

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office May 16, 1950, according to adjournment:

Members of Board Present:

W. A. Weir, Chairman

W. F. Floyd

Bud Stephens

D. H. Jordan

J. T. Wooten, Jr.

Alice S. Burns, Clerk

The following business was transacted:

On motion of Commissioner W. F. Floyd, seconded by Commissioner D. H. Jordan, and unanimously passed the following resolution was ordered to be recorded in the minutes:

WHEREAS, Buck Creek which rises a few miles east of Loris, South Carolina, and flows eastward to the Waccamaw River and drains approximately 35,000 acres of rich farm lands and timber lands, approximately 13,000 acres of which are in Columbus County; and whereas, periodically floods arise which seriously damage the agricultural industry and lumber industry; and whereas, it has been deemed feasible to construct improvements for the purpose of controlling damaging floods and affording proper drainage to valuable agricultural lands in the watershed; and whereas, the Board of Commissioners are satisfied that the construction of the said facilities will increase the income of agriculture in said county, and will enable other lands to be profitably farmed, and that it will substantially increase the value of said lands and thereby raise the value of said properties for taxation and that the County of Columbus will thereby receive additional revenues; and whereas, said Board of Commissioners are satisfied that the flood control and drainage facilities will materially reduce the cost of public roads and the maintenance and the operation of the public school buses, and will improve the health conditions in said communities.

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of Commissioners of Columbus County, North Carolina, that it go on record as endorsing the construction of said facilities and be it further resolved that the said Board of Commissioners of Columbus County go on record as agreeing that Columbus County will pay its share of the cost of maintenance for any improvement constructed for the purpose of controlling floods and affording proper drainage in the Buck Creek Watershed and will in every manner within its power cooperate in said project and heartily endorse and recommend its adoption.

Ordered: that the Sheriff summon the following good and lawful men and women to serve as juror at the June Term of Court, 1950:

A. J. Nealey	Chadbourn, N. C.
L. H. Reaves	Bolton, N. C.
James Cartrette	Hallsboro, N. C.
J. C. Singletary	Tabor City, N. C.
Barney Allen	R-1, Chadbourn, N. C.
R. W. Booth	Acme, N. C.
Arthur L. Hammonds	Cerro Gordo, N. C.
Walter Bass	Chadbourn, N. C.
Bruce Soles	Whiteville, N. C.
C. P. Morris	R-3, Whiteville, N. C.
H. C. Baldwin, Jr.	R-2, Whiteville, N. C.
E. L. Wright	Whiteville, N. C.
Leon Douglas Fowler	Tabor City, N. C.
Eugene Creech	Hallsboro, N. C.
F. G. Ward	Tabor City, N. C.
F. M. Stnaley, Sr.	Clarendon, N. C.
Paul A. Marlowe	Whiteville, N. C.
Eugene Sears	Whiteville, N. C.
H. B. Helms	Hallsboro, N. C.
A. B. Parker	R-4, Whiteville, N. C.
W. D. Ward	Chadbourn, N. C.
Pick Jenrette	R-3, Tabor City, N. C.
Woodrow Cribb	Clarendon, N. C.
S. A. Dowless, Jr.	Bolton, N. C.
G. F. Batten	Whiteville, N. C.
Harlie W. Duncan	R-4, Whiteville, N. C.
James N. Smith	R-1, Chadbourn, N. C.
J. W. Williamson	R-1, Nakina, N. C.
R. E. White	Nakina, N. C.
Edward D. Hester	R-2, Clarkton, N. C.
Jesse Jones	R-4, Whiteville, N. C.
Paul Batten	Hallsboro, N. C.
Edgar Ezzell	Nakina, N. C.
Robert Allen Yates	Chadbourn, N. C.
J. M. Soles, Jr.	Tabor City, N. C.
R. R. Smith, Jr.	Chadbourn, N. C.
A. V. Elliotte, Sr.	Tabor City, N. C.
J. L. Long	R-1, Whiteville, N. C.
Earley Watts	Nakina, N. C.
Henry Clyde Stewart	Cerro Gordo, N. C.
J. A. Gore	Clarendon, N. C.
Woodrow Fowler	R-1, Chadbourn, N. C.
Hubert Gore	Clarendon, N. C.
Henry Glenn Duncan	Whiteville, N. C.
McNeil Duncan	R-3, Whiteville, N. C.

CHANGE IN COUNTY ROAD

WHEREAS, the State Highway and Public Works Commission has filed with the Board of Commissioners of the County of Columbus-Brunswick a map designated as county road from south of Pireway, Columbus County, to Regan in Brunswick County, showing a proposed relocation of a section of county road; and

WHEREAS, it appears that this relocation is for the best interest of the road system of the said county;

NOW, THEREFORE, the proposed change and relocation as shown on the said map is hereby approved and ratified.

On motion the meeting was adjourned until Monday, June 5, 1950.

Approved:

Alice S. Burns  
Clerk

W. W. Wain  
Chairman