

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office at 5:00 p.m., Monday, June 9, 1980, according to adjournment to continue work sessions on the budget estimate.

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD PRESENT:

C. Waldo Marlowe, Chairman (Part-time)

Junior W. Dew, Vice-Chairman

Edward W. Williamson

L. A. Hinson

David L. McPherson

James E. Hill, Jr., Attorney

Emogene W. Suggs, Clerk

The meeting was called to order by the ~~Vice-Chairman~~ and the following persons met with the Board to discuss their budget requests:

Marion Duncan met with the Board to request that the Health Department be allowed to hire on additional clerk. She stated that they now have a total of eleven clinics as opposed to four a few years ago and only one clerk has been added in the Health Department from County funds within the past ten years.

Ila Penny, Register of Deeds, met with the Board to request a \$100.00 per month increase for each employee in her office except herself, for which she requested 10% increase.

Hobson Ivey, Solid Waste Supervisor, met with the Board to request a \$50.00 per month increase in salaries for each employee in the Solid Waste Department, plus 10%, except exempt himself from the \$50.00 request.

No action was taken on the individual requests at this time.

Commissioner Hinson requested that the mosquito control program be added to the budget estimate. Information from Keith Oates was that the cost to the County would be \$65,000. if funds were available from the State to match the County funds.

It was decided that an estimate be left in the budget to lease-purchase a computer and software rather than purchase in one year. Several other changes were made and the Budget Officer was instructed to work these changes in the estimate and report to the Board at the next work session.

It was stipulated that the number of cars that could be purchased with the \$42,000 for the Sheriff's Department replace present autos and an equal number of autos be sold.

Howard Straughan, Library Board of Trustees Chairman, met with the Board because of the controversy in the news that the Bible was not available to children in the Library. He stated that Ms. Bible had been misquoted and that Bibles are available to both children and adults. Commissioner McPherson asked that the error be corrected by a Library spokesman.

Upon motion the meeting adjourned until June 11, 1980, Thursday, at 7:00 p.m.

APPROVED:

Emogene W. Suggs Clerk

Waldo Marlowe Chairman