

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office at 10:00 a.m., March 6, 1972, it being first Monday.

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD PRESENT:

Edward W. Williamson, Chairman

J. Roland Gore

H. J. Watts

W. O. Johnson

T. E. Burns

Emogene W. Suggs, Clerk

The following business was transacted:

Mr. Lester Smith, Chairman of Columbus Site Developers, Inc., came to ask if the property being developed by said company is subject to ad valorem taxes. This property is being developed by a non-profit organization. He will be notified by letter if this property qualifies for exemption.

Mr. Allen Stanley, Commander, American Disabled Veterans in Columbus County came to voice complaints by this organization against the services of the Columbus County Veterans' Service Officer. He is to be notified by letter of the action taken on this matter.

Ordered: that two hand-railings be installed on the steps at the front entrance of the Courthouse. Mr. Griffin is to have this work under his supervision at a cost not to exceed \$60.00.

Ordered: that Mr. Griffin supervise filling the old septic tank, formerly used at County Hall, with dirt to eliminate the problem of drainage on the school property and danger to the public.

Ordered: that Liston Spivey be paid \$400.00 to move stumps and hedges around the new jail property.

The following tax releases were made upon the recommendation of the Tax Supvr.

Ordered: that the taxes listed in the name of Annie Shipman, Welches Creek Township, be released in the amount of \$22.80 for the year 1970 due to double listing.

Ordered: that the taxes listed in the name of Annie Shipman, Welches Creek Township, be released in the amount of \$21.60 for the year 1971 due to double listing.

Ordered: that the taxes listed in the name of J. A. Johnson, Williams Township, be released in the amount of \$51.12 for the year 1971 due to a clerical error.

Ordered: that the taxes listed in the name of Eva Virginia Spivey Mills, South Williams Township, be released in the amount of \$38.16 for the year 1971 due to double listing.

Mr. Leo Fisher, Register of Deeds, came to ask the Board about purchasing or leasing a more modern machine to make copies of deeds, etc., as there is much more of a demand for such copies to be furnished to the public than before. The Board asked Mr. Fisher to investigate the cost and report to the next meeting for further discussion.

- ROAD PETITIONS
1. BUG HILL TOWNSHIP: S. R. #1938 known as Baggett Road. This road is .7 mile in length and has 5 occupied homes located on it.
  2. LEES TOWNSHIP: Dirt road leading off highway #130 near Hickory Hill Barbecue. This road is 1.5 miles in length and has 12 occupied homes located on it.

RESOLUTION CALLING SPECIAL ELECTION FOR ACME-DELCO FIRE DISTRICT

WHEREAS, a petition has been duly presented to the Columbus County Board of Commissioners by at least fifteen per cent of the resident freeholders living and residing in the area lying outside the corporate limits of any municipality in Columbus County, and particularly lying outside the towns of Acme, N. C. and Delco, N. C., which area is described in said petition and designated as "Acme-Delco Fire District";

WHEREAS, under the provisions of General Statutes 69-25.1 et seq., the Board of Commissioners of Columbus County are directed to call an election upon the question of levying a special tax in said Acme-Delco Fire District as hereinafter provided, for the purpose of providing fire protection in said fire district.

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

SECTION 1. That a special election shall be held in the territory and fire district hereinafter described on Saturday, May 6, 1972, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters residing in said fire district in Columbus County, the issue as to whether or not there shall be levied and collected in said fire district annually a special tax not to exceed fifteen (15) cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation on all taxable property, real and personal, in said area or district for the purpose of providing fire protection in said district.

SECTION 2. That the Acme-Delco Fire District includes that certain area in Ransom Township, in Columbus County, according to a map filed with the Clerk of the Board of Commissioners of Columbus County, said fire district lying and being outside all municipalities in Columbus County, including the towns of Acme and Delco, N. C. and which is more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at a point (1) on U. S. Hwy. 87 North, at its intersection with U. S. Hwy. 141; thence in a southerly direction to a point (2) on W. M. Waddell Road (#1812), at its intersection with Pearl Sutton Road (#1813); and excluding all property on W. M. Waddell Road (#1812) between this and the preceding point; thence in a southerly direction to a point (3) on U. S. Hwy. 141, .4 mile North from its intersection with Old Lake Road (#1740), thence in a southerly direction to a point (4) on Old Lake Road (1740), .4 mile northwest from its intersection with U. S. Hwy 141; thence in a southeasterly direction to a point (5) on U. S. Hwy 141, .2 mile southwest from its intersection with Old Lake Road (#1740); thence in a southeasterly direction to a point (6) on Raymond Shaw Road (#1845), .3 mile northwest from its intersection with Haahn Road (#1846); thence in a southerly direction to a point (7) on Haahn Road (#1846) at its intersection with Raymond Shaw Road (#1845), and excluding all property on Raymond Shaw Road (#1845) between this and the preceding point; thence in a southeasterly direction to a point (8) on U. S. Hwy 74-76, .6 mile west from the Livingston Creek Bridge on U. S. Hwy 74-76; thence in a southerly direction to a point (9) on Livingston Chapel Road (#1824), .1 mile southwest from its intersection with Old Bradshaw Road (#1825); thence in a northeasterly direction to a point (10) on the Old Bradshaw Road (#1825), .2 mile east from its intersection with Livingston Chapel Road (#1824); thence in a southeasterly direction to a point (11) on the Old Bradshaw Road (#1825), .5 mile west from its intersection with the Prosper Road (#1849); thence in a southeasterly direction to a point (12) on the Prosper Road (#1849) at its intersection with John Payton Road (#1827); thence in a northeasterly direction to a point (13) on Fred Webb Road (#1872), .6 mile southeast from its intersection with Prosper Road (#1849); thence in a northeasterly direction to a point (14) on U. S. Hwy 74-76 East at the Columbus and Brunswick County line; thence in a northeasterly direction to a point (15) on the Old Wilmington Road (#1820) at the Columbus and Brunswick County line; thence in a northeasterly direction to a point (16) on Gooseneck Road (#1818), .6 mile northeast from its intersection with W. C. Phelps Road (#1819); thence in a southeasterly direction to a point (17) on W. C. Phelps Road (#1819), .6 mile northwest of its intersection with Gooseneck Road (#1818); thence in a northwesterly direction to a point (18) on Buddy Purvis Road (#1811), .5 mile northeast from its intersection with U. S. Hwy. 87; thence on a westerly direction to the point/Beginning; excluding all property within the boundaries of Riegelwood Sanitary District.

SECTION III. That the Clerk of the Columbus County Board of Commissioners is hereby authorized and directed to publish notice of said special election once a week for three successive weeks in the News Reporter, Whitevill, N. C., a newspaper circulating in

the area comprising the fire district as above described, setting forth the boundry lines of said fire district and the tax rate to be levied. the publications in said newspaper shall begin at least twenty (20) days prior to the date the books open for registration for said election and the notice shall be substantially in the following form:

COUNTY OF COLUMBUS, NORTH CAROLINA  
NOTICE OF SPECIAL LOCAL TAX ELECTION ACME-DELCO  
FIRE DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the territory hereinafter described on Saturday, May 6, 1972, pursuant to the provisions of Article 3A of Chapter 69, G.S. of North Carolina, entitled "Rural Fire Protection Districts," and upon order contained in a resolution by the Columbus County Board of Commissioners for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters residing in said area the question as to whether or not there shall be levied and collected in said area a special tax not to exceed fifteen (15) cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars in valuation of all taxable property, real and personal, in said area for the purpose of providing fire protection in said fire district.

The polling place, registrar, judges of election and boundaries of said Acme-Delco Fire District are as follows:

Polling Place	Acme-Delco School, Delco, North Carolina
Registrar	Mrs. Virginia Lane, P. O. Box 343, Delco, N. C.
Judges of Election	Mrs. Frank Carroll, P. O. Box 45, Delco, N. C. E. R. Shaw, General Delivery, Riegelwood, N. C.

Boundaries of Acme-Delco Fire District:

BEGINNING at a point (1) on U. S. Hwy. 87 North at its intersection with U. S. Hwy. 141; thence in a southerly direction to a point (2) on W. M. Waddell Road (#1812), at its intersection with Pearl Sutton Road (#1813); and excluding all property on W. M. Waddell Road (#1812) between this and the preceding point; thence in a southerly direction to a point (3) on U. S. Hwy. 141, .4 mile north from its intersection with Old Lake Road (#1740), thence in a southwesterly direction to a point (4) on Old Lake Road (#1740), .4 miles northwest from its intersection with U. S. Hwy. 141; thence in a southeasterly direction to a point (5) on U. S. Hwy. 141, .2 mile southwest from its intersection with Old Lake Road (#1740); thence in a southeasterly direction to a point (6) on Raymond Shaw Road (#1845), .3 mile northwest from its intersection with Haahn Road (#1846); thence in a southerly direction to a point (7) on Haahan Road (#1846) at its intersection with Raymond Shaw Road (#1845), and excluding all property on Raymond Shaw Road (#1845) between this and the preceding point; thence in a southeasterly direction to a point (8) on U. S. Hwy. 74-76, .6 mile west from the Livingston Creek Bridge on U. S. Hwy. 74-76; thence in a southerly direction to a point (9) on Livingston Chapel Road (#1824), .1 mile southwest from its intersection with the Old Bradshaw Road (#1825); thence in a northeasterly direction to a point (10) on the Old Bradshaw Road (#1825), .2 mile east from its intersection with Livingston Chaple Road (#1824); thence in a southeasterly direction to a point (11) on the Old Bradshaw Road (#1825, .5 mile west from its intersection with Prosper Road (#1849); thence in a southeasterly direction to a point (12) on the Prosper Road (#1849) at its intersection with John Payton Road (#1827); thence in a northeasterly direction to a point (13) on Fred Webb Road (#1872), .6 mile southeast from its intersection with Prosper Road (#1849); thence in a northeasterly direction to a point (14) on U. S. Hwy. 74-76 east at the Columbus and Brunswick County line; thence in a northeasterly direction to a point (15) on the old Wilmington Road (#1820) at the Columbus and Brunswick County line; thence in a northeasterly direction to a point (16) on Gooseneck Road (#1818), .6 mile north east from its intersection with W. C. Phelps Road (#1819); thence in a southwesterly direction to a point (17) on W. C. Phelps Road (#1819), .6 mile northwest of its intersection with Gooseneck Road (#1818); thence in a northwesterly direction to a point (18) on Buddy Purvis Road (#1811), .5 mile northeast from its intersection with U. S. Hwy. 87; thence in a westerly direction to the point of Beginning, excluding all property within the boundaries of Riegelwood Sanitary District.

Notice is further given that there shall be a special registration for the qualified voters in the territory above described in Columbus County, and that no person will be premitted to vote unless especially registered for this election.

for the purpose of registration for this special election, new registration books will be used and said registration books will be open for the registration of qualified voters living within the above set forth boundaries of the Acme-Delco Fire District, from 9:00 o'clock a.m. until sunset beginning Saturday, April 1, 1972, and closing on Saturday, April 22, 1972, said date being the second Saturday before the special election. On each Saturday during said period, said registration books will be open for the purpose of registering qualified voters at the polling place herein above designated.

For the purpose of challenge, said registration books shall be kept open at the polling place on Saturday, April 29, 1972, between the hours of 9:00 o'clock a.m. and 3:00 o'clock p.m. which said date is designed as Challenge Day for the purpose of said registration and election.

On Saturday, May 6, 1972, the date designated for the special election, the polls will be open at 6:30 o'clock a.m. until 7:30 o'clock p.m.

Notice is further given that if a majority of qualified voters voting at said election shall vote in favor of levying and collection a tax in said area known as Acme-Delco Fire District, then the Board of Commissioners of Columbus County will be authorized and directed to levy and collect a tax in said area in such an amount as is deemed necessary, not to exceed fifteen (15¢) cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation of property in said area in said county from year to year, to be used solely for furnishing fire protection within said area as provided by law.

By order of the Board of Commissioners of Columbus County.

Dated March 6, 1972

/s/ Emogene W. Suggs, Clerk  
Board of Commissioners of Columbus County

SECTION IV. The polls for said election shall be open and closed at the time and at the place stated in said notice. The electors shall be registered for said election in the manner stated in said notice.

SECTION V. The polling place, registrar and judges of election shall be as stated and set forth in said notice.

SECTION VI. The Ballot to be used in said election shall be in substantially the following form:

OFFICIAL SPECIAL ELECTION BALLOT  
Instruction to Voters

1. To vote for the levying and collecting a tax not to exceed fifteen (15¢) cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation for fire protection in Acme-Delco Fire Protection District make a (X) cross mark in the square to the left of the words, "In favor of tax for fire protection in the Acme-Delco Fire Protection District".
2. To vote against the levying and collecting of a tax not to exceed fifteen (15¢) cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation for fire protection in Acme-Delco Fire Protection District make a (X) cross mark in the square to the left of the words, "Against tax for fire protection in Acme-Delco Fire Protection District".
3. If you tear or deface or wrongly mark this ballott, return it and get another.

..... In favor of tax for fire protection in Acme-Delco Fire District.

..... Against the tax for fire protection in Acme-Delco Fire District.

*Edward Williamson*  
Chairman, County Board of Elections  
of Columbus County, North Carolina

SECTION VII. The County Board of Elections of Columbus County is hereby requested to assist in the election and in the supervision of the provision for the proper registration books, booths, ballot boxes and other equipment required for holding said election.

Commissioner T. E. Burns moved the adoption of the foregoing resolution. Commissioner W. O. Johnson seconded the motion. The resolution was carried unanimously. (Void)

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

Name	Position	Salary	Account Number	Amount
Sankey W. Robinson	County Attorney		(4761)	\$ 363.70
R. Brooks Stanley	Tax Supvr.	"		679.05
Venie H. Rouse	Asst. Tax Supvr.	"		313.88
Martha L. Smith	Clerk	"		227.91
Bertha L. Long	Clerk	"		227.99
Susie M. Stone	Clerk	"		250.39
Janie S. Cox	Clerk	"		252.39
Monique M. Taylor	Clerk	"		227.91
Edgar M. Griffin	Tax Collector	"		672.93
Doris L. Ward	Bookkeeper	"		287.75
Genevieve Nobles	Clerk	"		267.52
Jacqueline F. Johnson	Clerk	"	(4773)	270.72
Peggy G. Ray	Clerk	"		235.98
Arthur L. Duke	Sheriff	"		632.53
John Coleman	Deputy Sheriff	"		565.83
Robert Simmons	Deputy Sheriff	"	(4777)	570.52
Emery H. Smith	Deputy Sheriff	"		590.05
Spurgeon D. Nobles	Deputy Sheriff	"		519.68
Charlie C. Norton	Deputy Sheriff	"		519.68
Kenneth M. Squires	Deputy Sheriff	"		539.16
Donald R. Hunt	Deputy Sheriff	"	(4782)	519.68
Laconya Reeves	Deputy Sheriff	"		553.90
Dewey L. Haynes	Deputy Sheriff	"		553.90
Alton O. Lennon	Deputy Sheriff	"		553.90
Joel R. Hunt	Deputy Sheriff	"		519.68
Herman E. Price	Deputy Sheriff	"		557.65
Horace L. Shaw	Supt., Bu. of Identif.	"		664.01
Annie Belle E. Powell	Secy., Sheriff's Dept.	"		242.06
Town of Whiteville	Radio Operator	"		140.00
Town of Chadbourn	Radio Operator	"		140.00
Town of Tabor City	Radio Operator	"		140.00
Peggy H. Shaw	Secy., Bd. of Elections	"		322.45
Emogene W. Suggs	Accountant	"	(4794)	369.97
Veneda S. Ray	Assistant Co. Accountant	"		361.72
Paul E. Hughes	Custodian - County Buildings	"		381.97
Izear Dunson	Janitor	"		253.37
Helen Bethea	Janitress	"		189.61
Willie Mae Smith	Janitress - Annex I	"	(4799)	122.13
Leo L. Fisher	Register of Deeds	"		509.72
Anna Belle Lane	Deputy Register of Deeds	"		289.08
Gladys G. Wooten	Deputy Register of Deeds	"		299.12
Marvelann W. Norris	Deputy Register of Deeds	"		270.72
Myrtle N. McAlister	Deputy Register of Deeds	"		270.72
Ila N. Penny	Deputy Register of Deeds	"		270.72
Frances Vaughn	Clerk	"		267.52
James Blake Nance	Janitor - County Hall	"		261.96
Alice S. Wright	Director - Social Services	"		704.12
Pearl H. Fowler	Supervisor - Social Services	"		554.99
Margaret V. Hair	Supervisor - Social Services	"		538.15
Helma T. English	Social Worker	"		521.37
Sally G. Marks	Social Worker	"	(4812)	512.45
Jo Anne P. Vereen	Social Worker	"		515.37
Jimmy E. Godwin	Social Worker	"		459.29
Mary B. Pickett	Social Worker	"		462.10
L. Jeanette Suggs	Social Worker	"		435.85
Griffin J. Johnson	Social Worker	"		454.33
Edwin E. Tatum, Jr.	Eligibility Specialist	"		421.08
Peggy Ann M. Duncan	Eligibility Specialist	"		384.46
Rebecca J. Williamson	Eligibility Specialist	"		358.63
Kathryn S. Worrell	Eligibility Specialist	"		371.46
Mae Belle W. Weaver	Stenographer	"		348.13
Paulin S. Pait	Typist	"	(4823)	307.11
Leota H. Hodges	Typist	"		298.18
Sylvia Pridgen	Typist	"		270.93

Name	Position	Salary	Code	Amount
Harriet P. Kayse	Typist		(4826)	\$ 272.26
Joyce S. Clark	Clerk	"		258.67
Doris G. Lennon	Social Services Aide	"		259.28
Linda P. Baldwin	Eligibility Specialist	"		344.98
Claire P. Duncan	Eligibility Specialist	"		325.81
Brenda Pierce	Eligibility Specialist	"		374.46
Janet M. Thomas	Clerk	"		274.31
Janice W. Hall	Clerk	"		250.78
Roscoe Enzor	Teller	"		354.39
Sankey W. Robinson	Social Services Attorney	"		171.88
Garland D. McCullen	County Extension Agent	"		113.45
Donald W. Baker	Asst. County Ext. Agent	"		313.10
J. M. Spaulding	County Extension Agent	"		204.54
Dorothy M. Reaves	Extension Secy.	"		211.31
Linda A. Lee	Administrative Assistant	"		202.73
Wanda B. Pridgen	Extension Secy.	"		104.50
C. D. Raper	Extension Chairman	"		293.78
Elaine N. Blake	Home Ec. Ext. Agt.	"	(4843)	196.31
Yvonne B. Ray	Home Ec. Ext. Agt.	"		108.58
Shelda Burnette McDowell	Asst. Home Ec. Ext. Agt.	"		213.63
Barbara K. Williamson	Secy., Soil Conservation	"		295.11
S. T. Enzor	Building Inspector	"		523.22
H. Hugh Nance	Veterans' Service Officer	"		437.60
Jeanette H. Baxter	Librarian	"		484.99
Edna Creech	Asst. Librarian	"		308.70
Jane O. Saunders	Asstg. at Library	"		128.11
Frances Ann Valentine	Asstg. at Library	"		44.32
Naomi Faye Hines	Asstg. at Tabor City Library	"		165.21
Ella Ruth Baldwin	Asstg. at Library	"		275.79
Olive P. Fowler	Asstg. at Tabor City Library	"		95.53
Brenda Joyce Griffin	Asstg. at Library	"		31.28
Donald B. Peterson	Driving Bookmobile	"		64.46
Sarah W. Harrelson	Asstg. at Library	"		5.69
Millie McKinnon	Janitress- Library	"		30.34
Lacy Long	Court-room Officer	"		262.96
John A. Byrd	Dog Warden	"	(4861)	476.88
James Davis	Asst. Dog Warden	"		14.22
Charles E. Ward	Soil Scientist	"		593.30
Lathal R. Wayne	Civil Defense Director	"		418.25
Sandra J. Tedder	Stenographer - C.D.	"		255.95
Lacy Mercer	Electrical Inspector	"		233.97
Rosetta Oliver	Janitress	"		26.54
Buell E. Lanier	Coroner	"	(4868)	62.17
<b>EXPENSES:</b>				
Southern National Bank of N. C.	Federal Income Tax Withheld			4,526.70
Group Insurance Services	Hospital & Life Ins.	(1208)		1,109.11
W. O. Johnson	Meetings & Conferences during February			219.20
J. Roland Gore	Meetings & Conferences during February			116.00
T. E. Burns	Meetings & Conferences during February			62.40
Edward W. Williamson	Meetings & Conferences during February	(1206)		392.00
Colonial Life & Accident Ins.	Accident Insurance Withheld - Feb. Salaries			58.00
N. C. Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System	Retirement Withheld			1,931.22
N. C. Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System	Employer's Share			3,510.97
Tip Top Florist	Account for Commissioners			7.80
Monroe International	Maintenance Agreement	(1213)		51.00
Mrs. Charles Warner	Account for Courthouse			47.70
Kenneth M. Squires	Conveying Prisoners			38.88
Donald R. Hunt	Reimbursement & Out of County travel			11.12
Floyd's Insurance Agency	Policy on Sheriff's Van			123.00
Broadcast & Communications	Contract Service on Radios			155.00
Mel Davis & Associates	Account for Sheriff's Dept.	(1219)		12.91
H. L. Shaw	Reimbursement for February Expenses			97.48
Columbus Motor Co.	Account for Bu. of Identif.			1.33
W. H. King Drug Co.	Account for Bu. of Identif.			103.53
The News Reporter Co., INC.	Various Accounts for County Offices	(1223)		164.98
Physician's Desk Reference	Copy for Bu. of Identif.			10.00
Fletcher's Esso Station	Account for Sheriff's Dept.			3.30
Wright's Gulf Service	Gas for Security Truck			118.22
Herman E. Price	Reimbursement & Trip to Bladen County Jail			7.00
Municipal Forms & Systems	New forms for Accountant's Office			10.33
Emogene W. Suggs	Trip to bank in Fair Bluff			4.10
Pitney-Bowes	Maintenance for Postage Machine			30.00
Hyatt Exterminating Co.	Contract Service for County Buildings			32.00
Atlantic Publishing Co.	Janitorial Supplies			21.22
City of Whiteville	Water & Sewer Accounts	(1233)		61.34
Dover Elevator Co.	Contract Service			27.00

Court Squase Store	Account for Courthouse	(1235)	\$ 24.81
Del Chemical Corp.	Janitorial Supplies		61.32
Lustra Lighting	Courthouse Account		165.27
Owen G. Dunn Co.	Account for Register of Deeds		357.00
Pitney Bowes	Account for Register of Deeds		88.00
Ila N. Penny	Reimbursement for Seminar in Wilmington		20.00
Buell Lanier, Sr.	Mileage & Phone Calls during February		82.45
N. C. Dept. of Conservation & Development	- County's Share of January Expenditures		808.42
John Coleman	Conveying Prisoners		12.00
Carolina Grill	Meals for Prisoners in Court		11.50
Edward W. Williamson	Board meeting at Social Services		11.50
W. B. Buffkin	Board meeting at Social Services		10.60
The News Reporter Co.	Account for Social Services	(1247)	36.68
Storr Sales Co.	Account for Social Services		143.86
The Singer Co.	Account for Social Services		2.08
Uptown Martt	Account for Social Services		15.60
Jones Discount Discount	Account for Social Services (Indigent Children)		3.06
Mrs. Guila Dawsey	Boarding Home Care	(1252)	70.00
Mrs. Allie Ivey	Boarding Home Care		70.00
Mrs. Ned Boswell	Boarding Home Care		70.00
Mrs. Mamie Patrick	Boarding Home Care		120.00
Mrs. Horace Rich	Boarding Home Care		80.00
Mrs. Novella G. Williams	Boarding Home Care		240.00
Alice S. Wright	Travel for February	(1258)	72.20
Roscoe Enzor	Travel for February		68.80
Helma T. English	Travel for February		29.70
Margaret V. Hair	Travel for February		63.28
L. Jeanette Suggs	Travel for February		68.40
Mary B. Pickett	Travel for February		46.90
Rebecca Williamson	Travel for February		37.00
Charles E. Tatum, Jr.	Travel for February		67.50
Jo Ann P. Vereen	Travel for February		73.75
Brenda Pierce	Travel for February		72.20
Linda P. Baldwin	Travel for February		74.65
Claire P. Duncan	Travel for February		66.98
Doris G. Lennon	Travel for February		72.26
Kathryn S. Worrell	Travel for February		37.03
Peggy M. Duncan	Travel for February	(1272)	33.85
Jimmy E. Godwin	Travel for February		52.70
Sally G. Marks	Travel for February		112.77
Cavin's Business Products	Account for Social Services		47.00
Pitney-Bowes	Account for Social Services		48.00
International Business Machines	- Rent for Typewriters		105.08
N. C. Commission for the Blind	- County's Share of February Expenditures		264.02
Davis Garage & Body Shop	Repair office chairs		9.50
Pearl H. Fowler	Reimbursement for Food Stamp Meeting		89.58
N. C. State University	Account for Extension Service		56.00
N. C. State University Print Shop	- Account for Extension Service	(1282)	77.00
Xerox Corp.	Account for Extension Service		41.60
Bernard Peal	Rent - Employment Security		150.00
Town of Bolton	Rent - Magistrate's Office		60.00
Williamson's Insurance Agency	- Rent - Magistrate's Office		85.00
F. K. Ward	Rent - Magistrate's Office		85.00
Town of Fair Bluff	Rent - Magistrate's Office		75.00
Columbus County News	Advertising - Dog Warden		151.90
Atlantic Publishing Co.	Advertising - Dog Warden	(1291)	63.70
Lathal R. Wayne	Travel for February		150.00
Institute of Government	Copy of PROPERTY TAX LIEN FORECLOSURE FORMS		10.40*
Fair Bluff Motors	Repairs to Sheriff's Van		103.02
Farmers Oil & Fertilizer Co.	- Various Accounts for County Buildings		1,620.76
Kem Manufacturing Co.	Invoice #82187 - Courthouse		171.00
Scotts of Whiteville	Account for Courthouse & Annex		13.50
Legrande Thompson	Railings for Courthouse Steps		60.00
Townsend Builders, INC.	Account for Courthouse - Mat at Elevator		9.34
W. H. King Drug Co.	Account for Register of Deeds		33.55
Owen G. Dunn Co.	Account for Register of Deeds		69.01
Keys Printing Co.	Account for Register of Deeds		44.91
Edwards & Broughton Co.	Account for Register of Deeds		94.76
Pitney-Bowes	Account for Register of Deeds		62.40
N. C. Dept. of Conservation & Development	- County's Share of February Expenditures		1,410.27
Bladen County Auditor	Lodging & Meals for Columbus County Prisoners		2,235.00
Janet M. Thomas	Subsistance		5.31
American Public Welfare Assoc.	- Membership fee for Agency		35.00
N. C. Commission for the Blind	- March 1st Statement		457.39
C. D. Raper	Reimbursement for February Expenses		11.18
Collier Gas Co.	Account for Employment Security		47.85
Memory's Super Market	Water Pitcher for Courthouse - Courtroom	(1313)	.72

The News Reporter Co., Inc.	Various Accounts	(1294)	\$ 306.31*
Carolina Telephone & Telegraph Co.	Accounts for County Offices	(1314)	620.03
Carolina Power & Light Co.	Accounts for County Offices		622.41
Out-Door-Poor			5.00

RENEWAL of LEASE AGREEMENT BETWEEN COLUMBUS COUNTY HOSPITAL, INC. AND  
COLUMBUS COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

WHEREAS, the Chairman of the Board of Trustees and the Administrator of the Columbus County Hospital met with the Board at their regular meeting, and

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of the Columbus County Board of Commissioners that the Board of Trustees of Columbus County Hospital wishes to secure a firm to provide expert advice regarding long range plans including building expansion and equipment for Columbus County Hospital, and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees thought it to be in the best interest of the Hospital to make long range plans in excess of the present lease, NOW

THEREFORE, in the best interest of all concerned a new lease agreement is entered into at this time. A motion made by Commissioner Burns, duly seconded by Commissioner Gore the following order was unanimously adopted,

The Lease, made and entered into this 6th day of March, 1972, by and between COLUMBUS COUNTY, a political subdivision of the State of North Carolina, and Edward Walton Williamson, W. O. Johnson, Edison Burns, H. J. Watts and J. Roland Gore, individual members constituting and comprising the Board of Commissioners of Columbus County, North Carolina, parties of the first part, and hereinafter referred to as "LESSORS", and the Trustees of the Columbus County Hospital, Inc., a public, charitable, non-profit hospital corporation, organized under and existing pursuant to the laws of the State of N. C., party of the second part, and hereinafter referred to as "LESSEE":

W I T N E S S E T H

For and in consideration of the covenants and agreements hereinafter set forth Lessors have demised and leased, and Lessee accepts as tenant of Lessors, all of a certain tract or parcel of land located in Columbus County and more particularly described as follows:

All that tract or parcel of land situated in the Town of Whiteville, at the intersection of Thompson St. with Jefferson St. in said town, and acquired by Columbus County by purchase from W. E. Miller and others and fully described in a deed from said Miller to the County of Columbus, recorded in Deed Book 155 at page 176, Registry of Columbus County, and those lands described in deed from Doris M. Pridgen to Columbus County, dated March 16, 1959, and recorded in Deed Book 218 on page 280, Columbus County Registry, together with all buildings, equipment, and appliances connected with or used in connection with the hospital and nurses home situate thereon, said equipment consisting of all personal property belonging to Columbus County now located on said property or used in connection/<sup>there</sup>with, as well as all equipment, instruments and other personal property that may be furnished for the full equipment of said hospital property and useful and necessary for the proper operation thereof for hospital purposes. (The party of the second part, in accepting this lease agrees that all personal property purchased by it and used in connection with the operating of the hospital and nurses' home as well as all replacements therefor is and shall be and remain the property of Columbus County subject to the terms of this lease.)

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD, the same and the privileges and appurtenances thereunto in any wise appertaining to the LESSEE and its successors, upon the following terms and conditions:

Copy of terms & conditions are recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in Columbus County Courthouse, Whiteville, N. C. in BOOK 263, Page 280, on the 9th day of March 1972.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Columbus County has caused this instrument to be executed in its corporate name by the Chairman of its Board of County Commissioners and attested by the Secretary of said Board, pursuant to the resolutions duly as regularly adopted at the March 6, 1972, meeting of said Board of County Commissioners, and also by the individual



members comprising the Board of County Commissioners, and the Columbus County Hospital, Inc., has caused this instrument to be executed in its corporate name by its Chairman, and its corporate seal to be affixed hereto and attested by its Secretary, pursuant to resolutions duly and regularly adopted by Trustees of Columbus County Hospital, Inc. at a meeting held March 1, 1972, all as of the day and year first above written.

COLUMBUS COUNTY

/s/ Edward W. Williamson  
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners  
for Columbus County

ATTEST:

/s/ Emogene W. Suggs, Secretary  
Board of County Commissioners  
for Columbus County

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR  
COLUMBUS COUNTY

/s/ Edward W. Williamson  
Edward W. Williamson

/s/ W. O. Johnson

/s/ Edison Burns

/s/ H. J. Watts

/s/ J. Roland Gore

/s/ Ralph Rogers  
Witness

COLUMBUS COUNTY HOSPITAL, INC.

By C. L. Tate, Chairman  
Columbus County Hospital, Inc.

ATTEST:

/s/ A. P. Rogers, Secretary  
Trustees, Columbus County Hospital, Inc.

TRUSTEES, COLUMBUS COUNTY HOSPITAL, INC.

By /s/ C. L. Tate

/s/ Clyde Wayne

/s/ A. P. Rogers, Sr.

/s/ W. F. Floyd

/s/ J. B. Lattgy

/s/ D. H. Lennon

/s/ J. T. Wooten

/s/ Ralph Rogers  
Witness

Upon motion the meeting adjourned until March 20, 1972, at 10:00 a.m.

APPROVED:

Emogene W. Suggs  
Clerk

Edward W. Williamson  
Chairman