

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office at 8:00 p.m., July 30, 1973, according to adjournment.

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD PRESENT:

Edward W. Williamson, Chairman

Donald P. Currie

T. E. Burns

Mayo Brown

W. B. Buffkin

Emogene W. Suggs, Clerk

At 8:00 p.m. the meeting was called to order and the Chairman announced that it was the designated time to open bids for various vehicles for the Law Enforcement Officers and the

Landfill. The following bids were submitted:

Company	Model	Automobile	Vann	Pick-up	Total	
Quality Motors	1973	(10) \$ 3,594.94	\$3,597.17	\$3,472.37	\$ 57,278.82	Ford
		(5) 3,571.41				
Fair Bluff Motors	1974	3,876.00	3,788.28	3,429.53	61,569.53	Ford
Wooten Motors	1974	3,537.28	3,715.54	3,316.05	56,375.25	Ford
Carolina Motors	1974	3,525.63	3,659.73	3,358.20	56,242.65	Plymouth
		3,539.76	3,659.73	3,358.20	56,464.60	Dodge
Avant & Sholar	1974	(15) 3,779.49	-	3,293.93	60,236.28	Chevy
		(10) 3,804.49				
					Less \$25.00	
					Per Vehicle	400.00
					for Manual	59,836.28
Scott Motors	1973	3,766.37	3,923.60	3,224.84	59,720.39	
					240.00	
					59,480.39	Chevy
Hinson Chevrolet	1974	3,779.58		3,277.45	59,971.15	Chevy

The above totals do not include the price of the Vann as there must be new specifications drawn and readvertised at a later date. A statement was made by the representative from Scott Motors Company that 5% could be added to their bid for 1974 model vehicles.

A motion was made by Commissioner Burns, seconded by Commissioner Brown to apply to the Local Government Commission to allow Columbus County Board of Commissioners to hold a Hospital Bond Election.

Mr. Wallace Clontz came to discuss plans and specifications for renovation of the Ward Building for office space for various county offices. There was a lengthy discussion and Mr. Clontz and the Board adjourned to the Ward Building to further study the possibilities of more space by building onto the front of the present structure. Mr. Clontz is to proceed with the plans.

Upon motion the meeting adjourned until 8:00 p.m., August 2, 1973 at which time the Board will meet jointly with the Public Safety Commission Board to discuss the purchase of vehicles for the Law Enforcement Officers from the bids already received.

APPROVED:

Emogene W. Suggs
Clerk

Edward Williamson
Chairman