

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office October 6, 1969, at 10:00 A.M., it being first Monday.

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD PRESENT:

H. J. Watts, Chairman

T. E. Burns

W. O. Johnson

J. Roland Gore

Edward W. Williamson

Betty S. Williamson, Clerk

The following business was transacted:

Upon motion of Commissioner Williamson, seconded by Commissioner Burns the minutes of the September 15th meeting were approved as read.

Upon motion of Commissioner Johnson, seconded by Commissioner Williamson, the minutes of the September 20th call meeting were approved as read.

Ordered: that the resignation of Dewey Bowen as Constable of Tatum Township be accepted.

Ordered: that the surety bond for Edward Britt be approved as Constable for Tatum Township.

Ordered: that a check in the amount of \$225.00 be written to Advancement, Inc. for the county's share of operating expenses for the fiscal year 1969-70.

Ordered: that Columbus County rent office space from S. P. Stanley, Jr. for a full time Employment Security Commission office on a monthly basis at a rate of \$125 per month.

Ordered: that a posting machine be purchased for the Tax Collector's office at an approximate cost of \$6,608.00. A down payment of \$615.56 is required and a monthly rent of \$191/with the balance due October 1, 1970. <sup>with all rental payments to be applied on remaining balance</sup>

Ordered: that the Chairman be authorized to contact the Chairman of the Bladen County Board of Commissioners and any other officials within Columbus County, for available facilities to accommodate prisoners and also to inquire of the approximate cost to the county in the event the county jail is ordered closed by Commissioner Craig of the Department of Social Services.

Upon motion by Commissioner Williamson, seconded by Commissioner Burns and unanimously adopted that the budget for Columbus County as pertaining

to the funds of the Department of Social Services for the fiscal year 1960-70 is hereby amended to comply with the directives of the Commissioner of the Department of Social Services for the State of North Carolina which requires an additional appropriation in the amount of \$9,237.00 .

Upon motion of Commissioner T. E. Burns, seconded by Commissioner Edward W. Williamson, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, a great need exists for a municipal water and sewer system in the Town of Whiteville; and

WHEREAS, the Whiteville Development Corporation has been duly incorporated to provide said services; and

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of the Board that Federal funds may be available to assist in the construction of the proposed system.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of County Commissioners of Columbus County approves said project and will cooperate to the fullest extent in the successful conclusion thereof.

Mr, L. D. Worley representing Sencland Community Action, Inc. appeared before the Board and asked for the Board's approval to co-ordinate the listed programs for Sencland for the fiscal year beginning December 1, 1969.

Ordered: that the resignation of James R. Rabon as a member of the Board of Directors of the SEEDC be accepted with regret.

Ordered: that Rudolph Walters, Executive Director of the Columbus County Economic Development Commission be appointed to serve on the Board of Directors of the Southeastern Economic Development Commission. Mr. Walters replaces Mr. James R. Rabon.

Mr. Robert Dale Inman, Register Land Surveyor, stated to the Board that Mr. Wilbur C. Fuller, Director of Division of Geodetic Survey from the North Carolina Department of Conservation and Development, planned to be in Columbus County for approximately three to four weeks to establish additional control monuments. Mr. Fuller is requesting any manual labor to help accelerate this work. The Board authorized Mr. Inman to supply two common labors for the county and to contact the Chairman as to the approximate cost each week.

The Chairman of the Columbus County Board of Education, Mr. Waldo Marlowe, appeared before the Board to discuss school problems. The Board of

of Commissioners stated that they recognized that it was the legal responsibility of the Board of Education to operate the schools and that this Board had not been requested by the Board of Education to meet for any purpose but that this Board is willing to discuss with the Board of Education any problem or if they could be of assistance in any way. The Clerk was then directed to make available for public inspection all minutes of meetings and approved budgets and particularly any information dealing with school appropriations.

Mr. James R. Rabon, Chairman of the Columbus County Housing Authority, Mr. Rudolph Walters, Executive Director of the Economic Development Commission, and Mr. George Woodall representing Sheetz and Bradfield Architects, appeared before the Board to review the work now underway by the Housing Authority. Following a thorough discussion of a cooperation agreement between Columbus County and the Columbus County Housing Authority, Commissioner W. O. Johnson introduced the following resolution:

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A COOPERATION AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, Columbus County Housing Authority (herein called the "Local Authority") and Columbus County (herein called the Municipality") desire to enter into a Cooperation Agreement in connection with the development of low-rent housing units pursuant to the United States Housing Act of 1937 as amended:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY the Board of Commissioners of Columbus County that the Local Authority and the Municipality enter into a Cooperation Agreement and the Chairman is hereby authorized to execute the same on behalf of the Board of Commissioners and the Clerk to attest the same and affix thereto the seal of the County of Columbus, N.C., said Cooperation Agreement being substantially the following form:

COOPERATION AGREEMENT

This Agreement entered into this 6th day of October, 1969 by and between Columbus County Housing Authority (herein called the "Local Authority") and County of Columbus (herein called the "Municipality"),  
Witnesseth:

In consideration of the mutual covenants hereinafter set forth, the parties hereto do agree as follows:

1. Whenever used in this Agreement:

- (a) The term "Project" shall mean any low-rent housing hereafter developed as an entity by the Local Authority with financial assistance of the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (Herein called the "Govern-

ment"), excluding, however, any low-rent housing project heretofore covered by any contract for loans and annual contributions.

(b) The term "Taxing Body" shall mean the State or any political subdivision or taxing unit thereof in which a Project is situated and which would have authority to assess or levy real or personal property taxes or to certify such taxes to a taxing body or public officer to be levied for its use and benefit with respect to a Project if it were not exempt from taxation.

(c) The term "Shelter Rent" shall mean the total of all charges to all tenants of a Project for dwelling rents and nondwelling rents (excluding all other income of such Project), less the cost to the local Authority of all dwelling and nondwelling utilities.

(d) The term "Slum" shall mean any area where dwellings predominate which, by reason of dilapidation, overcrowding, faulty arrangement or design, lack of ventilation, light or sanitation facilities or any combination of these factors, are detrimental to safety, health or morals.

2. The Local Authority shall endeavor (a) to secure a contract or contracts with the Government for loans and annual contributions covering one or more Projects comprising approximately 1000 units of low-rent housing and (b) to develop and administer such Project or Projects, each of which shall be located within the corporate limits of the Municipality. The obligations of the parties hereto shall apply to each such Project.
3. (a) Under the constitution and statutes of the State of North Carolina, all Projects are exempt from all real and personal property taxes levied or imposed by and Taxing Body. With respect to any Project, so long as either (i) such Project is owned by a public body or governmental agency and is used for low-rent housing purposes; or (ii) any contract between the Local Authority and the Government for loans or annual contributions, or both, in connection with such Project remains in force and effect; or (iii) any bonds issued in connection with such Project or any monies due to the Government in connection with such Project remain unpaid, whichever period is the longest, the Municipality agrees that it will not levy or impose any real or personal property taxes upon such Project or upon the Local Authority with respect thereto. During such period, the Local Authority shall make annual payments (herein called "Payments in Lieu of Taxes") in lieu of such taxes and in payment for the public services and facilities furnished from time to time without other cost or charge for or with respect to such Project.
  - (b) Each such annual Payment in Lieu of Taxes shall be made after the end of the fiscal year established for such Project and shall be in an amount equal to either (i) ten percent (10%) of the Shelter Rent actually collected but in no event to exceed ten percent (10%) of the Shelter Rent charged by the Local Authority in respect to such Project during such fiscal year or (ii) the amount permitted to be paid by applicable state law in effect on the date such payment is made, whichever amount is the lower.
  - (c) No payment for any year shall be made to the Municipality in excess of the amount of the real property taxes which would have been paid to the Municipality for such year if the Project were not exempt from taxation.
  - (d) Upon failure of the Local Authority to make any Payment in Lieu of Taxes, no lien against any Project or assets of the Local Authority shall attach, nor shall any interest or penalties accrue or attach on account thereof.

4. The Municipality agrees that, subsequent to the date of initiation (as defined in the United States Housing Act of 1937, as amended) of each Project and within five years after the completion thereof, or such further period as may be approved by the Government, there has been or will be elimination (as approved by the Government) by demolition, condemnation, effective closing, or compulsory repair or improvement, of unsafe or insanitary dwelling units situated in the locality or metropolitan area in which such Project is located, substantially equal in number to the number of newly constructed dwelling units provided by such Project; Provided, That, where more than one family is living in an unsafe or insanitary dwelling unit, the elimination of such unit shall count as the elimination of units equal to the number of families accommodated therein; and Provided, further, That this paragraph 4 shall not apply in the case of (i) any Project developed on the site of a Slum cleared subsequent to July 15, 1949, and that the dwelling units eliminated by the clearance of the site of such Project shall not be counted as elimination for any other Project or any other low-rent housing project, or (ii) any Project located in a rural nonfarm area.

During the period commencing with the date of the acquisition of any part of the site or sites of any Project and continuing so long as either (i) such Project is owned by a public body or governmental agency and is used for low-rent housing purposes, or (ii) any contract between the Local Authority and the Government for loans or annual contributions, or both, in connection with such Project remains in force and effect, or (iii) any bonds issued in connection with such Project or any monies due to the Government in connection with such Project remain unpaid, whichever period is the longest, the Municipality without cost or charge to the Local Authority or the tenants of such Project (other than the Payments in Lieu of Taxes) shall:

5. (a) Furnish or cause to be furnished to the Local Authority and the tenants of such Project public services and facilities of the same character and to the same extent as are furnished from time to time without cost or charge to other dwellings and inhabitants in the Municipality;
- (b) Vacate such streets, roads and alleys within the area of such Project as may be necessary in the development thereof, and convey without charge to the Local Authority such interest as the Municipality may have in such vacated areas; and insofar as it is lawfully able to do so without cost or expense to the Local Authority or to the Municipality, cause to be removed from such vacated areas, insofar as it may be necessary, all public or private utility lines and equipment;
- (c) Insofar as the Municipality may lawfully do so, (i) grant such deviations from the building code of the Municipality as are reasonable and necessary to promote economy and efficiency in the development and administration of such Project, and at the same time safeguard health and safety, and (ii) make such changes in any zoning of the site and surrounding territory of such Project as are reasonable and necessary for the development and protection of such Project and surrounding territory;
- (d) Accept grants of easements necessary for the development of such Project; and
- (e) Cooperate with the Local Authority by such other lawful action or ways as the Municipality and the Local Authority may find necessary in connection with the development and administration of such Project.

6. In respect to any Project the Municipality further agrees that within a reasonable time after receipt of a written request therefor from the Local Authority:
- (a) It will accept the dedication of all interior streets, roads, alleys, and adjacent sidewalks within the area of such Project, together with all storm and sanitary sewer mains in such dedicated areas, after the Local Authority, at its own expense, has completed the grading, improvement, pavings, and installation thereof in accordance with specifications acceptable to the Municipality;
  - (b) It will accept necessary dedications of land, for and will grade, improve, pave, and provide sidewalks for, all streets bounding such Project or necessary to provide adequate access thereto (in consideration whereof the Local Authority shall pay to the Municipality such amount as would be assessed against the Project site for such work if such site were privately owned); and
  - (c) It will provide, or cause to be provided, water mains, and storm and sanitary sewer mains, leading to such Project and serving the bounding streets thereof (in consideration whereof the Local Authority shall pay to the Municipality such amount as would be assessed against the Project site for such work if such site were privately owned.)
7. If by reason of the Municipality's failure or refusal to furnish or cause to be furnished any public services or facilities which it has agreed hereunder to furnish or to cause to be furnished to the Local Authority or to the tenants of any Project, the Local Authority incurs any expense to obtain such services or facilities then the Local Authority may deduct the amount of such expense from any Payments in Lieu of Taxes or to become due to the Municipality in respect to any Project or any other low-rent housing projects owned or operated by the Local Authority.
8. No. Cooperation Agreement heretofore entered into between the Municipality and the Local Authority shall be construed to apply to any Project covered by this Agreement.
9. So long as any contract between the Local Authority and the Government for loans (including preliminary loans) or annual contributions, or both, in connection with any Project remains in force and effect, or so long as any bonds issued in connection with any Project or any monies due to the Government in connection with any Project remain unpaid, this Agreement shall not be abrogated, changed, or modified without the consent of the Government. The privileges and obligations of the Municipality hereunder shall remain in full force and effect with respect to each Project so long as the beneficial title to such Project is held by the Local Authority or by any other public body or governmental agency, including the Government, authorized by law to engage in the development or administration of low-rent housing projects.

If at any time the beneficial title to, or possession of, any Project is held by such other public body or governmental agency, including the Government, the provisions hereof shall inure to the benefit of and may be enforced by, such other public body or governmental agency, including the Government.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Municipality and the Local Authority have respectively signed this Agreement and caused their seals to be affixed and attested as of the day and year first above written.

Board of Commissioners of Columbus CountyBy /s/ Horry J. Watts  
Chairman

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ATTEST:

/s/ Betty S. Williamson  
County ClerkColumbus County Housing AuthorityBy /s/ James R. Rabon  
Chairman

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ATTEST:

/s/ Clifton Shaw  
Secretary

Commissioner T. E. Burns moved that the foregoing resolution be adopted as introduced and read, which motion was seconded by Commissioner Edward W. Williamson and upon roll call the "Ayes" and "Nays" were as follows:

AYES:	Mr. H. J. Watts	NAYS:	NONE
	Mr. T. E. Burns		
	Mr. W. O. Johnson		
	Mr. Roland Gore		
	Mr. Edward Williamson		

The Chairman thereupon declared said motion carried and said resolution adopted.

Following a discussion of the application for low-rent housing the following resolution was introduced by Commissioner T. E. Burns read in full and considered:

## RESOLUTION APPROVING APPLICATION FOR LOW-RENT HOUSING

WHEREAS, it is the policy of this locality to eliminate substandard and other inadequate housing, to prevent the spread of slums and blight, and to realize as soon as feasible the goal of a decent home in a suitable living environment for all of its citizens; and

WHEREAS, under the provisions of the United States Housing Act of 1937, as amended, the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (Herein call the Government") is authorized to provide financial assistance to local public housing agencies for undertaking and carrying out preliminary planning of low-rent housing projects and financial assistance in providing low-rent housing by leasing dwelling units in existing privately-owned structures, that will assist in meeting this goal; and

WHEREAS, the Act provides that there shall be local determination of need for low-rent housing to meet needs not being adequately met by private enterprise and that the Government shall not make any contract with a public housing agency for preliminary loans for surveys and planning in respect to any low-rent housing projects unless the governing body of the locality

involved has by resolution approved the application of the public housing agency for such preliminary loan; and

WHEREAS, the Columbus County Housing Authority (herein called the "Local Authority") is a public housing agency and is applying to the Government for low-rent housing.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of Commissioners of the County of Columbus as follows:

1. There exists in the County of Columbus a need for such low-rent housing at rents within the means of low-income families.
2. The application of the Local Authority to the Government for a preliminary loan in an amount not to exceed \$400,000 for surveys and planning in connection with low-rent housing projects of not to exceed approximately 1000 dwelling units is hereby approved.

Commissioner Williamson moved that all rules of the Board of Commissioners of Columbus County which, unless suspended, would prevent the final passage and adoption of said Resolution at this meeting be and the same are hereby suspended for the purpose of permitting the consideration, adoption, and final passage of said Resolution at this meeting and that unanimous consent of all members present be given for the immediate consideration of said Resolution. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Gore. The question being put as to the adoption of said motion, the suspension of such rules and the giving of unanimous consent to the consideration thereof, the roll was called with the following result:

<p>AYES: T. Edison Burns W. O. Johnson Roland Gore Edward W. Williamson</p>	<p>NAYS: NONE</p>
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The Chairman thereupon declared said motion carried, such rules suspended, and unanimous consent given for the immediate consideration of said Resolution.

Commissioner Williamson moved that the foregoing resolution be adopted as introduced and read, which motion was seconded by Commissioner Gore and upon roll call the "Ayes" and "Nays" were as follows:

<p>AYES: T. Edison Burns W. O. Johnson Roland Gore Edward W. Williamson</p>	<p>NAYS: NONE</p>
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The Chairman thereupon declared said motion carried and said Resolution adopted.



Upon the recommendation of the Housing Authority the salary of the Building Inspector for Columbus County, was set at \$600 per month and \$100 per month travel allowance. Mr. Woodall stated an office for the Building Inspector should be established immediately and requirements for the Workable Program should be looked into.

The following tax releases are based on recommendations from the Tax Supervisors office.

Ordered: that the valuation of the property listed in the name of Mrs. Myrtle Sellers, Chadbourn Township, be reduced in the amount of \$2,940 for the year 1969 due to a clerical error.

Ordered: that the late listing penalty charged in the name of Percy M. Bullard, Whiteville Township, be released for the year 1969 due to error in listing.

Ordered: that the poll tax listed in the name of Carl Reeves, Jr., Lees Township, be released for the year 1969 due to error in listing. Mr. Reeves is a nonresident.

Ordered: that the dog tax listed in the name of John Henry Shaw, Chadbourn Township, be released for the year 1969 due to error in listing.

Ordered: that the taxes listed in the name of Mozelle Simmons, Whiteville Township, be cancelled for the year 1955 due to double listing. The automobile listed on this receipt was also listed to Mr. Roy Simmons.

Ordered: that the taxes listed in the name of Archie Spivey, Williams Township, be cancelled for the year 1962 due to double listing.

Ordered: that taxes listed in the name of Ben Gillam, Chadbourn Township, be segregated so that Dawsey Homes may be allowed to pay the taxes on four lots, numbers 40, 41, 42, and 43 valued at \$7,250 for the years 1965, and 1966, and \$6,030 for the years 1967, 1968 and 1969 and upon payment of the above taxes, these four lots shall be free from tax liens for said years.

Ordered: that the dog tax listed in the name of Worth D. Williamson, Chadbourn Township, be released for the year 1969 due to error in listing.

Ordered: that taxes listed in the name of E. Calvin Watkins, Whiteville Township, be segregated so that Henry Fisher may be allowed to pay

the taxes on four lots valued at \$835.00 for the year 1969, and upon payment of the above taxes, these four lots shall be free from tax liens for said year.

Ordered: that the poll tax listed in the name of Donald Mitchell Strickland, Cerro Gordo Township, be released for the year 1969 due to double listing. Also listed in Williams Township.

Ordered: that the personal property listed in the name of Columbus Paving Company, Chadbourn Township, be cancelled for the years 1967 and 1968 due to double listing.

Ordered: that the late listing penalty charged in the name of Mrs. Mabel Hall Smith, Chadbourn Township, be released for the year 1969 due to a clerical error.

Ordered that the following general county bills be allowed and paid:

R. C. Soles, Jr.	September Salary	County Attorney	(1534)	\$	370.37
R. Brooks Stanley	" "	Tax Supervisor			598.48
Venie H. Rouse	" "	Asst. Tax Supvr.			312.43
Lucille L. Stephens	" "	Clerk Tax Supvr.			262.60
Martha L. Smith	" "	Clerk Tax Supvr.			213.55
Bertha L. Long	" "	Clerk Tax Supvr.			222.19
Susie M. Stone	" "	Clerk Tax Supvr.			230.92
Janie S. Cox	" "	Clerk Tax Supvr.			241.72
J. Hubert Norris	" "	Tax Collector & Bldg. Supt.			602.31
Kathryn C. Harrelson	" "	Bookkeeper Tax Collector			290.99
Doris L. Ward	" "	Clerk Tax Collector			272.92
Genevieve Nobles	" "	Clerk Tax Collector			240.62
Judy Ann Mehalic	" "	Clerk Tax Collector			229.35
Arthur L. Duke	" "	Sheriff	(1548)		594.42
Thurman C. Butler	" "	Deputy Sheriff			\$10.59
John Coleman	" "	Deputy Sheriff			543.07
Wilson C. Griffin	" "	Deputy Sheriff			521.97
Robert Simmons	" "	Deputy Sheriff			570.80
Horace Long	" "	Deputy Sheriff			556.33
Spurgeon Nobles	" "	Deputy Sheriff			498.73
Charlie C. Norton	" "	Deputy Sheriff			528.46
Kenneth M. Squires	" "	Deputy Sheriff			505.00
Donald Ray Hunt	" "	Deputy Sheriff			498.73
Laconya Reeves	" "	Deputy Sheriff			521.97
Alton O. Lennon	" "	Deputy Sheriff			534.33
Dewey Haynes	" "	Deputy Sheriff	(1560)		287.08
Horace L. Shaw	" "	Supt. Bureau of Identif.			625.39
Annie Belle Powell	" "	Clerk Sheriff's Dept.			216.91
Town of Whiteville	" "	Radio Operator			140.00
Town of Chadbourn	" "	Radio Operator			140.00
Town of Tabor City	" "	Radio Operator			140.00
Judy Vann Smith	" "	Asstg. Board of Elections			101.96
Judy Hammond	" "	Asstg. Board of Elections			101.96
W. Norman Peal	" "	Chairman Board of Elections			425.93
Emily M. Peal	" "	Asstg. Board of Elections			209.44
Alice Lowe	" "	Asstg. Board of Elections			209.44
Elsie Pollock	" "	Asstg. Board of Elections			185.64
Mary T. Honeycutt	" "	Asstg. Board of Elections			185.64
Elizabeth P. Williamson	" "	Asstg. Board of Elections			128.52
Le Roy Stocks	" "	Board meetings	(1574)		79.56
S. T. Enzor	" "	Board meetings			79.56

Betty S. Williamson	September Salary	County Accountant	\$ 378.79
Emogene W. Suggs	" "	Asst. County Accountant	261.41
Veneda S. Ray	" "	Asst. County Accountant	290.99
Paul E. Hughes	" "	Custodian	365.53
Helen Bethea	" "	Janitress (1580)	188.01
Willie Mae Smith	" "	Annex Janitress	74.26
Leo L. Fisher	" "	Register of Deeds	479.85
Anna Belle Lane	" "	Deputy Register of Deeds	267.37
Gladys G. Wooten	" "	Deputy Register of Deeds	265.12
Marvelann W. Norris	" "	Deputy Register of Deeds	246.72
Myrtle N. McAlister	" "	Deputy Register of Deeds	255.42
Ila Vee N. Penny	" "	Deputy Register of Deeds	246.72
Frances Vaughn	" "	Asstg. Register of Deeds	240.62
Sarah Faye Barker	" "	Deputy Register of Deeds	246.72
James Blake Nance	" "	Custodian County Hall	223.66
Alice S. Wright	" "	Welfare Director	678.53
Pearl H. Fowler	" "	Social Worker Supvr.	540.18
Helma T. English	" "	Social Worker	520.89
Margaret V. Hair	" "	Social Worker	493.42
Sally G. Marks	" "	Social Worker	535.99
Jo Anne Vereen	" "	Social Worker	513.79
Griffin J. Johnson	" "	Social Worker	442.86
Edwin Tatum, Jr.	" "	Social Worker	404.22
Frances R. Hawk	" "	Social Worker	435.22
Mary Sue Boykin	" "	Social Worker	422.62
Lois E. Bailey	" "	Social Worker	400.61
Jimmy Earl Goodwin	" "	Social Worker	433.97
Maebelle W. Weaver	" "	Stenographer (1608)	364.30
Margaret Lee MacDaniel	" "	Typist	285.38
Leota H. Hodges	" "	Typist	295.01
Kathryn S. Worrell	" "	Typist	261.96
Sylvia Pridgen	" "	Typist	269.66
Harriett Pridgen	" "	Clerk	249.64
Brenda Hayes	" "	Typist	322.32
Peggy Ann M. Duncan	" "	Eligibility Spec.	376.63
Claire P. Duncan	" "	Eligibility Spec.	337.06
Linda Baldwin	" "	Eligibility Spec.	365.53
Roscoe Enzor	" "	Teller	360.30
Janet M. Thomas	" "	Clerk	241.61
Robert C. Schulken	" "	Welfare Attorney	172.12
Alice C. Robinson	" "	Janitress (1616)	19.04
Garland D. McCullen	" "	Asst. County Extension Agent	107.58
Donald Baker	" "	" " " "	266.77
Connie Ray Campbell	" "	" " " "	231.11
J. M. Spaulding	" "	Agriculture Ext. Agent	199.84
Dorothy M. Reeves	" "	Extension Secretary	203.74
Linda A. Lee	" "	Admin. Asst.	185.55
Wanda Pridgen	" "	Extension Secretary	50.01
C. D. Raper	" "	County Extension Chairman	283.59
Elaine N. Blake	" "	Home Ec. Ext. Agent	194.83
Yvonne B. Ray	" "	Home Ec. Ext. Agent	83.50
Betty C. Thompson	" "	Assoc. Home Ec. Ext. Agent	182.77
Shelia L. Burnette	" "	Asst. Home Ex. Ext. Agent	185.36
Peggy H. Shaw	" "	Soil Conservation Secy.	285.60
H. Hugh Nance	" "	Veterans Service Officer	437.64
Edna Creech	" "	Librarian	322.32
Jane O. Saunders	" "	Bookmobile Librarian	130.96
Ethel D. Creech	" "	Asstg. Librarian	218.96
Mitchell S. Dew	" "	Asstg. Librarian	62.12
Dewey Bowen	" "	Courthoom Officer	49.69
John A. Byrd	" "	Dog Warden (1636)	473.22
James Davis	" "	Asstg. Dog Warden	14.28
Lathal R. Wayne	" "	Civil Defense Director	383.18
Brenda G. Hinson	" "	Stenographer	240.62
L. V. Holt	" "	Schools Elec. Inspector	250.00

Buell E. Lanier	September Salary	Coroner	(1641)	\$ 84.84
J. D. Fowler	"	Deputy Sheriff		521.97
Harry Lee Jordan	"	Jury Commission		38.08
Asa Reeves	"	Jury Commission		38.08
John L. Ward	"	Jury Commission		19.04
H. C. Covington	"	Grand Jury Officer		9.52
Purchase & Contract Division	-1968 Plymouth resold to Mr. Shaw			1,450.00
Venie H. Rouse	-Printing townships of binders			40.00
Leon Inman	-Work on Supvr.'s office			135.00
Douglas Mills	-Work on Supvr.'s office			180.00
Ted Mills	-Work on Supvr.'s office			30.00
Judy-Berner Publishing Co.	-Blue Book for Mobile Homes			8.00
William Hughes	-Painting Tax Supvr.'s office			72.60
H. J. Watts	-Meetings & Conferences held in September			327.00
W. O. Johnson	-Meetings & Conferences held in September			232.40
T. E. Burns	-Meetings & Conferences held in August			62.40
T. E. Burns	-Meetings & Conferences held in September			93.60
Edward Walton Williamson	-Meetings & Conferences held in September			252.00
J. Roland Gore	-Meetings & Conferences held in September			95.00
National Cash Register Co.	-Payment of Posting Machine			615.56
Advancement, Inc.	-County's share of operating expenses			225.00
Southern National Bank of N.C.	-Federal Income Tax Withheld			4,101.30
Hospital Care Association	-Hospital Ins. Withheld & Prepaid			430.87
Group Insurance Services	-Life Ins. Withheld & Prepaid			195.24
Group Insurance Services	-Life Insurance Rate change			101.70
Colonial Life & Accident Ins. Co.	-Accident Ins. Withheld	(7834)		67.00
Venie H. Rouse	-Refund hospital ins. withheld			6.61
Governmental Guide	-County Attorney & Auditor			10.00
The News Reporter Co.	-Various accounts			344.87
Atlantic Publishing Co.	-Various accounts			83.95
Court Square Store	-Various accounts			6.14
Donald Hunt	-Investigation			5.76
Lanier Management, Inc.	-Sheriff's Dept.			25.42
L. & L. AERO, Inc.	-Plane Rent - Search for Prisoner			13.20
Ellis Meares Hdwe. Co., Inc.	-Sheriff's Dept.			7.21
Hub's Supply Co.	-Sheriff's Dept.	(7844)		10.94
King Photo Supply Co.	-Supt. Bu. of Identif.			16.94
H. L. Shaw	-Reimbursement			53.68
George Spilman, Director	-Veterans Service Officer			10.00
The Judicial Department	-Supt. Bu. of Identif.			15.45
Capital Camera Shop., Inc.	-Bu. of Identif.			24.58
Mrs. Charles Warner	-Auditor's office			13.62
Farmers Oil & Fertilizer, Inc.	-Various accounts			105.90
James Lynn Co.	-Window Cleaning	(7852)		125.00
Hyatt Exterminating Co.	-Pest Control Service			45.50
City of Whiteville	-Water & Sewer Accounts			46.30
Townsend Builders, Inc.	-Supvr.'s office			714.83
Dover Elevator Co.	-Maintenance Agreement			23.00
Scotts of Whiteville	-Account for Courthouse			3.92
Carolina Power & Light Co.	-Various accounts			778.68
William D. Maultsby	-Extraction - Prisoner			5.00
J. H. Ashley, Contractor	-Annex I			16.00
Pitney-Bowes, Inc.	-Register of Deeds			24.00
N. C. Dept. of Cons. & Dev.	-County's share of August expenditures			2,026.76
G. V. Singletary & Sons	-Account for Jail			84.91
Wilmar, Inc.	-Jail account	(7864)		181.49
Dennis Williams, Jailer	-Lodging & Meals through 9-30-69			2,256.00
Todd Furniture Co., Inc.	-Washing Machine for Jail			159.00
Ed Walton Williamson	-Board Meetings & Trip to Chapel Hill			52.92
W. B. Buffkin	-Welfare Board Meeting			10.60
Flora B. Singletary	-Board Meetings & Trip to Chapel Hill			69.78
Cavin's Business Products, Inc.	-Welfare Dept.			30.84
Storr Sales Company	-Welfare Dept.			145.00
Belk-Hensdale Co.	-Welfare Dept.			104.20
Mrs. Allie Ivey	-Boarding Home Care			125.15
Mrs. Novella G. Williams	-Boarding Home Care			180.00
Rose's Stores, Inc.	-Clothing for Indigent Children			20.73
Moskow's Dept. Store	-Clothing for Indigent Children			15.30

Mary Ruth Vitou	-Welfare Dept. (7877)	\$ 12.75
Mrs. Horace Rich	-Boarding Home Care	50.00
Mrs. Louvie Hinson	-Boarding Home Care	150.00
Barium Springs Home for Children	-Boarding Home Care	25.00
Mrs. Guila Dawsey	-Boarding Home Care	100.00
Mrs. Henry Hill	-Boarding Home Care	50.00
Mrs. Mamie Patrick	-Boarding Home Care	100.00
Mrs. Vernon Baggett	-Boarding Home Care	60.00
Jimmy E. Godwin	-Travel Expense for September	52.62
Linda P. Bladwin	-Travel Expense for September	31.20
Helma T. English	-Travel Expense for September	4.09
Jo Anne P. Vereen	-Travel Expense for September	91.51
Alice S. Wright	-Travel Expense for September	139.09
Peggy M. Duncan	-Travel Expense for September	78.81
Mary B. Pickett	-Travel Expense for September	35.97
Claire P. Duncan	-Travel Expense for September	28.59
Charles E. Tatum, Jr.	-Travel Expense for September	78.36
Sally G. Marks	-Travel Expense for September	33.00
Frances R. Hawk	-Travel Expense for September	41.73
Margaret V. Hair	-Travel Expense for September	164.35
Pearl H. Fowler	-Travel Expense for September	8.37
Lustra Lighting	-Social Services Dept.	200.75
Robeson Office Supplies, Inc.	-Social Services Dept.	164.80
Pitney-Bowes, Inc.	-Social Services Dept.	3.00
Dictaphone Corp.	-Social Services Dept.	445.72
Daniel's Goodwill Burial Assoc.	-Funeral Expense (7902)	40.00
Governor Robert W. Scott	-Renew Notary Seal	7.50
Peoples Funeral Home	-Burial Expense	40.00
N. C. Commission for the Blind	-July & August Statement	2,365.33
Harrison Typewriter Co.	-Auditor & Veterans Ser. Off.	40.22
Roland Carroll	-Mowing Lawn	10.00
Columbus County Library Fund	-County Appropriation	6,200.00
Robert Simmons, D. S.	-Conveying Prisoners	14.40
Wilson Griffin, D. S.	-Conveying Prisoners	9.08
Clayton Norton, D. S.	-Conveying Prisoners	85.64
Kenneth M. Squires, D. S.	-Conveying Prisoners	104.56
Alton Lennon, B. S.	-Conveying Prisoners	104.36
Williamson Insurance Agency	-Rent Magistrate Office	85.00
F. K. Ward	-Rent Magistrate Office	85.00
A. B. Ward	-Rent Magistrate Office	25.00
Town of Fair Bluff	-Rent Magistrate Office	75.00
Nancy M. Sigmon	-Transcrip order by Judge	82.80
Frank Tolár	-Rent per lease agreement	225.00
Lathal R. Wayne	-Travel Expense for September	150.00
Braxton Auto Parts, Inc.	-Civil Defense	2.88
Goldston's Servicenter	-Civil Defense	41.60
N. C. State Bept.	-Housing Authority	2.00
Southern National Bank of N.C.	-Income Tax Withheld	42.40
Alice S. Wright	-Refund on Social Security	4.18
Carolina Tel. & Tel.	-Various accounts	406.83
The News Reporter Co.	-Board of Elections	343.26
Atlantic Publishing Co.	-Advertising	117.60
Columbus County News, Inc.	-Advertising	117.60
Simmons Drug Co.	-Auditor's account	1.23
Beth Batten	-Stenographer for Coroner	15.00
N.C. Dept. of Cons. & Develop.	-County's share of Expenditures	1,183.65
Woods 5 & 10 Store	-School Supplies	2.79
Lois E. Bailey	-Travel Expense for September	26.34
State Commission for the Blind	-County's share of Expense	1,091.38
S. P. Stanley, Jr.	-Rent	76.60
N. C. Dept. of Revenue	-Sales & Use Tax	3.49
N. C. Public Employees' Social Security	-Social Security Withheld	10,380.45
N. C. Dept. of Revenue	-N. C. Income Tax Withheld	2,145.89

Out Door Poor

\$ 5.00

Upon motion the meeting adjourned until October 20, 1969  
at 10:00 A.M.

APPROVED:

*Betty J. Williamson*  
Clerk

*A. J. Watts*  
Chairman