The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office at 10:00 a.m., September 18, 1972, it being third Monday.

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD PRESENT:

E. W. Williamson, Chairman

H. J. Watts

W. O. Johnson

J. Roland Gore (Absent)

T. E. Burns (Absent)

Emogene W. Suggs, Clerk

The meeting was called to order and the following business was transacted:

Ordered: that MArtin Carter, Chadbourn, be appointed to replace Robert L. Duncan as Zoning Officer in the Southeastern Community College Area. Mr. Duncan resigned July 27th.

Ordered: that Yvonne B. Ray be granted maternity leave from January 1, 1973 through March 31, 1973.

Ordered: that the County observe the following holidays: October 23rd - Veterans'
Day; November 7th - Election Day; November 23rd and 24th - Thanksgiving Hoilday.

Ordered: that the following names be submitted to the CApe Fear Council of Governments to be considered as representatives of Columbus County on the Health Palnning Council: Autrey Dawsey, Whiteville; Ralph Rogers, Whiteville; E. W. Williamson, Cerro Gordo; Vernell Gibbs, Fair Bluff; John Bennett, Whiteville; Clyde Wayne, Brunswick; Dr. J. R. Black, Whiteville; Waldo Marlowe, Rt. 4, Whiteville; Mrs.Clifton Shaw, Evergreen; Roscoe Lennon, Rt. 1, Evergreen; Dr. H. G. Dameron, Tabor City; and Robert E. Lennon, Sr., Delco.

Mr. Clyde Wayne, Vice-Chairman, Board of Trustees of Columbus County Hospital, came before the Board regarding purchasing property joining the hospital grounds. Mr. Tate, Chairman, was unable to attend because of ill health. After a discussion the following motion was passed:

A motion was made by Commissioner Watts, seconded by Commissioner Johnson, and duly passed to grant to the Board of Trustees of Columbus County Hospital the authority to negotigate with Mrs. Doris Pridgen in an official way for the purchase of property adjoining the present hospital grounds for the purpose of expanding the present hospital.

The following orders were passed upon the recommendation of the Tax Supervisor's Office:

Ordered: that the late listing penalty in the name of P. T. Woodell, Whiteville Township be released in the amount of \$12.10 for the year 1972 due to a clerical error.

Ordered: that the taxes listed in the name of Casey Cheway Corp., Chadbourn Township, be cancelled for the year 1972 due to double listing.

Ordered: that the taxes listed in the name of Nicholas Brown Heirs, RAnsom Township, be cancelled for the year 1972 due to double listing.

Ordered: that the taxes listed in the name of David Byrd, South Williams Township be released in the amount of \$17.34 and late lisiting penalty be released in the amount

of #1.99 for the year 1972 due to a clerical error.

Ordered: that the taxes listed in the name of H. C. Moore, RAnsom Township, be cancelled for the year 1972 due to double listing.

Ordered: that the taxes listed in the name of Haywood McKoy, Bogue Township, be released in the amount of \$36.72 for the year 1972 due to a clerical error.

Ordered: that the tax listed in the name of Arthur Sumpter, Whiteville Township, be released in the amount of \$101.83 and late listing penalty be released in the amount of \$9.73 for the year 1972 due to double listing.

Ordered: that the taxes listed in the name of Herman D. Dowless, WElches Creek Township, be released in the amount of \$16.20 for the year 1971 due to double listing.

Ordered: that the taxes lsited in the name of Herman D. Dowless, Welches Creek Township, be released in the amount of \$15.30 and the late listing penalty be released in the amount of \$1.31 due the year 1972 due to double listing.

Ordered: that the taxes listed in the name of J. W. Smith Heirs, Welches Creek Township, be cancelled in the amount of \$8.28 due to double listing.

Ordered: that the taxes listed in the name of J. W. Smith Heirs, Welches Creek Township be cancelled in the amount of \$7.82 for the year 1972 due to double listing.

Upon motion the meeting adjourned until October 2, 1972, at 10:00 a.m.

APPROVED:

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