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1. The following members of the Official Board attended a meeting held at Highway on Feb. 21, 1977

John Gerhart (4)
Lito Spuler (10)
Lito Marucci (7)
John LaBach (5)
Al Luff (6)
Al Davis (3)
Kenny Ambrose (1)
Harfield Sampson (9)
Bill Meschacht (11)
Jonathan Wichtorchik (12)

Willard Cook (2)
Duane Henderson (5)
Mary Ellen Huff (13)
Mary Sampson (15)
Lois Manor (14)
Emmus Gehms (17)
Mae Wallen (16)

2. A motion was made by Les Marucci, seconded by Al Davis that Al Luff act as chairman

Carried

3. Al Luff presented the following agenda

1. Assistant Pastor *
2. Congregational Meeting
3. Spring Crusade
4. Lack of Communication between Elder & Trustees *
5. Discussion of Church Manual *
6. Discussion on Pastor
7. Parsonage
8. A.D.'s Bible Study
- * not discussed

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7/21:

1. Trustee Report was given by Al Luff.
 - a. Parsonage sold - \$51000.00.
Signed Agreement of Sale - Buyer seems substantial. Getting a V.A. Loan. Have to pay \$2000.00 in points.
Net amount to be received will be \$45000.00

- b. Refund for Security Deposit for land at Ft. Washington in the amount of \$3500.00 was received.

- c. \$2000.00 borrowed from Sunday School Department was returned

2. Discussion of Pastor:

- a. Jonathan Wicktorchick expressed the fact that he wants the truth to come out and that there should be no Watergate. This is the consensus of most of the Board.

- b. Jonathan Wicktorchick further stated that people said Bro Pappit is against the Pastor. However, he

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went to Bro. Pappet and talked to him. As a result Jonathan is convinced that Bro. Pappet is being very fair and that everything is being done for the good of the Pastor.

c. A motion was made by and seconded by John Gerhart to send a letter of confidence to the Board of Presbyters (Bro Melvin)

Carried depending on wording.

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3. Yearly Congregational Business Meeting.

A motion was made by John Debach, and seconded by Vito Spuler, that no change be made to the entire Official Board until this term is over.

Carried

4. Spring Crusade Meeting with Bro. Shuttlesworth

a motion was made by Kenny Ambrose and seconded by John Debach that we have the crusade.

In discussion

b The Board was advised that Bro. Casey said the Pastor was going to cancel the meeting because of the situation.

c. The vote resulted in the following

2 yes 15 no

Therefore, the meeting will be cancelled. Ruth Muir will be requested to call and cancel the meeting.

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5. It was pointed out the the yearly audit of the Church's financial books, ^{as required by the Church's bylaws,} had been overlooked.

A motion was made by Willard Cooksey seconded by Garfield Sampson that the Elders appoint an auditing committee in accordance with the manual.
Carried

6. A question was raised as to whether or not Al Kutynas was still on the Board. It was pointed out that he was still performing some of the functions of the Missionary Board.

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It was agreed that he should be asked if he wished to remain on the Board or not.

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7. A discussion ensued about the need for a senior advisor for the CHA.

A motion was made by Mary Ellen Huff & seconded by Lois Manor that Mary and Garfield Sampson act in this capacity.

Carried

8. The need to make provisions for the membership to contact the Elders ^{when not in the Church office} in case of an emergency was discussed. When no one is in the church office was discussed.

Al Huff suggested that an answering service concept be established, such as six rings at the church and if no answer the call

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would automatically be referred
to the answering service.

It was agreed that this should
be accomplished and that
the Manor's would be designated
as the answering service.
Al Luff will take care of this
matter.

10. Bro Tito Massucci made
a motion to adjourn.

11. The meeting was concluded
with prayer by Bro Massucci.

Respectfully Submitted
John Lakash
Secretary Bro Luff