The Bainbridge Township Board of Trustees met in special session at the Bainbridge Town Hall on March 27, 2002 to consider the discipline of a public employee and to conduct any other necessary business. Those present were trustees Mr. Samuel Desiderio, Mr. Charles Hesse, and Mr. Christopher Horn and clerk Susan R. Angelino. Mr. Desiderio presided and called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M.

A special meeting was convened by the trustees to consider what discipline, if any, is appropriate for township employee Ptl. Todd Mitchell, based upon the evidence presented in this matter. Evidentiary hearings were held on November 5<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>, 2001, at which the employer presented evidence in support of the charges issued against Ptl. Mitchell, and Ptl. Mitchell presented evidence in opposition thereto.

Mr. Desiderio made a motion to find that the conduct alleged in the charges occurred.

Mr. Horn seconded the motion.

Vote: Mr. Desiderio, aye; Mr. Hesse, aye; Mr. Horn, aye.

Mr. Desiderio made a motion to terminate Ptl. Mitchell due to his conduct as alleged in the charges.

Mr. Hesse seconded the motion.

Vote: Mr. Desiderio, aye; Mr. Hesse, aye; Mr. Horn, aye.

The trustees will prepare a report and decision with findings of fact in due course, which shall be sent to all parties and their counsel within 5 days following its preparation.

Since there was no further business to come before this meeting of the Bainbridge Township Board of Trustees, the meeting was adjourned at 6:02 P.M.