BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSION MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING December 7, 1982

The Board of County Commission met at 8:00 A.M. in special session to go over the budget and to discuss the HUD Grant with the following members present, to-wit: Jack Bowman, Chairman, Drew Peacock, Roy Bailey, Monroe Cox and Donnell Whitfield.

Chairman Bowman called the meeting to order followed with prayer by Commissioner Peacock.

Gene McClellan, HUD Director, was asked by Chairman Bowman to make a report on the HUD projects and the rules and regulation of the grant. Mr. McClellan was questioned concerning complaints regarding Rehab labor. Mr. McClellan stated C. J. Roberts worked directly for the Board and had authority to do all hiring and firing. Commissioner Bailey stated that all HUD employees should answer to the HUD Director and the Director answer to the Board of County Commission. The Board agreed to submit a name from each district to serve on the Rehab Advisory Committee that is to select the houses to be rehabed thru a grading system. The Board of County Commission will not have anything to do with the selection.

A motion was made by Commissioner Bailey, seconded by Commissioner Peacock and duly carried to get a drawdown of \$35,000.00 from the HUD Grant and give the Board Chairman, Jack Bowman, and Vice-Chairman Drew Peacock authority to sign drawdowns as recommended by the HUD Director.

Chairman Bowman recommended that Mr. McClellan have a meeting with all of his employees and explain all rules to them.

Chairman Bowman stated that each commissioner had a copy of the budget and should go over it because it would have to be cut the first of the new year. The budget was reviewed briefly.

Willie D. Wise, Clerk, stated he had about \$400,000.00 on savings at this time. He also stated the new computer would save the county money.

There being no further business, the Board did then adjourn.

ATTEST: Willie D. Wise Clerk

Chairman

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