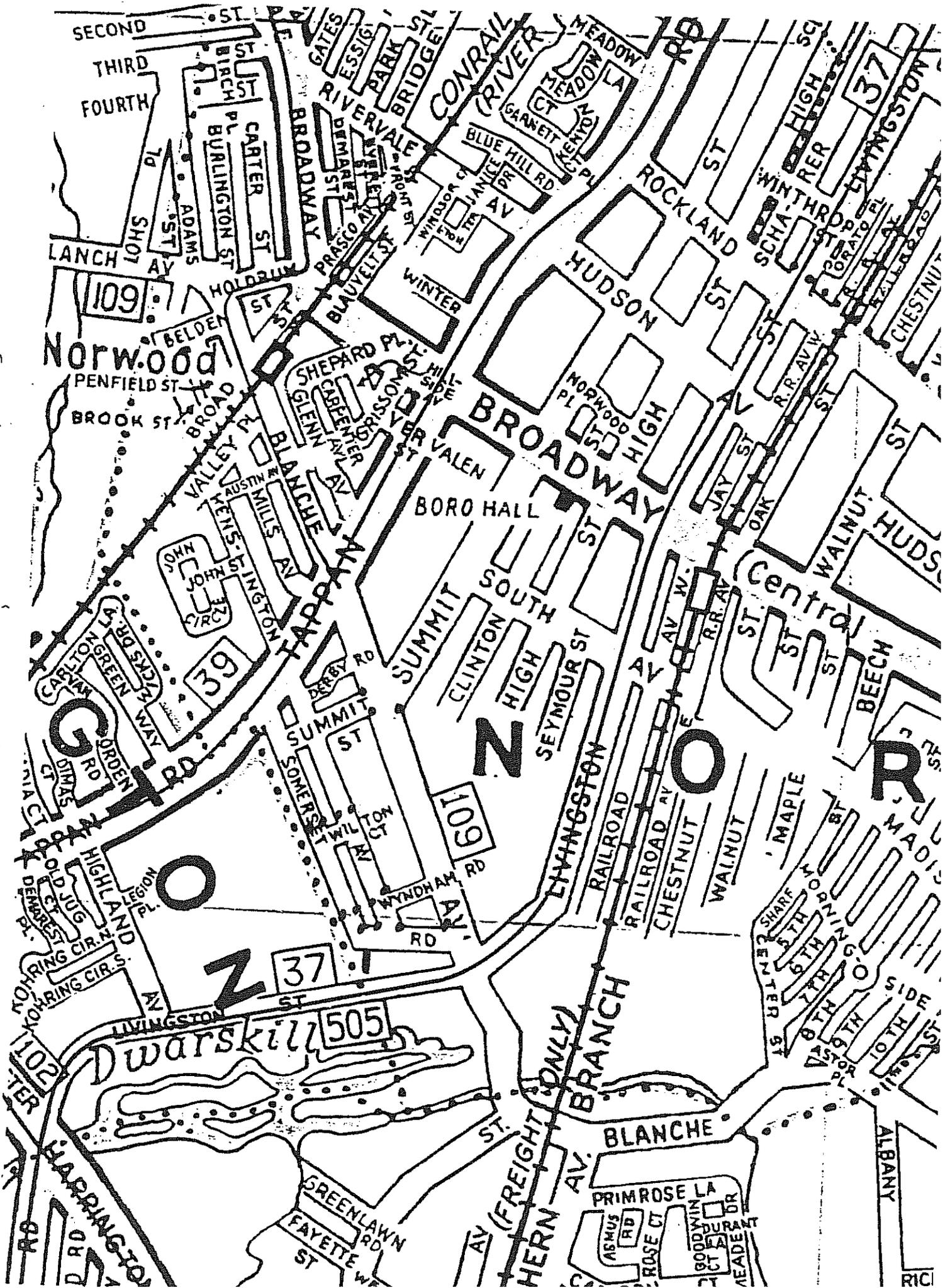
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