The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office at 7 p.m., March 7, 1962, according to adjournment.

Members of the Board Present:

L. P. Ward, Chairman (absent)

W. B. Buffkin, Vice Chairman

A. O. Burns (absent)

Robert E. Sessions

Lacy R. Thompson

Mazzalee T. Sanderford, Clerk

The following business was transacted:

Fred Mangum of State College Extension Service, Raleigh, met with the commissioners and County Agent Raper, to discuss with them the Area Re-development Act which was passed by Con gress in May 1961 for the purpose of giving financial assistance to local groups and designated counties, and to create employment opportunities.

After a full explanation and discussion, a motion was made by Commissioner Sessions, seconded by Commissioner Thompson, and passed, that a County Planning Board composed of fifteen members be appointed. A number of qualified persons were suggested to serve on this Board; however, no appointments were made.

Upon motion, the meeting adjourned until March 19, 1962 at which time the Board will sit as a Board of Equalization and Review.

Approved:

Manufac J. Sanderford

Vice Chairman