

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in the Courthouse, Tuesday, March 9, 1982, as advertised in the local newspaper, for the purpose of holding a public hearing.

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD PRESENT:

Junior W. Dew, Chairman

Edward W. Williamson

C. Waldo Marlowe

L. A. Hinson

ABSENT:

Lynwood Norris

Also present were James E. Hill, Jr., Attorney, and Emogene W. Suggs, Clerk

Approximately fifty property owners attended this hearing and Mr. B. A. Mills, District Engineer, Department of Transportation.

The hearing was called to order by the Chairman and he stated that the purpose of the hearing was to allow property owners on SR 1967, Waccamaw Shores Road, to be heard on the matter of assessing said property owners to improve and pave the Road.

It was stated by Mr. Mills that GS 153A-190 provides for the Board of Commissioners to assess property owners \$2.00 per lineal road foot to pave roads. He briefed the audience concerning the project which was instigated by a petition from the property owners to the Commissioners requesting that this project be initiated.

The property owners were given the opportunity to ask any questions or make comments concerning the project. About ten persons asked questions and all who spoke encouraged the Board to proceed with the project. No one present expressed any objections to the project nor was any objection received in writing.

Mr. Mills stated that funds in the amount of \$90,000.00 has been set aside by the Department of Transportation to participate in this project pending receiving funds from the County to proceed further. The Board assured the audience that action will be taken at the next Board meeting to remit the funds to the Department of Transportation and that the designated property owners will be assessed to recover the funds in the 1983 tax year. The amount to be assessed for property owner participation is \$60,937.84.

The estimated time for completion of the project is from June to September, 1982, as funds are set aside in this construction season.

The hearing was adjourned.

Approved:

Emogene W. Suggs Clerk

Junior Dew Chairman