

The Honorable Columbus County Board of Commissioners met in their said office at 8:00 A.M., June 13, 1988, for the purpose of a public hearing on the proposed filing of an application for a Community Development Block Grant.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Junior Dew, Chairman

Lynwood Norris

Ed Worley

Roy L. Lowe
Adm./Clerk

Ida L. Smith
Deputy Clerk

ABSENT:

Samuel G. Koonce, Vice Chairman

Giles E. (Buddy) Byrd

James E. Hill, Jr.
County Attorney

The Chairman called the public hearing to order.

The Chairman stated that the purpose of the hearing was to receive public comments in the proposed filing of an application for a Community Development Block Grant for the purpose of upgrading a railroad bed from Georgia Pacific Corporation to Whiteville Plywood.

The Chairman allowed anyone present to speak.

There were no comments.

A motion was made by Commissioner Norris, seconded by Commissioner Worley and passed unanimously to close the public hearing.

CDBG GRANT - PROCEED WITH APPLICATION

A motion was made by Commissioner Worley, seconded by Commissioner Norris and passed unanimously to authorize the Administrator and Hobbs, Upchurch and Associates to proceed with the formulation of the Community Development Block Grant application requesting funding in the amount of \$300,000.00 to loan to Mid-Atlantic Railroad to upgrade the railroad bed from the Georgia Pacific plant to the Whiteville Plywood plant.

A second public hearing is scheduled for 7:30 A.M. on June 29, 1988 for the purpose of public participation in the filing of an application for the Community Development Block Grant.

FIRE & RESCUE - APPROVED 10¢ TAX RATE FOR A-D-R

Steve Camelin, Fire Chief for the Acme Delco Riegelwood Fire-Rescue Incorporated, presented the Board with a 1988-89 Budget requesting that their tax rate to be increased from 7½¢ to .10¢ on the \$100.00 evaluation.

A motion was made by Commissioner Norris, seconded by Commissioner Worley and passed unanimously to approve the Acme Delco-Riegelwood Fire District's request to increase the tax rate from 7½¢ to .10¢ on the \$100.00 evaluation, effective July 1, 1988.

TOWN OF TABOR CITY - JULY 4TH FIREWORKS APPROVAL

The Administrator read a letter from the Town Manager of Tabor City requesting the Board approve a fireworks show in an old fashion Fourth of July Celebration at the Athletic Complex in Tabor City.

A motion was made by Commissioner Norris, seconded by Commissioner Worley and passed unanimously to grant permission to the Town of Tabor City to include the use of fireworks in the Fourth of July celebration that will be conducted by the Tabor City Assistant Fire Chief, Don Hughes. This approval is granted in compliance with the North Carolina General Statute 14-410.

MEETING RECESSED

At 9:05 A.M., a motion was made by Commissioner Worley, seconded by Commissioner Norris and passed unanimously to recess the meeting until 6:45 A.M., June 16, 1988, for the purpose of receiving the Columbus County 1988-89 Proposed Operating Budget.

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The Honorable Columbus County Board of Commissioners met in their said office at 6:45 A.M., June 16, 1988 for the purpose of receiving the Columbus County 1988-89 Proposed Operating Budget.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Junior Dew, Chairman

Samuel G. Koonce, Vice Chairman

Lynwood Norris

Ed Worley

Giles E. (Buddy) Byrd

James E. Hill, Jr.
County Attorney

Roy L. Lowe
Administrator/Clerk

Ida L. Smith
Deputy Clerk

The Chairman called the meeting to order.

1988-89 COLUMBUS COUNTY PROPOSED BUDGET PRESENTED TO BOARD

Roy L. Lowe, County Administrator, presented the Board with the 1988-89 Columbus County Proposed Operating Budget and requested that a public hearing be scheduled for June 29, 1988, at 7:30 A.M.

A motion was made by Commissioner Koonce, seconded by Commissioner Norris and passed unanimously to schedule a public hearing on the proposed budget for June 29, 1988 at 7:30 A.M.

SOLID WASTE - NOISE COMPLAINT

Roland McPherson, Solid Waste Control Officer, addressed the Board on several complaints received from county residents concerning the garbage trucks emptying dumpsters and transporting garbage causing excessive noise at 2:00 A.M. in the morning.