The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office at a special called meeting, March 15, 1962 at 7 p.m.

The following members were present:

L. P. Ward, Chairman

W. B. Buffkin

A. O. Burns

Robert E. Sessions

Lacy R. Thompson

Mazzalee T. Sanderford, Clerk

Business transacted was as follows:

Upon motion of Commissioner Buffkin, seconded by Commissioner Sessions, the following resolution was passed:

WHERAS we feel that the deepening of the Cape Fear River
Channel will contribute greatly to the industrial development of Eastern
North Carolina, and especially Columbus County; and

WHEREAS we feel that the deepening of said channel will contribute immensely to the transportation facilities of this area; and

WHEREAS it is our understanding that the deepening of the Cape Fear River Channel is being considered by the United States Corps of Engineers; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Columbus County Board of County Commissioners does hereby urge and respectfully requests that the United States Corps of Engineers deepen the Cape Fear River Channel from Navassa, North Carolina to Lock No. 1.

Upon motion the meeting was adjourned until March 19, 1962, at which time the Board will sit as a Board of Equalization and Review.

Approved:

Mazale J. Sanseyfre

Chairman War R